



*The Gospel on the Ground*

# JAMES

## **Community Group Discussion Questions**

**James 1:19-27**

**4.30.17**

### **The Look Back (review from last week)**

1. What's the difference between a trial and a temptation? (Trials come from God and are meant for our good. Temptations come from the inside and will kill us if we act on them.)
2. How do we get wisdom when we need it? (ask and believe)
3. Did anyone act on what they learned last week? Did anyone get to share the gospel this past week?

### **The Look Up (new information to discuss and apply)**

1. Which one of these do you struggle with the most: be quick to hear, be slow to speak, or be slow to become angry?
2. What would it look like in YOUR OWN life if you were more of a “doer” of the Word rather than just a hearer?
3. Why does James say that being a “hearer” only leads to self-deception (v.22)?
4. Do you struggle with taming your tongue?
5. Do you know any widows, orphans, or single parents that you can bless this week? What do you need to do to bless them?

### **The Look Ahead (next week's text)**

1. Read James 2:1-13 out loud.
2. What do you think the sermon will be about next week? Who will you invite to hear the gospel at next week's worship gathering?