

FAITH THAT WORKS / *James 2:14*

James offers a larger number of similarities to the Sermon on the Mount than any other book in the New Testament. James relied heavily on Jesus' teachings.

Lesson

Whenever trouble comes your way, be joyful.

When your endurance is fully developed, you will be strong in character and ready for anything.

Ask God, and he will answer.

Those who are poor (who don't amount to much by the world's standards) should be glad, for God has honored them.

Watch out for your anger. . . . It can be dangerous.

Be merciful to others, as God is merciful to you.

Your faith must express itself in your actions.

Blessed are the peacemakers; they plant in peace and reap a harvest of goodness.

Friendship with the world makes you an enemy of God.

When you humble yourself and realize your dependence on God, he will lift you up.

Don't speak evil against each other. If you do, you are criticizing God's law.

Treasures on earth will only rot away and be eaten by moths. Store up eternal treasures in heaven.

Be patient in suffering, as God's prophets were patient.

Be honest in your speech; just say a simple yes or no so that you will not sin.

Reference

James 1:2
Matthew 5:10-12

James 1:4
Matthew 5:48

James 1:5; 5:15
Matthew 7:7-12

James 1:9
Matthew 5:3

James 1:20
Matthew 5:22

James 2:13
Matthew 5:7; 6:14

James 2:14-16
Matthew 7:21-23

James 3:17-18
Matthew 5:9

James 4:4
Matthew 6:24

James 4:10
Matthew 5:3-4

James 4:11
Matthew 7:1-2

James 5:2-3
Matthew 6:19

James 5:10
Matthew 5:12

James 5:12
Matthew 5:33-37