

Temptations November 17, 2019

James 1:2-4, 9-15

- 1. You Sin Because You Want To
- 2. Resisting Temptation Requires <u>More Than a Change of Behavior</u> Hebrews 11:24-25 1 Timothy 6:10-11
- 3. Resisting Temptation Requires <u>Spiritual Passion</u> Luke 4:1-13

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¹² So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall! ¹³ No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.

1 Corinthians 10:12-13

- 1. What are some examples from culture or your own life of people failing morally, ehtically, or financially? How many people were hurt by their actions?
- 2. When you are facing temptation, what are three things to remember from 1 Corinthians 10:12-13?
- 3. When tempted, why is it important to ask yourself, "What is the desire within me I am tempted to satisfy with this sin?"
- 4. Why is resisting temptation not just a matter of trying harder?
- 5. How would resisting temptation enable you to love God and others more fully?