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Part 7: Wisdom

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

- Strive not to bite.
- ◆ Strive to edify and encourage.
- ◆ Examine what your words reveal.

Notes:	 	 		

1. GODLY WISDOM

James 3:13 (ESV)- Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom.

2. MAN'S WISDOM

James 3:14-15 (ESV)-But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, <u>but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic.</u>

3. MAN'S RESULTS

James 3:16 (ESV)- For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice.

4. GODLY RESULTS

James 3:17-18 (ESV) But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

Life Application Section

A. Learn what God says.

James 3:13 (ESV)- Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom.

B. <u>Trust</u> what God says.

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C. Do what God says.

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D. Examine our lives.

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Here Is The Point: The wisest way to live is God's way!y!