

**New Life Community Church  
Life Lines  
Series: New Testament Church Life  
The Epistle of James  
A Practical Guide for Genuine Faith in Tough Times  
Do You Have A Teachable Spirit?**

**SCRIPTURE READING: James 1:16- 2**  
**Truths The Tough Times Tell:**

How faith responds in \_\_\_\_\_ (James 1:2-12)

How faith responds to \_\_\_\_\_ (James 1:13-15)

How faith responds to \_\_\_\_\_  
(James 1:16-21)

I. \_\_\_\_\_ Test the \_\_\_\_\_ of our \_\_\_\_\_ (James 1:2)

1. Saving faith vs. \_\_\_\_\_ faith (James 2:17)

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2. Saving faith vs. \_\_\_\_\_ faith (James 2:19)

3. Saving faith vs. \_\_\_\_\_ faith (James 1:22; 2  
Corinthians 13:5)

4. True Faith will be \_\_\_\_\_ to the Word  
(James 1:21)

**The only way we can truly benefit from trials is to have a right relationship with the Word of God.**

**Contrast the attitudes and responsiveness to the Word of those who believe and those who do not (Psalm 119):**

**II. Those with a \_\_\_\_\_ will:**

**1. \_\_\_\_\_ the Word of God  
(Psalm 119:72,127,11)**

**2. \_\_\_\_\_ for the Word (Job 23:12; Psalm 119:103,  
1 Peter 2:2; Psalm 42:1)**

**3. \_\_\_\_\_ the Word (Be \_\_\_\_\_ to hear, \_\_\_\_\_  
to speak; \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_; James 1:19; 2 Timothy  
2:15; James 3:1; Galatians 4:13)**

**4. \_\_\_\_\_ the Word (James 1:22-25)**

Is there any...

S- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

P- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

A- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

C- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

E- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

P- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

E- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

T- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

S- \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_?

5. \_\_\_\_\_ the Word (1 Thessalonians 2:13)