



## “Growing in Submission”

James 4:6-12

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1. \_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord Vs 6-7a  
 “So give yourselves completely to God...” (NCV)  
**Result: He will give \_\_\_\_\_ to you**  
*Luke 14:27*
  
2. \_\_\_\_\_ the Enemy Vs 7b  
 “...Resist the devil and he will flee from you.”  
**Result: he will \_\_\_\_\_ from you**  
*Ephesians 2:1-3; 4:26-27 (NCV); 1 Peter 5:8-9; Ephesians 6:13-14; 1 John 4:4; 2:15-17*
  
3. **Draw Near to the Lord** Vs 8-9  
**Result: He will draw near to you & forgive you**
  - ✓ **Restore Worship as a Priority**  
 V s 8a “Draw near to God...”  
*Ephesians 2:13; Jeremiah 29;13 Luke 15:20; Psalm 73:28; 145:18*
  - ✓ **Renounce Sinful \_\_\_\_\_** V s 8b  
 “...clean sin out of your lives...” NCV  
*Psalm 24:3-4*
  - ✓ **Reject Sinful \_\_\_\_\_** V s 8c  
 “...You who are trying to follow God & the world at the same time, make your thinking pure” NCV  
*Psalm 51:1-12*

- ✓ **Respond to Sin with \_\_\_\_\_** Vs 9a  
 “...Let there be tears for what you have done. Let there be sorrow and deep grief...” NLT  
*Luke 18:13; 2 Corinthians 7:10; Psalm 51:17*
  
- ✓ **Refuse to have a flippant attitude toward sin** Vs 9b  
 “...Let there be sadness instead of laughter and gloom instead of joy.” NLT  
*Proverbs 14:9; Luke 6:21,25; Lamentations 5:15-16*
  
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ yourself before the Lord Vs 6,10  
**Result: He will honor you at the \_\_\_\_\_**  
 “Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will lift you up in honor.” (NLT) “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.” (NLT)  
*Isaiah 6:5; 2 Chronicles 7:14, Psalm 10:17; Matthew 23:12; Isaiah 66:2 (NLT); Psalm 34:18 (LB); Luke 18:14*
  
- 5. **Do not \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_** Vs 11-12  
**Result: He is the Judge and will take care of it**  
*Leviticus 19:16; Psalm 15:3; 50:19-20*
  - ✓ **God’s \_\_\_\_\_ commands us not to**  
*Matthew 7:1-5; 22:37-40*
  - ✓ **It’s God’s place and not ours**  
*Isaiah 33:22; Romans 12:3;14:4; 2:1-4*
  - ✓ **God calls us to \_\_\_\_\_ sinful actions**  
*Matthew 18:15-17; 1 Corinthians 5:1-5*