



A Prayer for Patience in the Waiting

Dear Heavenly Father,

I desperately need you now. You have seen my tears as day after day goes by and nothing seems to change. You have heard all the heartfelt prayers I have lifted up to you year after painful year. You have seen my aching heart worn down with discouragement.

You know how I am struggling right now. With doubt. Anger. Disappointment. Misery. Bitterness. And so much more.

But I want to trust You.

So please help me, Lord. Help me remember You have a plan that is greater than my human heart can understand. Help me remember nothing is too hard for you and my story is far from over yet.

Help me remember You are God and I am not. That You are hard at work even when I cannot see what you are doing. Remind me that You see me. You love me. And You know what is best for me.

Help me to lean into You when the waiting gets hard. To feed my faith. To trust Your plan. And to wait with hope for the day You WILL turn my bitter tears into joyous laughter.

In the precious name of Jesus,
Amen.