



James 1:2-5

**No matter what you face,
understand God is **at work**
and He is using this
to **mature you****



James 1:12-20

This life on earth is **fleeting
and **fragile** and it will not
last forever**



James 5:7-11

Isaiah 40:31





BLESSED ENDURANCE

James 5:1-8

“Patient” =

prolonged **restraint**

(someone with a long fuse)



**Pausing, praying and
playing the tape help to
prevent personal problems
from populating and pouring
out at poor times**



James 5:7-8

“Wait” = is a constant state of anticipation; it’s looking expectantly ahead (one day this harvest will happen)



James 5:9

One of the biggest **concerns** connected to our handling of conflict is that we tend to **complain**



**The command “do NOT
complain” addresses both
inward groanings and
outward belly aches because
of oppression**



James 5:10-11

Romans 15:4-6



**“Endure” = (literally means
“to remain under”) we’re to
remain under trials with hope,
NOT relying on our own
strength and ability, but
leaning on God**



Hebrews 12:1-3 –
Jesus endured, He willingly
allowed Himself to
remain under, Why?
“for the joy set before Him”
(a future with us)

