

While We're Waiting – Ephesians 5:8-17

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START TALKING | *Get your group thinking.*

- 1. What was the longest you had to wait to receive something that was promised to you?
- 2. How has the promise of something caused you to alter your way of thinking or acting?

START SHARING | *Get your group engaging with the message.*

- 3. Read Ephesians 5:8-14. Define the kingdoms of "Darkness" and "Light" as described in these verses. Describe how we spiritually and practically live in one of these two kingdoms.
- 4. Expound on what these verses teach us about:
 - a Pursuing godliness: Ephesians 5:9-10 and Matthew 5:14-16.
 - b Renouncing ungodliness: Ephesians 5:11-14 and John 3:20.
- 5. Read Eph. 5:15-17 and Romans 12:2. Describe the different ways we are to live and know God's will as we eagerly wait for Jesus to return.
- 6. What did Pastor Steve teach about the difference between God's GENERAL will and God's SPECIFIC will?

START LIVING | Get your group applying God's Word to daily life.

7. What specific things can you do to be a better light in the darkness and be wise as you wait for the return of Jesus?