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**Character Not Comfort  
Discipleship**

Isaiah 38

**Christ's character is developed when you...**

- I. can affirm God's justice when He permits pain.  
Isaiah 38:1
- II. see pain as a petition to get your house in order.  
Isaiah 38:1
- III. see prayer as your primary hope when pain is persistent.  
Isaiah 38:2
- IV. embrace God's timing even when you want the pain to perish...Now.  
  
Isaiah 38:5
- V. can see His purpose for the pain.  
Isaiah 38:17