

# **Don't Play Favorites**

James 2:1-13

## **Introduction:**

- The importance of how to relate to one another
- Five potential hindrances to godly fellowship
  1. Apathy
  2. Diversity
  3. Immaturity
  4. Impurity
  5. Partiality

**I. Favoritism is prohibited by God - v1**

**II. Favoritism is produced by externalism - v2-4**

**III. Favoritism is contrary to salvation - v5-7**

**IV. Favoritism is inconsistent with Scripture - v8-11**

**V. Favoritism is condemned by God - v12-13**