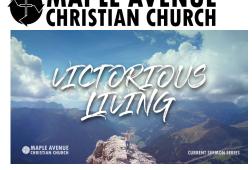
SERMON NOTES—September 18, 2022



Victorious Living—God Is Patient 2 Peter 3:1-9

Common Thread: GOD LOVES THE WORLD AND IS DETERMINED TO RESCUE IT THROUGH JESUS

GOD'S PATIENCE IS FOR OUR BENEFIT

MAKE SURE YOU ARE STIRRED BY GOD'S WORD (1-2)

Stimulate διεγείρω [diegeiro /dee·eg·i·ro/]

- Romans 12:2

- James 1:22-25

BECAUSE THEY WILLFULLY _____ GOD'S _____ (3-7) - 1 Thessalonians 4:15 - They Are Mockers Because OF Their _____

They Mock Because They Think God Has ______
People Mock Because They _____ God's

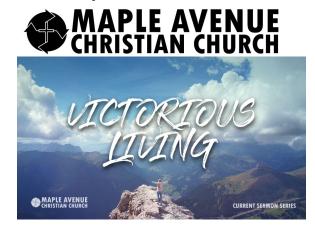
-They Ignore His Authority As _____ - Psalm 33:9

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PETER LEAVES US WITH A GREAT _____ OF _____(8-9)

- Philippians 2:10-11

QUESTIONS FOR SMALL GROUPS/ PERSONAL REFLECTION September 18, 2022



- 1. What kind of everyday situations try your patience?
- 2. What can you think of in today's culture that distorts the truth of the gospel?
- 3. How can we relate the expression "actions speak louder than words" to scripture?
- 4. Why is it do you suppose that people mock God, or mock the return of Jesus?
- 5. What do you think is the main reason why people mock God?
- 6. How do we as believers respond to those who mock God?
- 7. How is eternal existence above and apart from time?
- 8. What does God's Word say about Christ's return?
- 9. How should we live as we anticipate Christ's return?