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Now is the time to love and labor over the hurting, dying world. What are we waiting for? Procrastination is not an option. It is time to go ye! Most people do not know that “we” are the hold up.

Usually, procrastination is rooted in ignorance not laziness. So, we need knowledge to overcome the human barriers. And yes, the barriers are you. Come and learn!

1. Abide In God’s Heart – The Best Motivation

Luke 13:34-35

34 **“O Jerusalem, Jerusalem**, the one who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! **How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her brood under her wings**, but you were not willing!

35 See! Your house is left to you desolate; and assuredly, I say to you, you shall not see Me until the time comes when you say,

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‘Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!’”

Jesus Weeps over Jerusalem

Luke 19:41-44

**41 Now as He drew near, He saw the city and wept over it,
42 saying, “If you had known, even you, especially in
this your day, the things *that make* for your peace! But now
they are hidden from your eyes.**

43 For days will come upon you when your enemies will build
an embankment around you, surround you and close you in on
every side,

44 and level you, and your children within you, to the ground;
and they will not leave in you one stone upon another, because
you did not know the time of your visitation.”

2. God Made Wood, You Make the Table

Some people are so spiritually minded they do not step out to
use their creative skills and natural planning to serve God. They

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see themselves as spiritual robots and they drive everybody crazy.

3. I’m Not Waiting for The Whitehouse to Stop Fighting

While the government is bickering and slandering each other I pray them, bless them and wish them the best. But I live in a Kingdom sphere that rules above every Kingdom and this one will never cease. Our Kingdom never loses its peace and is always perfectly secure.

Ephesians 1:15-21

15 Therefore I...do not cease...making mention of you in my prayers: 17 that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ...that you may know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints...

...19 and what is the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power 20 which He worked in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly places, 21 far above all principality and power and might and

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dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come.

4. I’m Not Waiting for My Spouse to Get Motivated

Always honor your spouse whether they support you or not but stop waiting on them to catch a gear.

5. I’m Not Waiting for My Kids to Grow Up

Stop babying your kids and let them grow up while you heal the broken hearted, fish for men and make disciples.

6. I’m Not Waiting for The Pastor to Notice Me

I’m going to catch Pastor’s attention by serving the church with a humble heart of excellence and diligence.

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7. I’m Not Waiting on Perfect Health

I don’t know any ministers who walk in perfect health, do you?
Enough said. Lol.

8. I’m Not Waiting for Everyone to Like Me

This is a big one. This day never comes. Jesus was the
controversy of the town wherever He went. Can you handle the
mantle?

9. I’m Not Waiting Until I Am Happy

True joy and happiness escapes us until we fill the needs of
others. God made us this way.

10. I’m Not Waiting Until I Am More Mature

And you’ve been saved how long?

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11. I’m Not Waiting Until the Time is Right

The time is now. Like Jesus said, don’t miss the hour of your visitation.