"ENDURANCE TO WIN"

<u>ENDURANCE Greek - (hoop-om-en'-o) to stay, remain, to undergo, have fortitude,</u> Persevere.

<u>PATIENCE - Greek - (hoop-om-on-ay') cheerful or hopeful endurance, constancy, Enduring patience.</u>

PATIENCE IS A "LEARNED" TRAIT

Rom. 5:3 And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that <u>tribulation worketh</u> patience;

Rom. 5:4 And patience, experience; and experience, hope:

Rom. 5:5 And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

James 1:2 My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations;

James 1:3 Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience.

<u>James 1:4</u> But let patience have *her* perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.

<u>1Pet. 1:7</u> That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ:

PATIENCE AND FAITH ARE PARTNERS

Heb. 6:12 That ye be not slothful, but followers of them who through faith and patience inherit the promises.

Luke 21:19 In your patience possess ve your souls.

Heb. 10:35 Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompence of reward. Heb. 10:36 For ye have need of patience, that, after ye have done the will of God, ye might receive the promise.

Heb. 12:1 Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us.

James 1:4 But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.

1Cor. 15:58 Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

Heb. 11:1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

PATIENCE IS DEVELOPED THROUGH INTIMACY WITH GOD

<u>2Cor. 13:14</u> The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Ghost, *be* with you all. Amen.

- 1Cor. 10:16 The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the communion of the blood of Christ? The bread which we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ?
- Ex. 25:22 And there I will meet with thee, and I will commune with thee from above the mercy seat, from between the two cherubims which are upon the ark of the testimony, of all things which I will give thee in commandment unto the children of Israel.
- <u>COMMUNE (koinonia)</u> participation, social intercourse, fellowship, to communicate <u>INTIMATLY</u>
- <u>Isa. 5:1</u> <u>Now will I sing to my wellbeloved a song of my beloved touching his vineyard. My wellbeloved hath a vineyard in a very fruitful hill.</u>
- Psa. 33:3 Sing unto him a new song; play skilfully with a loud noise.
- Psa. 96:2 unto the LORD, bless his name; shew forth his salvation from day to day.
- <u>Prov. 9:10</u> The fear of the LORD *is* the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge of the holy *is* understanding. <u>Prov. 9:11</u> For by me thy days shall be multiplied, and the years of thy life shall be increased.
- <u>2Tim. 1:12</u> For the which cause I also suffer these things: nevertheless I am not ashamed: for I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day.

PATIENCE IS DEVELOPED BY KNOWING WHO WE ARE IN JESUS

- Eph. 1:18 The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints,
- <u>2Cor. 5:21</u> For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.
- <u>John 17:26</u> And I have declared unto them thy name, and will declare *it*: that the love wherewith thou hast loved me may be in them, and I in them.
- <u>2Pet. 1:2</u> Grace and peace be multiplied unto you through the knowledge of God, and of Jesus our Lord, <u>2Pet. 1:3</u> According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue: <u>2Pet. 1:4</u> Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.
- <u>JOHN 17:26 (AMP)</u> I have made Your Name known to them *and* revealed Your character and Your very [a]Self, and I will continue to make [You] known, that the love which You have bestowed upon Me may be in them [felt in their hearts] and that I [Myself] may be in them.
- Col. 2:6 As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in him:
- Col. 2:7 Rooted and built up in him, and stablished in the faith, as ye have been taught, abounding therein with thanksgiving.
- Col. 2:8 Beware lest any man spoil you through philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of men, after the rudiments of the world, and not after Christ.
- Col. 2:9 For in him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily.
- Col. 2:10 And ye are complete in him, which is the head of all principality and power.

Mark 4:16 And these are they likewise which are sown on stony ground; who, when they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness;

Mark 4:17 And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.

<u>Prov. 12:3</u> A man shall not be established by wickedness: but <u>the root of the righteous shall not be moved.</u>

PATIENCE IS DEVELOPED THROUGH GOD'S WORD

Rom. 15:4 For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope.

<u>Luke 8:15</u> But that on the good ground are they, which in an honest and good heart, having heard the word, keep *it*, and bring forth fruit with patience.

Acts 2:42 And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers.

Matt. 7:24 Therefore whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock:

Matt. 7:25 And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock.

Matt. 7:26 And every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand:

Matt. 7:27 And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.

<u>Luke 8:15</u> But that on the good ground are they, which in an honest and good heart, having heard the word, keep *it*, and bring forth fruit with patience.

PATIENCE IS DEVELOPED THROUGH RELATIONSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

<u>2Cor. 6:14</u> Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? and what communion hath light with darkness?

Amos 3:3 Can two walk together, except they be agreed?

Rom. 15:6 That ye may with **one mind** and one mouth glorify God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

<u>Phil. 1:27</u> Only let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ: that whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, that ye stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel.

1Cor. 5:11 But now I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such an one no not to eat.

<u>2John 1:10</u> If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into *your* house, neither bid him God speed:

2John 1:11 For he that biddeth him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds.

Prov. 27:17 Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend.