

Roses or Seeds

Show your students a bunch of roses. Who would like one? Call up a few volunteers but instead of giving each of them a rose, give them a seed for a rose plant. Explain that nobody wants a seed. We don't want to wait a few months. We want things now. We live in a microwave society where everything is fast—We have fast-food, express lines, express service, even quick-lube. We don't like waiting.

Spiritual Application: Like a flower doesn't happen overnight, the good things God has in store for you are worth waiting for too. Then give your volunteers a rose to help them remember the beautiful things that God created for them.