

MAN IN THE MIRROR

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Just as a mirror reveals how we appear on the outside, the word of God reveals what we are on the inside.

You Make That Change By...

1. Gazing and not just glancing at God's word.

To Gaze means...

To stare or look intently at something.

To Glance means...

To take a quick, brief, cursory look at something.

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2. Remembering and not forgetting God's word.

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3. Obeying and not just hearing God's word.

But he who looks into the perfect law of liberty and continues in it, and is not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the work, this one will be blessed in what he does. James 1:25 (NKJV)

