Don't Grow Weary

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"And let us **not grow weary** while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart" (Galatians 6:9).

We are in our third year of Covid-related viruses, and everyone's nerves are becoming a bit more frazzled as we wade through the original virus, then Delta, and now Omicron — with the promise of yet another strain in the Spring!

Opinions vary regarding vaccinations and boosters, but we cannot be judgmental toward one another in our choices. **"Science"** does *not* have all the answers. If it did, then we would be free of all danger by now. You can vaccinate, get the boosters, wear a mask, and practice social distancing — and still get the virus. I'm surprised that some **feel guilty** when they become ill as though they really had a choice in the matter. Nobody I know **intentionally** became ill. They simply became exposed without knowing it, sometimes by their own family members. One lesson we are learning from all this is that you cannot assume you have an "ordinary cold" and go about as normal. You have to be extra cautious when you feel sick. You must be proactive.

Another thing we need to stop and realize is that the various covid strains *may never go away!* We have not alleviated society of influenza (with its many strains) or the common cold. Why would we think we can rid ourselves of a more contagious virus? We can only hope that in time we will all become a bit more immune to it, however that may be.

The **only solution** I can offer each of us, as Christians, is this: *trust in God, obey His will, be as healthy and vigilant as possible, and do "not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart"!*

Read **Job 10 & 12** to see Job's view of God's sovereignty and man's frailty. It is *eye-opening* to one suffering from covid.

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