



Outline - Sunday, October 08, 2017

Sermon Title: “Triumphing In Tribulation Together”

Scripture Reading: James 5:12-20

1. **You are being falsely accused** – vs 12/Matt 5:11, 33-37/Acts 9:26-27/Matt 26:60
 - a. Watching frivolous talk that condemns – Prov 10:19/Titus 1:8 – (6-8)
2. **You have come up against the afflictions of life** – vs 13
 - a. There was neglect of and abuse of prayer – James 4:1-3; 1:5-6
3. **Sin has risen up out of the heart** – vs 14/Rev 17:8/John 17:12
 - a. And you are sick – 1 John 5:16-17/Ps 35:12-13; 41:3
 - b. And you are out of fellowship – Heb 10:25-26
4. **You are keenly aware of your faults now** – vs 16a
 - a. “But there is no one around *to mend*” – 1 Cor 1:10/Matt 4:21/Gal 6:1
 - b. “A proper gospel atmosphere – a continual contrite confession of sin” – Hosea 13:1-3
5. **The Prayer – less posture of pride** – Ps 32:4/James 4:1-3
 - a. Thwarts healing in the body – (Church) and restoration
 - b. (Excommunication) – The final solution – 1 Cor 5:1-6
6. **The Pattern of a MATURE believer** – vs 16
 - a. Value – support – and employ the benefits of the body – Eph 4:14-16
 - b. As an *essential part* of your spiritual life – Heb 10:25-26
 - c. To Avoid being *separated* by the *sins of error* – 2 Thess 2:11/2 Peter 3:17-18
7. **The Witness and model of Christ Himself** – vs 16-20
 - a. He told the truth/Falsely Accused – Matt 12:10; 27:37
 - b. He was constantly afflicted/He prayed – Mark 1:35
 - c. He bore sins in His body/He called for the Elders – Matt 26:40-41
 - d. His Prayers were fervent – Heb 5:7/Luke 22:39-44
 - e. He Prevailed/He got up with strength to go to Calvary – Luke 22:45a
 - f. He *mended* the body/by His resurrection – Is 26:19/John 21:15-17