

Behavior of Faith - It Hears The Word

James 1:18-21

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Teacher and Boy Discussion

Our Study – James 1:18-21

Chap 1:1-18 is about . . .

Tests . . . from God's perspective

Trials . . . from our perspective

Chap 1:18-21 about . . .

Another test . . . response to the Word

"Brought Forth By The Word" James 1:18

Means . . .

. . . God gave us spiritual life

Is The Parable Connected?

James 1:19-20

Yes!

v. 20 - 22 . . . calls for a final response

... Therefore

...But

Therefore

v. 19 -20 ... refers to a wrong response to God's Word

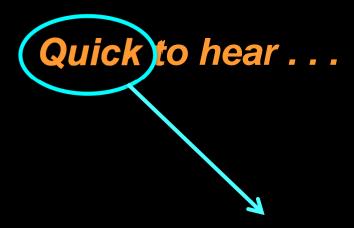
Three Parts To The Warning

James 1:19-20

- 1. Quick to hear
- 2. Slow to speak
- 3. Slow to anger

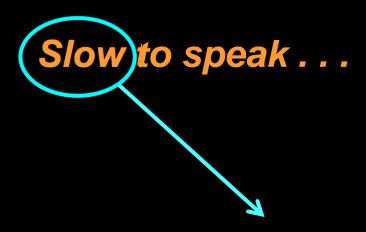
First Warning

James 1:19



Second Warning

James 1:19



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Proverbs & Eccl. On The Tongue

Prov. 17:27

Prov. 18:13

Prov. 21:23

Eccl. 5:2

Third Warning

James 1:19



oργη = "fury, wrath, anger, impulsive response"

Proverbs & Eccl. On Anger

Prov. 14:17, 29

Prov. 19:11

Eccl. 7:9

Anger of Men

James 1:20

Eph. 4:26

Col. 3:8

James 1:21



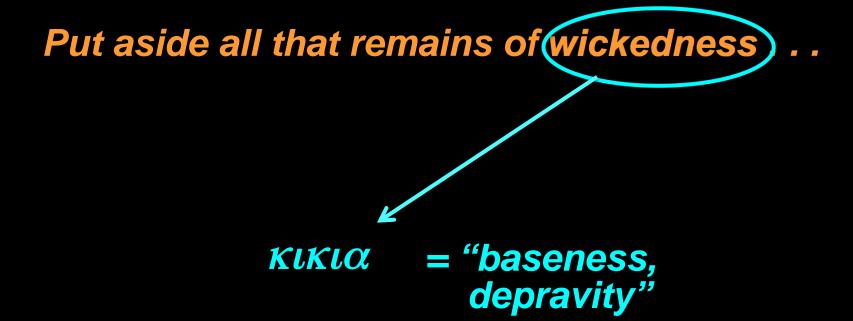
James 1:21



περισσεια = "abundance,"

overflow"

James 1:21



James 1:21



δεχομαι = "to welcome, deliberately receive"

How Shall We Respond?

- 1. Quick to hear
- 2. Slow to speak
- 3. Slow to anger

... eager to learn

... eager to know truth

Then God will piece the puzzle of truth together