

12. James tells the believers to remember what two examples?
13. James tells the believers to not give in to pressure and begin giving what?
14. The answer to the first part of James 5:13 is what?
15. Some believers to whom James writes had gotten so weak and discouraged that they felt like they couldn't do what?
16. Some believers were so weak and discouraged that they were encouraged to call who to come and pray for them?
17. James closes his letter by encouraging us to be mindful of those who might end up doing what?
18. How do we know that James is not referring to unbelievers who are outside the church family?
19. It is possible for someone to hang around the church and not be what?
20. To further reinforce our understanding of this passage, James refers to what, in relation to truth?
21. Verses 13-18 are all about what?
22. We are to confess our sins to one another and according to verse 19 we are to also do what?
23. The phrase, "turns him back" is the same word used by Jesus in Luke 22:32 to refer to whom?
24. Just like unbelievers, sometimes believers need to be what?
25. Is restoring believers who wander from the truth important to you?
26. The word "restore" in Galatians 6:1 was used to refer to doing what?
27. When you go to a brother to restore him, it should be done in what way?
28. If all we had was Matthew 7:1-4, we might assume that it is always wrong to do what?
29. When is it **NOT** appropriate to go and speak to another believer about sin in his/her life?
30. Jesus compares the process of addressing sin to doing what?
31. If you see something in someone else's life that has to be addressed, start by doing what?
32. What are most of us most prone to focus on when it comes to faults?
33. In Matthew 18:15, Jesus isn't speaking of some personal difference between two believers, but rather, the issue is what?
34. Any sin that a believer commits is a sin against whom?
35. We don't live the Christian life in what way?
36. If your brother/sister sins, what are you suppose to do?
37. Have you ever used any of the excuses Pastor Bryan highlighted for not obeying Jesus (as seen in Matthew 18)? Which one(s)?
38. Why is it YOUR business if another believer is in sin?
39. What should a person do who tries to avoid confronting a brother about his sin, by using the statement: "I have things in my own life that aren't right...?"
40. What is the goal of confronting a brother in sin?
41. The word "soul" is often used in the New Testament to refer to what?
42. What are several references where we see the word "soul" used to refer to one's life?

43. James is saying that the person who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save his life from what?

44. What does James mean by the phrase related to “covering a multitude of sins”?

45. Are you concerned when you see Christians wandering from the truth?

46. Fill in the blanks: “...The Lord may want you to be the one who seeks to reach out and restore a straying brother in Christ. Seek to do it with _____, _____, and to do it privately and in _____.”

God did not give you His Word to make you a smarter sinner. He gave you His Word to make you more like His Son. Apply what you learn!

Remember: Your responsibility, by God’s enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Time:

1) Read the following passages and consider how (not method but spiritual condition or attitude) each person died: Hebrews 7:26-27; Acts 5:1-11; Acts 7:54-60; Matthew 27:1-5; 2 Timothy 4:7-8; and Luke 16:19-31

2) If Scripture were still being written and you were to die today and your death was written about, what would that writing look like/highlight?

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TURNING A WANDERER

James 5:19-20

(Series #24)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon “**Turning A Wanderer.**” All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. What is one extremely sad scenario that Pastor Bryan has seen repeated time and time again?
2. Where should a person turn when heartaches hit?
3. It is not uncommon for Christians to go through deep waters and end up doing what?
4. Who was the pastor of the 1st century church in Jerusalem?
5. James was a man with what kind of heart?
6. James was well aware of the fact that these people to whom he wrote this letter were going through what?
7. The recipients of the letter of James were so worn out that they were about to do what?
8. James begins his letter talking about suffering, difficulty and trials. He ends his letter talking about what?
9. James 5:6 may indicate that some of the believers were being what?
10. James encourages and exhorts the believers to do what?
11. James tells the believers to not start doing what (in verse 9)?

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