

That Sums it Up!

Practical statements from James

- James 4:17** *Therefore, to him who knows to do good and does not do it, to him it is sin.*
 - **Luke 10:25-37** Doing the right things requires you _____ what the right things are.
 - Doing the right things requires you have _____.
 - **Luke 9:57-62** Doing the right things requires you have the right _____.
 - **Matt 25:41-46** Going to the right place, requires that you _____ the right things.
- James 1:27** *Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble, and to keep oneself unspotted from the world. NKJV*
 - Notice the importance of the topic, “_____ and undefiled religion.”
 - **Ps 68:5** A _____ of the fatherless, a _____ of widows, Is God in His holy habitation. NKJV
 - **Deut 24:19-** God’s blessing and His curse related to how well His people treated the stranger, the fatherless, and the _____. That’s still true today!
 - Boaz _____ this principle out flawlessly when he took care of Ruth and Naomi.
 - **Col 3:1-11** _____ heavenly things. _____ our minds on things above. _____ on and renew the new man in knowledge. Understand that Christ **is** all and **in** all.
 - **James 1:21** Instead of being spotted by the world, we need to meekly _____ God’s soul saving word into our hearts.
- James 2:26** *For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also. NKJV*
 - God has _____ expected us to demonstrate our faith by our actions.
 - Abraham’s works allow _____ to see his faith. Without his actions, he could never be the father of faith.
 - **James 2:15-17** Our faith is seen by us _____ our physical provisions with others. (Matt 25:31-46)
- James 3:18** *Now the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. NKJV*
 - Righteousness produces the same fruit that pure and undefiled religion produces: good _____.
 - **Matt 5:9** *Blessed are the peacemakers, For they shall be called _____ of God. NKJV*
 - Righteousness produces peace, and peace is the perfect environment for righteousness to flourish.
- James 5:19-20** *Brethren, if anyone among you wanders from the truth, and someone turns him back, 20 let him know that he who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save a soul from death and cover a multitude of sins. NKJV*
 - James notes that some _____ wander from the truth.
 - God uses us to _____ one another get to heaven.

Self-Reflection - Application

- What, if anything, makes you think like the world? Remove it from your life.
- Come up with three things you know you should be doing. Do one of them this week. Add another next week. Try adding something every week until your life is filled with the fruit of righteousness.