

INTRODUCTION TO THE LETTER OF JAMES

The Life of James

Matthew 13:55-56; Galatians 1:19; John 7:3-5
Mark 6:4; Acts 1:13-14; 1 Corinthians 15:3-7

The Letter of James

James 1:1; Romans 3:28; James 2:24; Galatians 5:6
Philippians 2:5-7; Mark 10:43-45; James 1:5

1. *“Is not this the carpenter’s son? Is not his mother called Mary? And are not his _____ James and Joseph and Simon and Judas?”* Matthew 13:55
2. The Gospel According to Mark, written between 50 and 60 AD, recorded Jesus’ rejection in Nazareth. *“And Jesus said to them, ‘A _____ is not without honor, except in his hometown and among his relatives and in his own household.’”* Mark 6:4
3. Without the Holy Spirit breathing life into a person’s soul, no preaching, or witnessing or miracles will _____ that person of the reality of who Jesus Christ is.
4. The Council of Jerusalem recorded in chapter 15 of Acts took place in 50 AD, which was _____ James wrote his letter. Luke wrote the Acts of the Apostles around 62 AD.
5. James was convicted of heresy and stoned by the council convened by Ananias in ____ AD. James’ death preceded the writings of most of the books found in the New Testament.
6. The focus of James letter was not on how to _____ a Christian but rather on how to live and advance in holiness. This involved the ethical implications of faithfulness in living out the gospel.
7. *“James, a _____ of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ, to the twelve tribes in the Dispersion: Greetings.”* James 1:1
8. *“Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but _____ himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.”* Philippians 2:5-7
9. *“Whoever would be great among you must be your servant, and whoever would be first among you must be _____ of all. For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”* Mark 10:43-45
10. *“If any of you lacks _____, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.”* James 1:5

THIS WEEK, April 24 - 30, 2017:

Tuesday: CareNet Annual Fundraising Banquet

6:00 pm, Albuquerque Marriott Pyramid North

Wednesday: Music Practice, 2:00 pm, Joyce's home

Friday: Women's Bible Study - *Why I Am A Christian*

by John Stott, chapter 3 review

10:00 - 11:30 am, East Mountain Library

Sunday: Sunday Service & Building Fund Offering

10:00 am, LVCC

COMING UP IN MAY & JUNE:



"Thank you!" to these EMFP volunteers:

Traylor Family, Myers Family- May 6th

Semler Family, Joyce- May 20th

PLEASE help us to keep our commitment to this ministry by signing up at least once every quarter!



Women's Bible Study - *Why I Am A Christian*

May 12th & 26th, 10:00 - 11:30 am, East

Mountain Library



FAMILY CAMPOUT - June 2- 4, Manzano

State Park. The group shelter area is

reserved for tent camping and our Sunday

service. Parking fee is \$10/night per vehicle. Donations to cover the reservation fee are appreciated.



CANYON BIBLE CHURCH

PO Box 1674, Tijeras, NM 87059-1674

www.canyonbible.org

Bill Butler, Pastor (505) 228-2609 Bill@CanyonBible.org

David Smith, Deacon (505) 286-2802 David@CanyonBible.org

Leland Traylor, Worship Leader (505) 599-0549 traylorhouse@msn.com