

# DIVE

A daily study guide for those wanting to go deeper

Use this guide as a personal study or a family devotion. Pray before you start and ask God you help you understand what He wants you to learn. Be faithful to study and pray daily and you will be surprised just how much you will grow.

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## MONDAY

### **READ JAMES 2:14-18**

Why must deeds be a direct result of faith?

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If deeds are a reflection of faith, how strong is your faith? Why?

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In what ways today can you honor God and not yourself with deeds?

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## TUESDAY

### **READ JAMES 2:19-24**

What has God prompted you to do? Have you followed through?

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Why do think God desires action from us?

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In what ways today can you receive "credit"?

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## WEDNESDAY

### **READ JAMES 2:25-26**

Challenge: Dig in and create a small Bio of Rahab.

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Why would Rahab have a submissive heart? Do you?

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In what ways today can you submit to God? Do you want to also?

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## Study Tips:

- Pray before you start. Jesus is called the Word so how better to know Him that to study the word? Ask Him to help you understand and know Him better.
- Highlight and note. Don't be afraid to note your victories and struggles in your Bible. Highlight passages that are especially meaningful to you. These may be a great help later when you need them.
- Look up related passages. The time you invest in understanding the Word as a whole will multiply your devotion and faith. Go Deep!

## THURSDAY

### READ JAMES 3:1-2

List your spiritual struggles? Do they keep you from a deeper faith?

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If we all stumble, what point is there in trying to live perfect?

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In what ways can you work to conquer your list above?

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## FRIDAY

### READ JAMES 3:3-6

Describe how the church might be torn down by the tongue.

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Describe how the church could be built up with the tongue.

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In what ways today can your "rudder" lead you into living waters?

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## SATURDAY

### RE-READ JAMES 3:3-6

List ways that you have not controlled your mouth lately.

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What should you do about it? (If you are perfect, skip this question.)

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In what ways today can you extinguish the sparks that cause fires?

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