# HOW LONG Has He Waited For You?



#### 1 Peter 3:20

<sup>20</sup>Which sometime were disobedient, when once the longsuffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was a preparing, wherein few, that is, eight souls were saved by water.



#### Numbers 14:18-20

<sup>18</sup>The LORD is longsuffering, and of great mercy, forgiving iniquity and transgression, and by no means clearing the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation.



#### Numbers 14:18-20

<sup>19</sup>Pardon, I beseech thee, the iniquity of this people according unto the greatness of thy mercy, and as thou hast forgiven this people, from Egypt even until now.



# Numbers 14:18-20 20 And the LORD said, I have pardoned according to thy word:



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#### 1 Peter 1:13-16

13Wherefore gird up the loins of your mind, be sober, and hope to the end for the grace that is to be brought unto you at the revelation of Jesus Christ;



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<sup>14</sup>As obedient children, not fashioning yourselves according to the former lusts in your ignorance:



1 Peter 1:13-16

<sup>15</sup>But as he which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation;



1 Peter 1:13-16

<sup>16</sup>Because it is written, Be ye holy; for I am holy.



#### Romans 12:1-2

<sup>1</sup>I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable **HOW LONG** Has He Waited service.

#### Romans 12:1-2

<sup>2</sup>And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

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#### Philippians 2:15

15That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world; **HOW LONG** 



# HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO

BE HOLY?



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### 2. HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO SURRENDER?

#### Matthew 16:24-26

<sup>24</sup>Then said Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me.



### 2. HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO SURRENDER?

#### Matthew 16:24-26

<sup>25</sup>For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it.



### 2. HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO SURRENDER?

#### Matthew 16:24-26

<sup>26</sup>For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?



### 2. HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO <u>SURRENDER?</u>

#### <u>James 4:7</u>

<sup>7</sup>Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.



# HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO

- I. BE HOLY?
- II. SURRENDER?



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#### **Revelation 3:20**

<sup>20</sup>Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.



#### **Romans 6:23**

<sup>23</sup>For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our LORD.



#### Romans 5:8

<sup>8</sup>But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.



#### Romans 10:9-10

<sup>9</sup>That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the LORD Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.



#### Romans 10:9-10

<sup>10</sup>For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.



# HOW LONG HAS HE WAITED FOR YOU TO

- BE HOLY?
- II. SURRENDER?
- III. COMETO HIM?



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#### Genesis 6:3

<sup>3</sup>And the LORD said, My spirit shall not always strive with man ...

#### <u>Isaiah 63:10</u>

10But they rebelled, and vexed his holy Spirit: therefore he was turned to be their enemy, and he fought against them.

