



## James: Faith that Works

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### Humility As a Way of Life

James 4:1-17

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**Theme:** In James 4:1-17 James talks about the pattern of life that will result in joy and contentment and a right relationship with God. It all comes down to humility, which means recognizing our true place in the world in relationship to God, ourselves and others.

#### **Outline:**

1. Be Content Rather than Envious, vv. 1-3

2. Pursue God's Values over the World's, vv. 4-6

3. Submit to God's Will rather than Satan's, vv. 7-10

4. Avoid Slandering and Judging Others, vv. 11-12

5. Acknowledge God as Lord of Life, vv. 13-17

**Takeaway:** A life of humility means acknowledging both our high status as children of God created in His image, and our brokenness, desperately in need of God's grace.

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James 5:1-6