

Exploits!

*But those who wait on the LORD Shall renew their strength;
They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and
not be weary, They shall walk and not faint. Isaiah 40:31*

Waiting on the Lord is not something we learn in a classroom. It is more "caught" than "taught". Waiting on the Lord is created within us as we become a fully devoted follower of Jesus. Picture two ropes being entwined together, making a larger rope. Picture two types of thread being woven together in such a manner that it becomes a beautiful tapestry. This is what "waiting on the Lord" means. Waiting on the Lord takes our weakness and weaves it into His strength! Waiting on the Lord places you in the center of Holy Spirit activity.

Waiting on God does not mean you are sitting around *waiting* for God to show up. No, no, no! He already has come! He has already done all that needs to be done! He has died and He has risen. In like manner YOU have died and YOU have risen with Him! Now you are tied to Him! You are connected with Him in a relationship – alive, living, breathing. Now, life flows in you, on you, and through you! You find yourself caught up with all that He is doing! A person waiting on God will be busy! He's doing things through you by the Spirit! His vision has become your vision. What a wonderful way to live!

One who waits upon the Lord is the one who is truly meek, because he has surrendered his will and agenda to a higher purpose. The meek are so entwined around the Holy Spirit that walking away is not even in their hearts. Once you have become aware of the coming of God's Kingdom you cannot go back to living life on your own! You become content just to 'wait'! You do not need to be the center, let Jesus be the center! Matthew 5:5 says,

"Blessed are the meek, For they shall inherit the earth."

You cannot hang out with the Blesser and not be blessed. It is a part of His very being! Inheriting the earth is only promised to the meek. It is not instantaneous but it is certain. God is not a liar. Have you learned to rejoice yet in your waiting? When everything seemingly is falling apart around you, Satan wants you to curse God and walk away. Instead, we are praising, not complaining. We are doing exploits! Having everything taken away doesn't seem to slow us down, instead, it causes us to praise even more! To these unique individuals the earth is waiting to be reaped.

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