

**Do Not Complain Against One Another (James 5:9) 12/2/2018**

**The Command**

This command is written to \_\_\_\_\_.

Do not complain =

This complaining is a \_\_\_\_\_, resentful spirit that manifests itself in one's relationships with \_\_\_\_\_.

The context is \_\_\_\_\_ in the light of the Lord's coming.

What we learn about this word from [Heb. 13:17](#):

Living with difficult \_\_\_\_\_ can cause believers to become frustrated, lose patience, and \_\_\_\_\_ against one another.

**The Example**

Patient / patience =

Patience means "to \_\_\_\_\_ and stand fast when you'd like to \_\_\_\_\_."

Cross references:

Endure / endurance =

Full of compassion =

Merciful =

Job addressed his complaints properly to \_\_\_\_\_ and not by complaining against \_\_\_\_\_.

Notes on the outcome of God's dealings with Job:

\_\_\_\_\_ and complaining within the family of \_\_\_\_\_ believers is entirely inappropriate.

**The Alternative**

Notes on the context of [1 Thess. 5:14](#):

Admonish =

Unruly =

Encourage =

Fainthearted =

Help =

Weak =

God calls us to \_\_\_\_\_ dealings with one another as we struggle with the \_\_\_\_\_ and issues of life.