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"Patient Expectations"

(1 Timothy 1:16, Ephesians 4:2)

# Context

- American patience vs Biblical patience
- Patience is...faithfully following Jesus regardless of our <u>situation</u> because we have <u>expectation</u>

## Main Points

- Patience is a God-thing
- Jesus patience is <u>unlimited</u> (1 Tim 1:16)
- Patience enables endurance during trials

#### **Gospel Connection**

- Patience shown <u>us</u> is really for <u>others</u> (1 Tim 1:16)
- God's patience enables <u>us</u> to endure with <u>others</u> (Eph 4:2)
- All about <u>love</u>. Love is <u>patient</u>, ... (1 Cor 13:4)

## Transformation

As a result of this teaching, this week I will...

- 1.
- 2.

"Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners – of whom I am the worst. But for that very reason I was shown mercy so that in me, the worst of sinners, Christ Jesus might display his unlimited patience as an example for those who would believe on him and receive eternal life." 1 Timothy 1:15-16

