

The Issues of Life

Proverbs 4:23

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Waiting on the Lord

Psalm 27:14 - Wait on the LORD: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the LORD.

WAIT - To _____ or rest in expectation; to stop or remain **stationary**, till the arrival of some person or event.

WAIT ON - To _____, as a servant; to perform menial services for. To pay servile or submissive attendance. To **follow**. To look watchfully or to watch. To wait for something to happen before you do or decide something.

Key Elements of Waiting ON the Lord – Psalm 27

TRUST - v. 1-3

- It's personal: "my". Trust=confidence -v3. Mature faith. From believing to _____.
- Experience brings trust (v2-3).
- Trust has no _____ - Rom. 8:31; 2 Tim. 1:7.
- EXAMPLES:

ACTION - v4

- "That will I seek" - opposite of wait but same as wait **on** – Pro. 2:1-9.
- "Dwell" – communion with God & other believers.
- "Enquire" – to seek truth by asking questions or by _____.
 - Matt. 7:7-8. Ask. Seek. Knock.
- EXAMPLES:

PRAYER - v7,11-13

- David prays for _____ – v11
- David prays for _____ – v12
- David believed his prayer would be answered – v13 (it kept him waiting on the Lord)
- All leading to this conclusion: WAIT ON THE LORD.

KEY POINT: Always wait ON God while you wait _____ Him.