

Be Doers of the Word
January 8, 2023 – James 1:9-15
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1. What is this passage telling me about who God is?
2. What does it tell me about the original audience, or about the nature of sin?
3. What themes do I see here, and how do any of those connect with what I am currently facing?
4. What actions are being commanded, encouraged, celebrated, prohibited, or warned against?
5. What am I challenged, encouraged, affirmed, or rebuked by here?

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1. How do my actions, thoughts, words or emotions need to change in light of this passage?
2. What do I need to repent of or confess to God? What do I need to confess to someone else?
3. How does my prayer life need to change as a result of this?
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