

# How to Listen to a Sermon

James 1:19-25

(series #8)

**Introduction:** How many sermons have you heard?

- I. Before the Sermon - Prepare vv. 19-21a**
  - A. Have an attitude of humility vv. 19-20
    - 1. Be swift to hear
    - 2. Be slow to speak
    - 3. Be slow to wrath
  - B. Lay aside all sin v. 21a
- II. During the Sermon - Persevere v. 21b**
  - A. Receive the word
  - B. Retain the word
- III. After the Sermon - Practice vv. 22-25**
  - A. Be hearers
  - B. Be doers

**Conclusion:** Matthew 7:24-27; Luke 11:28