

5. How certain are you of your salvation? How might a proper understanding of God's peace change the way you look at things?

patience

6. Brainstorm some situations in which you are likely to require 'patience'.

7. In groups again, look at what the bible has to say about patience:

<i>Passages</i>	<i>What do they tell us about 'patience'?</i>
Isaiah 48:9; 2 Peter 3:9	
Ephesians 4:2; 1 Thes 5:14	
James 5:7-11	

8. How then might we give a concise definition for the 'patience' that we should showing as part of the fruit of the Spirit?

9. Look at the situations requiring patience that you wrote down above. How would you now act in light of what we have just learnt?