

Character Matters: Nine Virtues of Those Who Belong to Jesus

Patience: Stay Calm and Choose Well

Galatians 5:22

The Lord's Day Morning

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Where We've Been

1. Love: Choosing to say and do that which is in the ultimate best interest of another person, regardless of the sacrifice.
2. Joy: Seeking happiness by contemplating the over-arching circumstance of God's love and care for me and in turn seeking my happiness in the happiness of others.
3. Peace: Guarding my internal calm by total surrender to God's will for me and doing all I can to be reconciled to other people.

What is Patience?

Patience: Staying calm when others do not do what I want them to do, so that I take Biblically informed action or non-action in their best interest.

How to Be More Patient

1. _____ God's patience with _____.
2. _____ God's patience to _____.
3. _____ patience with God.