

**Jesus Patiently Fulfills Prophecy (Matt. 12:15-18) 6/22/2014**

In chapter 12 we find the first significant record of sustained, organized \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ.

**Withdrawal and Warning**

Jesus was **aware** of their plots because He knows the \_\_\_\_\_ of man.

Jesus **withdrew** to another area because He was being \_\_\_\_\_ to Scripture.

Jesus was not courting either \_\_\_\_\_ or opposition.

**Many followed** because they wanted more of His healings and \_\_\_\_\_.

**Healed** =

Jesus' healing miracles served as messianic \_\_\_\_\_.

In contrast to the religious leaders, Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ the people.

**Warned** =

Other passages where this word is used:

What Jesus doesn't want them to **make known** at this time is not the miracles, but that He is the \_\_\_\_\_.

**Patiently Waiting for God's Timing**

In v. 17, we learn that the reason for the warning to not make Him known is because a \_\_\_\_\_ has not yet been fulfilled.

**Fulfilled** =

Jesus refused to \_\_\_\_\_ of the Father by acting on His own.

Jesus is our example of every Godly virtue...in this case, \_\_\_\_\_.

***How often, and in what ways do you get ahead of God?***

**God's Beloved Servant**

**Servant** =

Scripture ascribes many \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ, and none is more \_\_\_\_\_, or lovely, than **My Servant**.

**Chosen** =

Jesus was the only One \_\_\_\_\_ and suitable to be completely faithful to do the Father's \_\_\_\_\_.

**Luke 23:35 – And the people stood by, looking on. And even the rulers were sneering at Him, saying, "He saved others; let Him save Himself if this is the Christ of God, His Chosen One."**

**Beloved** =

**Well-pleased** =

God takes pleasure, or \_\_\_\_\_, in loving those He has chosen for salvation.

God used this word to apply to Christ at His \_\_\_\_\_ and transfiguration.

The contrast the Holy Spirit, through Matthew, wants us to see is that the One who is hated and \_\_\_\_\_ by the world—including His own people—is \_\_\_\_\_ by God, who is well-pleased with Him.