

## Advent - Anticipation

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### James 5:7-8

*James 5:7-11 – “a call to patient living under adverse circumstances” David P. Nystrom*

*James uses three things to describe the calm expectancy of anticipation:*

A \_\_\_\_\_ waiting on rain and seeds

Not \_\_\_\_\_ about people

The life of \_\_\_\_\_

We celebrate what \_\_\_\_\_ has \_\_\_\_\_

*God HAS kept His promises, He DOES keep His promises, and He WILL keep His promises*

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KNEES AND FEET (Prayer and Action): Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you to a change of mind and action.

Is there a time each day that you could give to God this Advent season that will remind you that He has and will keep His promises?

There are lots of Advent devotions you can access free online or go to the bookstore and pick one up to remind and guide you through the next four weeks of Anticipation. *(Here are just two of many)*

<https://www.tellingthetruth.org/read/advent>

<https://www.desiringgod.org/books/the-dawning-of-indestructible-joy.pdf>