

sermon notes

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February 22, 2023 | “Be Doers of the Word” | **James 1:19-27**

1) In James 1:19-21 there is a connection between anger and

**2) In James 1:22-25 we are told to be _____ of the
Word and not hearers only.**

**3) In James 1:26-27, James outlines the difference between
_____ religion and worthless religion.**

Questions for Further Application of God’s Word:

GO DEEPER

James 1:19-27 the focus is on being a doer of the Word and not just a hearer of the Word. In what ways can you be a better doer of the Word? How can you assess your actions in light of this passage? How does your assessment change your actions?

GET PERSONAL

How has your view of applying God’s Word been shaped? Do you see application as an obligation or an act of love?

PUT IT INTO PRACTICE

James 1:22 tells us that we are to be doers of the Word. As you consider your own life, how often do you apply the Word of God? Do you have a small group leader or a mentor to help you understand and apply the Word? If not, who could you reach out to?

ADVANCED QUESTIONS FOR DEEPER STUDY

James creates a connection between hearing, speaking, filthiness, wickedness, and anger. Consider Psalm 37:8 and Proverbs 29:22. Then read Mark 3:3 & 5. Why is Jesus’ anger not sinful? Why does our anger often lead to sin? How should we deal with our anger?