In Someone Else's Skin

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you. (Ephesians 4:32, NASB)

The next time you have a headache or are tired or have a sore throat, look at the people around you and ask yourself this:

What would it feel like to be in their skin? How would it be

- to deal with their discomforts?
- To be their size, shape, and weight?
- To wake up every day
 in their home,
 to their family,
 with their concerns,
 temptations, and
 weaknesses?
- To see the world through their eyes, as colored by their memories?

We are frail, physical creatures.
Everyone around you is a frail, physical creature.
Today each of them could use a
little patience,
a little understanding,
a little compassion.

Father, help me to be more patient with everyone as You are patient with me.
People require patience.
Every relationship goes smoother with patience.

Hymn: <u>Teach Me How to Love</u> http://lnwhymns.com/Hymn.aspx?ID=528

© 2001 Ken Bible, LNW @LNWhymns.com.