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James 1:13-18

Faith…Live It Out

In Facing Temptation

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Areas of Spiritual Challenge

1. Materialism
2. Pride
3. Self-centeredness
4. Laziness
5. (Tie) Anger/Bitterness and Sexual lust
6. Envy
7. Gluttony
8. Lying

Temptation Tests Our Faith

The true source of our temptation (v. 13-14)

The steps in temptation (v. 15-16)

The solution for temptation (v. 17-18)

Five essentials for victory in trials

- A joyful attitude (v2)
- An understanding mind (v3)
- A surrendering will (v4)
- A humble dependence on God (v5-8)
- A desire to be blessed (v12)

James 1:13-18

Job 40:1-5

Then the LORD said to Job,

2 “Will the faultfinder contend with
the Almighty?
Let him who reproves God answer
it.”

Job 40:1-5

3 Then Job answered the LORD and said,

4 “Behold, I am insignificant; what can I reply to You?
I lay my hand on my mouth.
5 “Once I have spoken, and I will not answer;
Even twice, and I will add nothing more.”









Genesis 3:1-6

Now the serpent was more crafty than any beast of the field which the LORD God had made. And he said to the woman, “Indeed, has God said, ‘You shall not eat from any tree of the garden’?”
The woman said to the serpent, “From the fruit of the trees of the garden we may eat; but from the fruit of the tree which is in the middle of the garden, God has said, ‘You shall not eat from it or touch it, or you will die.’” The serpent said to the woman, “You surely will not die! For God knows that in the day you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.” When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was desirable to make *one* wise, she took from its fruit and ate; and she gave also to her husband with her, and he ate.

1 Corinthians 10:13

No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man; and God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, so that you will be able to endure it.

Philippians 4:8

Finally, brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is of good repute, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, dwell on these things.

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Temptations were more potent when…

81% when they neglected their time with God

57% When they were physically tired

Resisting Temptation by…

84% Praying

76% Avoiding compromising situations

66% Bible study

52% Being accountable to someone else