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TERMS

Exult - καυχαομαι (kauchaomai)
 normal bragging in men - Jas 4:16
 boasting in spiritual things - 5:2, 11
 exuberant boasting

TRIBULATION

- 1. Term θλιψις (thlipsis) a pressing, pressure, affliction
- 2. General term for many kinds -Joseph in prison (Ac 7:10), Paul in prison (Phil 1:17), Israel in famine (Ac 7:11), worldly hardships (2Cor 6:4), childbirth (Jn 16:21), marriage (1Cor 7:28), emotional (2Cor 2:4), persecution (2Th 1:4), 7 year Trib.

SUFFERING PURPOSE

- 1. Consequences 1Pet 4:15, Gal 6:7
- 2. Discipline Heb 12:3-13
- 3. For Righteousness 1Pet 4:12-14
- 4. Refining Deut 8:2-6, Heb 5:8,

 Jas 1:2-4, 2Cor 1:3-10
- 5. Unknown Job 1-2

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- 1. Exult boast, rejoice
- 2. Tribulation affliction
- 3. Perseverance ὑπομονη (hupomone) endurance, perseverance
 - 2Th 1:4, 2Cor 1:6



Tribulation produces spiritual strength

