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Read James 1 over a few times.

### **Trials are a Normal Part of Life**

What trials are you or your family going through? How can James encourage you through those trials?

What are your trials teaching you about God?

### **Ask God for Wisdom in Trials**

Where do you need God to give you wisdom in your trials? Take some time to ask the Lord for wisdom and He will give it to you.

Are you fearful for something related to a family member? The Lord has access to that person's mind and heart. Pray that He will intervene with him/her.

### **Don't Play Favorites**

James 1:9-11

### **God Cannot be Tempted by Evil!**

James 1: 13 *No one is to say when he is tempted, "I am being tempted by God"; for God cannot be tempted by evil, and He Himself does not tempt anyone.*

With what grid do you view God? Do you feel tempted by God in your trials? Read James 1 again and let the words of His truth wash over you.

When we accept God's mercy, we are then able to extend mercy to those around us (Including our precious children and husbands). Where can you extend mercy today?

How can you be a good listener to your family today? James 1:19-20

What has the Lord spoken to you through James 1 today? Pray that the Lord will give you listening ears and thank Him for His love and comfort toward you.