# Entreaty and Endurance – Luke 18:1-8

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Jesus' parable of the widow and the unjust judge climaxes His teaching about His second coming in chapter 17. How are God's people to live as they wait for their ultimate vindication at the Lord's return? Jesus says that they are to continue to entreat the Father with patient endurance.

**Principle:** God the Father will certainly and thoroughly answer His children's cries for vindication.

**Application:**

1. Do not grow weary in entreating God for help.

2. Endurance in prayer is related to genuine faith.

    a. Endurance in prayer is an antidote to waning faith.
    18:1 – Lit. *It is necessary always to pray*

    b. Endurance in prayer demonstrates genuine faith.
    18:8 – *Will the Lord then find faith when He returns?*