

James' Conclusions

James 5:13-20

Use of our words (tongue).

Use of our wealth.

Caring for widows & orphans.

Don't practise favouritism.

**Don't just hear,
but DO what God says,**

Be humble.

Resist the devil.

Don't be arrogant;
Don't be obsessed
with making money
and enjoying life.

Don't neglect the poor.

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James 1:2-4

“My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience. But let patience have its perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing.”

James 1:13-15

“Let no one say when he is tempted, “I am tempted by God”; for God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He Himself tempt anyone.

But each one is tempted when he is drawn away by his own desires and enticed.

Then, when desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, brings forth death.”

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CONFRONTATION

James 4:12

There is one Lawgiver, who is able to save and to destroy. Who are you to judge another?

Gal 6:1-2

Brethren, if a man is overtaken in any trespass, you who are spiritual restore such a one **in a spirit of gentleness**, considering yourself lest you also be tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfil *the law of Christ*.

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(The End)

1 Peter 4:7-8

But the end of all things is at hand; therefore be serious and watchful in your prayers.

And above all things have fervent love for one another, for “**love will cover a multitude of sins.**” (cf. Proverbs 10:12)