

## James – Small Group Study Week 10

**Verses for the week:** James 5:7-9

### *Patience in Suffering*

**7**Be patient, therefore, brothers,<sup>a</sup> until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient about it, until it receives the early and the late rains. **8**You also, be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand. **9**Do not grumble against one another, brothers, so that you may not be judged; behold, the Judge is standing at the door.

### **Questions:**

1. Why do you think the farmer is the subject of so many stories of the bible?
2. What does James mean by "establish your hearts?"

**Quote of the week:** God allows us to experience the low points of life in order to teach us lessons that we could learn in no other way. CS Lewis

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