SECTION 1

ALLIANCE MEN



LIVIN' THE WORD

MEN'S RETREAT


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LIVIN' THE WORD
TUNE IN.

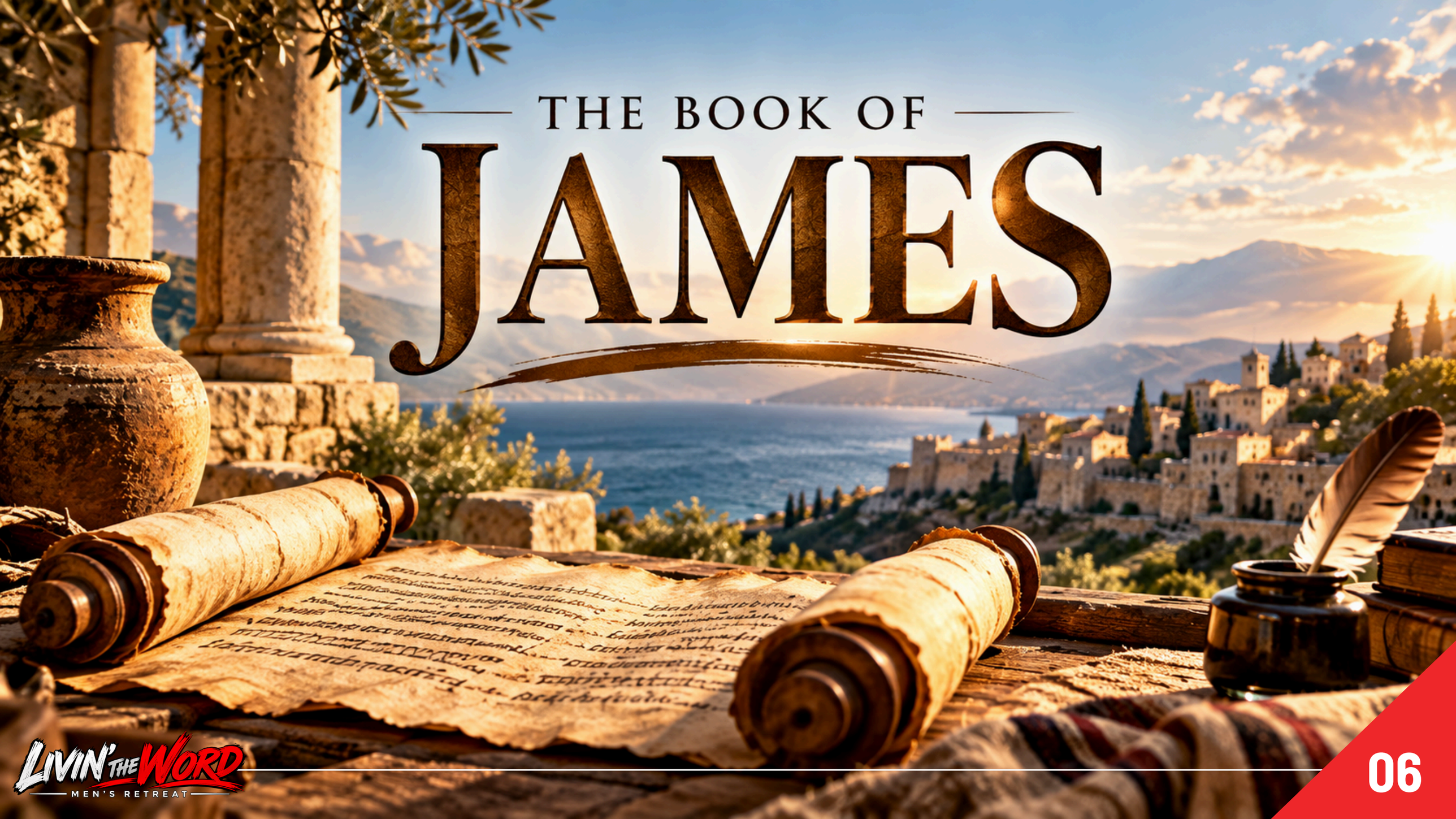
JAMES | YAKAUNPAUS 1:19-21

19-“Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger; 20-for the anger of man does not produce the righteousness of God. 21-Therefore put away all filthiness and rampant wickedness and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls.”

JAMES | YAKAUNPAUS 1:19-21

19-“Cov kwvtij uas kuv hlub, nej yuavtsum ncontsoov li no: txhua tus yuavtsum maj mloog, tiamsis tsis txhob maj hais, thiab tsis txhob maj npautaws. 20-Rauqhov neeg txoj kev npautaws yeej ua tsis tau kom Vajtswv txoj kev ncajncees tshwm tau tuaj. 21-Yogli ntawd, nej yuavtsum tso nej tej kev phem kev qias txhua yam povtseg. Nej ciali txaussiab hlo khaws nkaus Vajtswv tej lus uas Nws muab cog rau hauv nej lub siab lawm cia. Tej lus ntawd muaj peevxwm pab tau kom nej dim.”


SOMETIMES THERE IS
SIMPLY TOO MUCH NOISE.



LIVIN' THE WORD
MEN'S RETREAT

BEFORE YOU CAN LIVE THE WORD, YOU MUST RECEIVE THE WORD.

GIVE GOD YOUR E.A.R.

MUAB KOJ LUB POB NTSEG RAU VAJTSWV

E ENGAGE
YOUR EARS

Tig Poj Ntseg Los Mloog



"Quick to hear."
— James 1:19

A ABANDON
WHAT CONTAMINATES

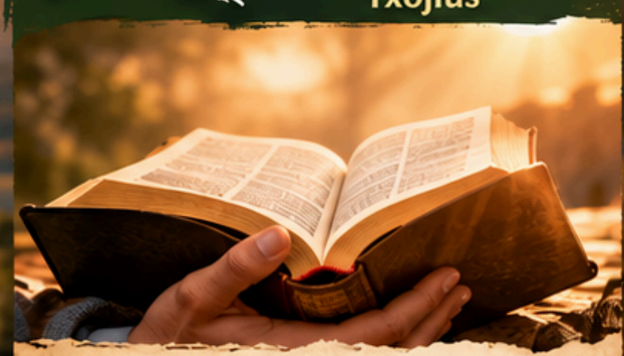
Tso Tseg Tej Yam Tsis Huv



"Put away all filthines…"
— James 1:21

R RECEIVE
THE WORD

Txais Yuav Vajtswv Txojlus



"Receive with meekness the implanted word…"
— James 1:21

LIVIN' THE WORD
MEN'S RETREAT

E — ENGAGE YOUR EARS | *TIG POB NTSEG LOS MLOOG ZOO*

JAMES | YAKAUNPAUS 1:19

“Let every person **be quick to hear**, slow to speak, slow to anger;

*txhua tus **yuavtsum maj mloog**, tiamsis tsis txhob maj hais, thiab tsis txhob maj npautaws.*

E – ENGAGE YOUR EARS | *TIG POB NTSEG LOS MLOOG ZOO*

“HEAR”|*Mloog*

The Greek word translated “**hear**” is ***akouō***.

It means:

- to hear | *hnov*
- to listen | *mloog*
- to give attention to what is being said

SOUND CAN REACH YOUR EARS
WITHOUT TRUTH REACHING YOUR HEART.

E — ENGAGE YOUR EARS | *TIG POB NTSEG LOS MLOOG ZOO*

“BE QUICK TO HEAR”|*Maj Mloog*

It means:

- We **ZOOM IN.** | *Peb saib kom ze.*
- We focus. | *Peb tsom rau qhov ntawd.*
- We pay attention. | *Peb muab siab rau saib.*

WE GET TUNED IN. | *Peb tsom kwm kom nkag siab.*

TO ENGAGE YOUR EARS MEANS TO TUNE IN AND PAY ATTENTION.

E — ENGAGE YOUR EARS | *TIG POB NTSEG LOS MLOOG ZOO*

WHAT WE PAY ATTENTION TO REVEALS WHAT WE VALUE.

IF YOU'RE TUNED IN: | *YOG KOJ TIG POB NTSEG LOS MLOOG ZOO*

- You’re TEACHABLE
- You VALUE Your FAMILY
- You NOTICE what your FAMILY is going through
- You PAY ATTENTION to your FAMILY'S spiritual formation


PRIDE
ANGER
BITTERNESS
LUST
UNFORGIVENESS
GOD'S VOICE
SECRET SIN
WORLDLY DISTRACTIONS

A — ABANDON WHAT CONTAMINATES |

TSO TSEG TEJ YAM TSIS HUV

JAMES | YAKAUNPAUS 1:21

"Therefore **put away all filthiness and rampant wickedness**…"

*Yogli ntawd, nej yuavtsum tso nej tej **kev phem kev qias txhua yam povtseg**...*

"PUT IT AWAY" | *TSO POV TSEG*

A — ABANDON WHAT CONTAMINATES |

TSO TSEG TEJ YAM TSIS HUV

“PUT AWAY”|*Muab Pov Tseg*

The expression comes from the Greek ***apotithēmi***.

It means:

- lay aside, | *Tso rau ntawm ib sab (muab tso tseg)*
- put off, | *Ncua sijhawm*
- or remove something. | *muab tshem tawm*

THERE ARE SPIRITUAL THINGS THAT A MAN MUST TAKE OFF.

A — ABANDON WHAT CONTAMINATES |

TSO TSEG TEJ YAM TSIS HUV

WHAT IS "ALL FILTHINESS"?

The expression comes from the Greek ***rhyparia***.

It means:

- Dirtiness, | *Kev qias neeg,*
- filth, | *kev tsis huv,*
- moral impurity, or | *kev coj tsis dawb huv*
- moral defilement. | *kev txhaum ua rau lub neej tsis huv.*

The word can describe **physical dirtiness**, but James uses it figuratively for **moral and spiritual uncleanness.**

A — ABANDON WHAT CONTAMINATES

TSO TSEG TEJ YAM TSIS HUV

WHAT IS "RAMPANT WICKEDNESS"?

In Greek ***perisseia kakias,*** it means:

- perisseia = abundance, excess, or overflowing quantity
- kakias = evil, wickedness, malice, or moral badness

Together, the expression can be understood as an abundance (overflow) or excess of wickedness.

Filthiness = empphasizes moral uncleness
Rampant wickedness = the abundance of evil



Some things cannot remain in your life if you're serious about spiritual growth.

James says:

PUT IT AWAY.

And

ABANDON IT.

R — RECEIVE THE WORD | *TXAIS TXOJLUS*

JAMES | YAKAUNPAUS 1:21

"And **receive** with meekness the **implanted** word, which is able to save your souls."

*Nej ciali txaussiab hlo **khaws nkaus** Vajtswv tej lus uas Nws **muab cog** rau hauv nej lub siab lawm cia. Tej lus ntawd muaj peevxwm pab tau kom nej dim.*

RECEIVE | IMPLANTED

R — RECEIVE THE WORD | *TXAIS TXOJLUS*

“RECEIVE”|*Txais, Khaws*

The Greek word translated “**receive**” is ***dechomai***.

It means:

- to receive | *txais*
- welcome | *txais tos*
- accept | *lees txais*



WELCOME THE WORD

R — RECEIVE THE WORD | *TXAIS TXOJLUS*

“IMPLANTED”| ***Muab Cog Rau Hauv***

The Greek word translated “**implanted**” is ***emphytos***.

It means:

- implanted | *txais*
- engrafted | *xais tos*
- rooted within | *cog tob rau sab hauv*
- **planted or established within**

RECEIVE THE IMPLANTED WORD


THERE IS ONE THING
THAT SEED WILL
NEVER DO WHILE
SITTING IN YOUR HAND.
IT WILL NEVER
PRODUCE FRUIT.

R — RECEIVE THE WORD | *TXAIS TXOJLUS*

“RECEIVE IT WITH MEEKNESS”| *TXAIS NTAWM LUB SIAB MOS MUAG*

The Greek word translated “**meekness**” is ***prautes***.

It means:

- gentleness | *Kev mos muag*
- humility | *kev txo hwj chim*
- a teachable posture | *lub siab npaj txhij kawm*

REMOVE WHAT CONTAMINATES.

WELCOME WHAT TRANSFORMS.

R — RECEIVE THE WORD | *TXAIS TXOJLUS*

E — ENGAGE: What is God trying to say to me?

Vajtswv hais dabtsi rau kuv?

A — ABANDON: What is God telling me to remove?

Vajtswv hais kom kuv tso tseg dabtsi?

R — RECEIVE: What truth does God want planted deeply within me?

Kuv yuav cog dabtsi uas yog qhov tseeb hauv kuv lub neej?

"THAT WAS A GOOD SERMON."

"GOD SPOKE TO ME."

R — RECEIVE THE WORD | *TXAIS TXOJLUS*

GIVE GOD YOUR E.A.R.

- **E — ENGAGE your ears. : “Lord, I'm listening.”**
- **A — ABANDON what contaminates. : “Lord, I'm letting it go.”**
- **R — RECEIVE the Word. : “Lord, plant Your truth deeply in me.”**

Because: “Before you can live the Word, you must receive the Word.”


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