

# Day 10 — Faith in the Waiting

## Scripture:

*“But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.” — Isaiah 40:31*

## Devotional:

Waiting is one of the hardest parts of faith. It stretches you. It tests you. It reveals what you truly believe about God. But waiting is not punishment — it's preparation. God uses waiting seasons to strengthen you, refine you, and align you with His timing.

Isaiah reminds us that those who wait on the Lord don't grow weaker — they grow stronger. Waiting with God is not passive; it's active trust. It's choosing to believe that God is working even when nothing seems to be changing. It's choosing to stay hopeful even when the answer hasn't come yet.

Waiting teaches you to release control.

Waiting teaches you to listen.

Waiting teaches you to depend on God instead of rushing ahead.

Waiting teaches you to trust God's timing over your own.

Sometimes God delays because He's protecting you.

Sometimes He delays because He's preparing you.

Sometimes He delays because the blessing isn't ready — or you aren't ready for it yet.

Patience is not about sitting still; it's about staying surrendered. It's about believing that God's timing is perfect, even when it feels slow. It's about trusting that what God has for you will not pass you by.

Today, God is inviting you to rest in His timing. To breathe. To release the pressure to make things happen on your own. To trust that He is renewing your strength as you wait.

## Reflection:

What are you waiting on God for right now?

How has waiting made you feel — anxious, frustrated, hopeful, tired?

What would it look like to trust God's timing instead of rushing your own?

Let patience become a place of peace, not pressure.

## Guided Prayer:

*Lord, help me wait on You with trust and peace. Renew my strength in the areas where I feel weary or impatient. Remind me that Your timing is perfect and that You are working even when I cannot see it. Teach me to rest in Your promises as I wait. Amen.*

## Daily Practice:

Take a slow, deep breath.

Say aloud: “God's timing is perfect. I will wait with trust.”