

Why should I wait for the Lord any longer? That's a Good Question!

2 Kings 6:24-33 Some time later, however, King Ben-hadad of Aram mustered his entire army and besieged Samaria. 25 As a result, there was a great famine in the city. The siege lasted so long that a donkey's head sold for eighty pieces of silver, and a cup of dove's dung sold for five pieces of silver. 26 One day as the king of Israel was walking along the wall of the city, a woman called to him, "Please help me, my lord the king!" 27 He answered, "If the Lord doesn't help you, what can I do? I have neither food from the threshing floor nor wine from the press to give you." 28 But then the king asked, "What is the matter?" She replied, "This woman said to me: 'Come on, let's eat your son today, then we will eat my son tomorrow.' 29 So we cooked my son and ate him. Then the next day I said to her, 'Kill your son so we can eat him,' but she has hidden her son." 30 When the king heard this, he tore his clothes in despair. And as the king walked along the wall, the people could see that he was wearing burlap under his robe next to his skin. 31 "May God strike me and even kill me if I don't separate Elisha's head from his shoulders this very day," the king vowed. 33 ...and the king said, "All this misery is from the Lord! Why should I wait for the Lord any longer?" 2 Kings 7:1 Then Elisha said, "Listen to the word of the Lord. The Lord says, 'Tomorrow about this time, a basket of fine flour will be sold for one piece of silver in the gate of Samaria. And two baskets of barley will be sold for a piece of silver.'"

I. God's _____

Isaiah 45:18 For the Lord is God, and he created the heavens and earth and put everything in place. He made the world to be lived in, not to be a place of empty chaos. "I am the Lord," he says, "and there is no other."

1 John 2:4 If someone claims, "I know God," but doesn't obey God's commandments, that person is a liar and is not living in the truth.

Jeremiah 17:7 "But blessed are those who trust in the Lord and have made the Lord their hope and confidence.

When we don't want to wait for the Lord any longer we will

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Romans 1:25 (NLT) They traded the truth about God for a lie. So they worshiped and served the things God created instead of the Creator himself, who is worthy of eternal praise! Amen.

Psalms 27:14 Wait patiently for the Lord. Be brave and courageous. Yes, wait patiently for the Lord.

2. God's _____

Psalm 147:11 No, the Lord's delight is in those who fear him, those who put their hope in his unfailing love.

3. God's _____

2 Kings 7:18 It happened just as the man of God had told the king...