



# James Bible Study Questions

James 5:7-12 || *will be preached on December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023*

1. James draws attention to the Old Testament prophets as examples of “suffering and patience”. Can you think of any Old Testament prophets whose stories fit that description?
2. Read Job 1-2 and Job 42:10-17. Why does the story of Job fit with the theme of this section?
3. James writes of steadfastness at the beginning (1:3, 1:12) and at the end of his letter (5:11). According to James, why does steadfastness lead to blessing?
4. Was there anything in this passage that challenged you? How will you act differently this week?
5. Where are you suffering right now? Where do you need patience?
6. What grace is promised in this passage that enables us to be faithful in hard circumstances?
7. In light of the truths in this passage, how can others pray for you?