

How to Get More Blessings

A. Waiting Incorrectly.

- 1. Postponement, procrastination, complacency, slow down, rushing, haste, deferment, disappointed, discouraged, depressed, give up, quit.
- 2. Discontentment, lack of faith (doubt, unbelief), and impatience.

B. Waiting Upon the Lord Gets You More Blessings.

- 1. World Series baseball champion, Daryl Strawberry's testimony of an incredible come back after he asked God for help instead of quitting.
- 2. Waiting Correctly.
 - a. But they that wait upon the LORD shall Isaiah 40:31 renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.
 - b. Strong's Concordance H6960 Hebrew meaning of "wait" means "to bind together (perhaps by twisting), that is, collect; (figuratively) to expect: - gather (together), look, patiently, tarry, wait (for, on, upon)."
 - c. Merriam-Webster's Online Dictionary definitions of "wait:" To stay in place in expectation of, to look forward expectantly, to be ready and available, a state or attitude of watchfulness and expectancy. Wait patiently with expectation.
 - d. Use the Power Triplets: Contentment, faith and patience.
 - e. Learn to be content. Phil 4:11b
 - f. When you have faith, have patience, and have contentment promotion comes.
 - g. Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but when the desire is fulfilled, it is a tree of life.
- 3. And I will restore or replace for you the years of devastation that the locust has eaten.
- 4. The latter glory of this house shall be greater than the former...and in this place will I give peace and prosperity.
- 5. This is how to get more blessings from God!

1 Tim 6:10, James 1:2-4

Joel 2:25 (AMPC, MSG)

Prov 13:12 (AMPC)

Haggai 2:9 (AMPC)

1 Tim 6:6