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Part 2: Temptation

James 1:25 (ESV)- But the one who looks into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing.

REVIEW

- ◆ Don't be surprised by difficulties.
- ◆ Look for the lessons.
- ◆ Let trials do their work (need for God and Growth)
- ◆ Ask for help for what to do in the midst of a trial.

Notes: _____

1. TEMPTATION ACCUSATION

James 1:13 (ESV)- Let no one say when he is tempted, “I am being tempted by God.” for God cannot be tempted with evil, and he himself tempts no one.

2. TEMPTATION EXPLANATION

James 1:14 (ESV)- But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire.

3. TEMPTATION FRUITION

James 1:15 (ESV) Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin, and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death.

4. TEMPTATION SOLUTION

James 1:16-17 (ESV)- Do not be deceived, my beloved brothers. Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.

Life Application Section

A. Don't be surprised by temptation.

James 1:13 (ESV)- Let no one say when he is tempted...

B. Understand your unique temptations.

James 1:14 (ESV)- But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire.

C. Stop it at the source.

James 1:14-15 (ESV) But each person is tempted when he is... enticed by his own desire...when it has conceived gives birth to sin,

D. Look to the future.

James 1:15 (ESV) Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin, and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death.

E. Believe in the better.

James 1:16 (ESV) Do not be deceived, my beloved brothers. Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above

Here Is The Point: There can be victory over temptation...