

COMPREHENSIVE QUESTIONS
ON THE BOOK OF

JAMES

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JAMES MEMORY WORK

- 1. 1:1-6**
- 2. 1:12-13; 17-18**
- 3. 1:25-27**
- 4. 2:23-26**
- 5. 4:13-15**
- 6. 5:16-18**

JAMES
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CHAPTER ONE

1. How does the author describe himself?
2. To whom is the book addressed/
3. James said, “count it all _____ when you fall into _____ .”
4. Why should we do this?
5. Describe what patience will do for us.
6. What does James 1:5 tell us to ask God for?
7. What is absolutely essential for such a prayer to be answered?
8. How is a doubter described?
9. What should a doubter not suppose?
10. What are some terms that are synonyms for double-mindedness?
11. What is right for a lowly brother that would be unseemly for one well blessed or a man richly blessed?
12. What should the rich or well blessed rejoice in?
13. What illustration does James use to describe the fading of a rich man in his pursuits?
14. James 1:12 says “blessed is the man who _____ .”
15. “For when a man has been _____, he will receive the _____ .”
16. To whom has the Lord promised the crown of life?
17. What does James 1:13 reveal God cannot do?
18. “Nor does He Himself _____ .”
19. One is tempted when he is drawn away by his own _____ .
20. When desire (lust) has conceived it gives birth to _____ .
21. Sin, full grown, brings _____
22. Why should Christians not be deceived by trials, temptations and sin?

23. God is called the Father of _____.
24. Within His nature there is no _____ or even a _____ of turning.
25. How did God beget us or bring us forth into his family? (cf. I Peter 1:23-25) _____

26. God brought us forth that we might be a _____.
27. Since we belong to God, James 1:19 tells us we must do what three things?
28. The wrath of _____ does not produce the _____ of God.
29. Christians must “lay aside all _____ and overflow of _____.”
30. We must with _____ receive the word implanted in our hearts.
31. Because this word is able to do what?
32. One deceives himself if he hears the word of God without being a _____.
33. What illustration does James use to describe the man who hears but does not do?
34. What is the most beautiful concept of rule, whether religious or political found in James 1:25?
35. What is the perfect law of liberty?
36. Name three things we must do toward this perfect law of liberty to be blessed.

37. How can a Christian make his religion vain or useless?
38. Name two urgent requirements in order to practice pure and undefiled religion.

CHAPTER TWO

39. James insists that the faith of our Lord Jesus must not be held with what?
40. What two categories of men does he suggest might attend our assemblies?
41. The illusion to the meeting shows they were often held where?
42. How can we be judges with evil thoughts?

43. "Has not God chosen the _____ of this world to be rich in faith?"
44. Those who are rich in faith are _____ of the kingdom.
45. Whom did James say oppressed the saints and dragged them into court?
46. What did the rich of this world specifically blaspheme?
47. What is the royal law according to the scriptures?
48. What do we do when we show partiality or show respect of persons?
49. "For whoever shall keep the whole law, and yet stumble in one point he is _____."
50. One who does not commit adultery is also obligated to do what?
51. Why must we be careful of our speech and actions?
52. "For _____ is without mercy to the one who has shown no mercy."
53. "_____ triumphs or rejoices over judgement."
54. What does it profit if someone has faith "but does not have _____?"
55. Name the three verses where James says faith without works is dead.
56. What impossible task does James challenge the "faith only advocate" to do?
57. How did James affirm he would show his faith?
58. On the scale of believers with whom are the "faith only" advocates ranked?
59. "But do you want to know _____ man that faith without works is dead?"
60. According to James whom did Abraham offer on the altar?
61. "By _____ faith was made perfect."
62. "Abraham _____ God and it was accounted to him for _____."
63. Abraham was called "_____."
64. "A man is justified by _____ and not by _____."
65. Who was justified because of her faith in action at Jericho's wall?
66. James 2:26 shows that death means _____ not _____.

67. The body plus the spirit equals a living _____ just as faith plus _____ equals a living faith.

CHAPTER THREE

68. Why should Christians be careful about becoming teachers of the word?

69. James affirms we all _____ in many things.

70. “If anyone does not stumble in word he is a _____ (mature) man (Christian).”

71. If one can control his words he is able to “_____.”

72. What small thing do men use to control a horse?

73. What small part of a ship is used to turn it wherever its pilot desires?

74. The tongue is a little member of the body but it boasts _____.

75. “The tongue is a fire, a world of _____.”

76. The tongue “_____ the whole body and sets on fire the _____ of nature.”

77. The tongue is set on fire by _____.

78. List three small things used to compare with the tongue in our bodies.

79. List four classes of creature men have tamed. _____

80. The untamable tongue is an “_____ evil, full of _____.”

81. What grave inconsistency does man commit with his mouth?

82. What does James say ought not to be?

83. How does he answer the question in James 3:11?

84. How can one show he is wise and understanding?

85. What will bitter envy and self-seeking cause one to do?

86. What three words describe wisdom that boasts and lies against the truth?

87. Where envy and self-seeking are found there will be confusion and _____.

88. List eight qualities of the wisdom that is from above. _____; _____;-
_____; _____; _____; _____; _____; _____

89. How and by whom is the fruit of righteousness sown?

CHAPTER FOUR

90. Where do wars (or battles) and fights come from among Christians?

91. What English word comes from the Greek word for lust or pleasures in James 4:1?

92. Name two sins the Christians were violating that were the 6th and 10th commandments under the law. _____; _____.

93. Name two reasons desires were not being fulfilled. _____;
_____.

94. Why were their requests not being answered?

95. In what sense does James use adulterers?

96. "Friendship with the world is _____ with God."

97. Whoever wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an _____ of God.

98. Explain _____ James _____ 4:5:

_____.

99. "God resists the proud but gives _____ to the humble."

100. If we want Satan to flee from us we must do what?

101. If we want God to draw near to us we must do what?

102. God's people according to James 4:8 must do what two things to overcome sin and double-mindedness?

103. James says to the double-minded "_____, and _____ and weep."

104. James says "humble yourself in the sight of God and He will _____."

105. If one speaks evil of a brother he judges (condemns) what?

106. The one lawgiver (God) is able both to _____ and to _____.

107. What does James teach about making a profit?

108. How does James describe the brevity of life?

109. What kind of boasting or rejoicing is evil?

110. Identify James 4:17/

CHAPTER FIVE

111. Why should rich men weep and howl?

112. What had become of their riches and garments?

113. What will witness against rich men?

114. How had these rich men dealt with their laborers?

115. Identify “the Lord of Sabaoth”.

116. Explain “fattened (or nourished) your hearts as in a day of slaughter.”

117. When condemned and murdered how did the just react?

118. “Therefore be _____ brethren, until the coming of the Lord.”

119. What two seasons of rain in Palestine are here spoken of?

120. Whom does James use as his first example of patience in chapter five?

121. What does “the coming of the Lord is near” have reference to in James 5:8?

122. “Do not _____ against one another...lest you be condemned.”

123. Whom does James hold forth as an example of suffering and patience?

124. What man is named as an example of patience or perseverance?

125. Job’s ordeal and his perseverance showed in the end “that the Lord is very _____ and _____.”

126. James says above all do not _____.

127. If one is suffering he should _____.

128. If he is happy he should _____.

129. When one is sick he should call _____ to pray for him.

130. What was the purpose of anointing with oil?

131. The prayer of faith (according to God’s will) will _____.

132. God’s people should confess their trespasses to one another and _____ for one another.

133. The fervent prayer of a _____ avails much.

134. What does “Elijah was a man with a nature like ours” mean?
135. When he prayed for rain not to come what happened?
136. When he prayed for rain from where did it come?
137. If one turns a sinner from the error of his way what two things has he accomplished?
138. James addresses his fellow saints as _____ fourteen times.
139. There are _____ chapters and _____ - verses in the book of James.