

The Book of James Part 2

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James 1:2 NIV Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds,

The Word of God

James 1:16-27 NIV Don't be deceived, my dear brothers and sisters. Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows. He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all he created. My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry, because human anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires. Therefore, get rid of all moral filth and the evil that is so prevalent and humbly accept the word planted in you, which can save you. Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says. Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like. But whoever looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues in it—not forgetting what they have heard, but doing it—they will be blessed in what they do. Those who consider themselves religious and yet do not keep a tight rein on their tongues deceive themselves, and their religion is worthless. Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.

Proverbs 16:25 NIV There is a way that seems right to a man, but in the end it leads to death.

Psalms 119:81 GW My soul is weak from waiting for you to save me. My hope is based on your word.

Matthew 7:24-25 NIV Everyone who hears these words of mine, and puts them into practice, is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock.

3 _____ ABOUT THE WORD OF GOD

1 Gratefully _____ The Truth That Saves Me.

James 1:16-18 NIV

Romans 10:17 NKJV So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

Romans 10:17 MSG Before you trust, you have to listen. But unless Christ's Word is preached, there's nothing to listen to.

2 Humbly _____ Any Truth That Confronts Me.

James 1:21 NIV

2 Timothy 3:16-17 NLT All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work.

1 Thessalonians 2:13 NIV

3 Embrace The Truth That _____ Me.

James 1:22-25 NIV

How Do We Fall In _____ With His Word?

- ✓ Set Aside A _____ To Read, Study, And Meditate On God's Word.
- ✓ Get A _____ Bible.
- ✓ Have A Bible Reading _____.
- ✓ Don't Just Read The Bible. Let The Bible Read _____.