

WBS Lecture Notes

Rooted: Acts 1

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“But stay here in the city until the Holy Spirit comes and fills you with power from heaven.”

- Luke 24:49 (NLT)

. . . he commanded them, “Do not leave Jerusalem until the Father sends you the gift he promised, as I told you before. John baptized with water, but in just a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.”

- Acts 1:4 (NLT)

Main Point: The _____ of waiting is receiving God’s promise.

Point #1: _____ God’s word of instruction.

And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.

- Hebrews 11:6 (NIV)

“If you are faithful in little things, you will be faithful in large ones. But if you are dishonest in little things, you won’t be honest with greater responsibilities.”

- Luke 16:10 (NLT)

So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

~ Romans 10:17 (ESV)

Point #2: _____ expectant.

Since ancient times no one has heard, no ear has perceived, no eye has seen any God besides you, who acts on behalf of those who wait for him.

- Isaiah 64:4 (NIV)

Point #3: _____ on prayer.

O Jacob, how can you say the Lord does not see your troubles? O Israel, how can you say God ignores your rights?

²⁸ *Have you never heard? Have you never understood?*

The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of all the earth. He never grows weak or weary. No one can measure the depths of his understanding. ²⁹ He gives power to the weak and strength to the powerless. ³⁰ Even youths will become weak and tired, and young men will fall in exhaustion.

³¹ *But those who trust in the Lord will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not faint.*

- Isaiah 40:27-31