

# ✠ Unsheathing the SWORD ✠



## James

**MEMORIZATION – James 5:16 – “The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.”**

### Chapter 1

1. What does the testing of our faith develop?
2. When the man under trial has stood the test what will he receive?
3. True or false: God tempts us.
4. Evil desire conceives and gives birth to \_\_\_\_\_; and when sin is full-grown it gives birth to \_\_\_\_\_.
5. From where does every good and perfect gift come?
6. Match.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Be quick                      a) to become angry  
\_\_\_\_\_ Be slow                        b) to listen  
\_\_\_\_\_ Be slow                        c) to speak
7. According to verse 27 what is pure and faultless religion?

### Chapter 2

1. What “royal law” is quoted in the verses regarding favorites?

2. "In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is \_\_\_\_\_."

3. "Abraham \_\_\_\_\_, and it was credited to him as righteousness..."

Extra credit: Read Genesis 15:1-6.

4. "As the body without the spirit is dead, so \_\_\_\_\_ without \_\_\_\_\_ is dead."

### **Chapter 3**

1. The tongue is like (circle all that apply):

- a) a bit in a horse's mouth
- b) a very small rudder on a large ship
- c) a small spark to a great fire

2. This should make us think before we speak. Write out verse six.

3. The wisdom that comes from heaven is (circle all that apply):

- a) pure
- b) peace-loving
- c) considerate
- d) submissive
- e) full of mercy and good fruit
- f) impartial
- g) sincere

Extra credit: Spend some time thinking about each of these characteristics of being wise. Which are most difficult for you?

### **Chapter 4**

1. According to verse four what is friendship with the world?

Extra credit: a) Read the Old Testament reference for verse six (Proverbs 3:34).

b) See Peter's use of this same verse in 1 Peter 5:5-7.

2. Complete each of the sentences.

a) "Resist the devil, and ..."

b) "Come near to God and ..."

3. Sin is not just the bad that we do – it's the good we don't do. Write out verse 17.

## Chapter 5

1. Is it good news or bad news for the rich people at the beginning of chapter five?

2. List one or two examples given in the text of patience in the face of suffering and perseverance.

3. Match.

\_\_\_\_\_ in trouble

\_\_\_\_\_ happy

\_\_\_\_\_ sick

a) pray and anoint

b) sing songs of praise

c) pray

4. "The prayer of a righteous man is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_."

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