

# *St. Paul's Notes*

## **Why Is Waiting So Hard?**

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Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for  
the transformation of the world.

*"Meanwhile, the people were waiting for Zechariah and  
wondering why he stayed so long in the temple."*

Luke 1:21

### **I. Midwife Not a \_\_\_\_\_**

Miracles are not magic

*"Don't leave Jerusalem until you have received what the Father  
has promised – the Holy Spirit." Acts 1:4*

This Christian life is a supernatural life.

Pregnancy is a process

### **II. \_\_\_\_\_ Waiting**

A period in your life when you are serving the Lord  
between the promise of God  
and the delivery of the baby.

A follower is supposed to follow.

Do not abort our mission as a church  
Do not abort your mission as followers of  
Jesus Christ.