

# Examples of Suffering

JAMES 5:10-11

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*True blessing comes to those Christians who calmly persevere through suffering.*

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- I. Pause to consider the example of the Old Testament \_\_\_\_\_ (5:10).
  - A. They were special messengers of \_\_\_\_\_ (5:10a).
  - B. Yet they suffered \_\_\_\_\_ (5:10b).
  - C. And they remained \_\_\_\_\_ (5:10c).
  
- II. Pause to consider the example of the patriarch \_\_\_\_\_ (5:11).
  - A. He demonstrates that true blessing comes to those who \_\_\_\_\_ (5:11a).
  - B. He waited on God \_\_\_\_\_ he suffered (5:11b).
  - C. God proved to be loving and merciful in the \_\_\_\_\_ (5:11c).

## QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

- How have you suffered as a result of your testimony for Christ?
- What are you waiting on God to do in the end as you suffer?
- How can you allow this truth to affect your life this week?