A piece of white paper is torn from the top left corner of a dark blue, textured background. The paper is partially unrolled, showing a cylindrical shape on the right side. The text "James 1:19-27" is printed in blue on the white paper.

James
1:19-27

Trials

Part 4

**Respond to
the Word**

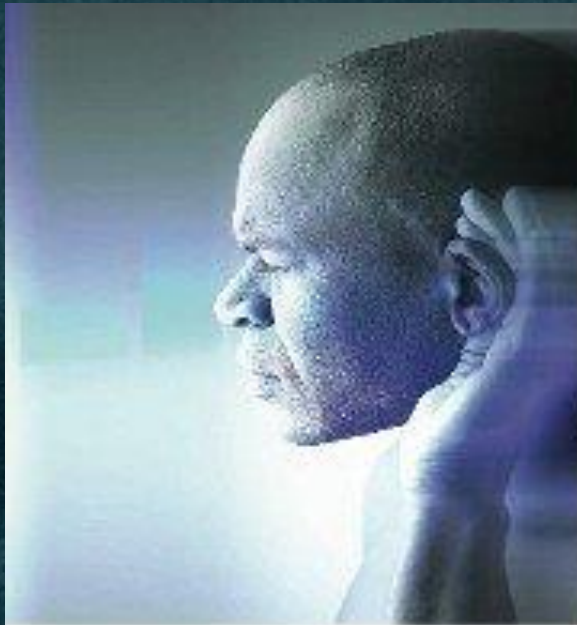
Review – James 1:1-11

- Proper view of God (Master)
- Proper view of believer (slave)
- Receive trials with joy because they mature us in Christ
- Pray for wisdom and be humble
- The Length of Trials
- The Source of Trials
- The Ultimate Purpose of the Trial

Today's Outline – James 1:19-27

- Hear the Word
- Receive the Word
- Do the Word

Hear the Word (v19)



swift to hear



slow to speak



slow to wrath

Hear the Word (v19)



Receive the Word (v 21)

- **Filthiness** – *rhyparia* (to defile, dishonour)
- **Abundance** – *perisseia* (superiority, preference, pre-eminence)
- **Wickedness** – *kakia* (wickedness that is not ashamed to break laws)

Receive the Word (v 21)

- **Meekness** – *praÿtēs* (mildness of disposition, gentleness of spirit)
- **Implanted** – *emphytos* (inborn, implanted by nature, implanted by others instruction)

This is a call to sanctification!

Receive the Word (v 22)

- This is **NOT** a works based initial salvation
- It is a call to sanctification
- It's not just knowing the right answer
- Feeling Bad about it is simply not enough
- We Must Take Steps of Faith in Obedience

Receive the Word (v 23-25)

- Careful study with a heart to implement truth



Before You Speak **T.H.I.N.K**

“T” is it True? (Biblical)

“H” is it Helpful?

“I” is it Inspiring?

“N” is it Necessary?

“K” is it Kind?

If the answer is NO to any of the above questions you may need to remain altogether silent

Receive the Word (v 27)

Visit – *episkeptomai*

1) to look upon in order to help or to benefit

b) to look after, have care for, provide for: of God

Receive the Word (v 27)

Unspotted – *aspilos*

1) spotless

2) metaph.

a) free from censure, irreproachable

b) free from vice, unsullied

spotlessly clean and fresh;

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