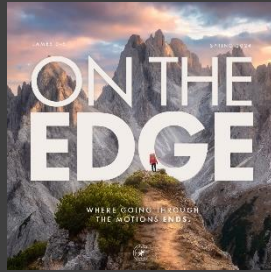


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LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS



ON THE EDGE

BOAST OR FOLLOW

James 4:13-17

Live your everyday for Jesus.

Three ways to live your everyday for Jesus:

- 1) Do not assume tomorrow
- 2) Live daily trusting Jesus
- 3) Take advantage of today

USE THE SPACE BELOW FOR ADDITIONAL NOTES ON TODAY'S MESSAGE



QUICK REVIEW

- 1) Looking back at your notes from Sunday's message, was there anything you heard for the first time, caught your attention, challenged or confused you?
- 2) Reread James 4:13-17. What is the issue here with making plans for the future? Is it wrong to make plans?
- 3) What does verse 16 mean by "you boast in your arrogance" and why does James call it evil?

MY STORY

- 4) When you make your plans for the future, do you consider God's will, or do you just make plans without much thought of God and then assume (or expect) God will bless them?
- 5) This life is like a mist – but eternity is, well, *eternal* – it's forever! Considering God in our plans is living with eternity in mind – not just your eternity but your family's eternity, your loved ones' eternity. Do you do this? How does it change the way you live and the plans you make?
- 6) James 4:17 might expand our understanding of sin; it's not just **doing** the **wrong** thing, it's **not** doing the **right** thing. Have you ever found yourself convicted about not doing something you know you should have done?

DIGGING DEEPER

Read Ephesians 2:8-10

7) What does verse 10 tell us about why we were created and what is expected of us? How can we discern the “good works”?

8) Do you consider what “good works” God would have you do or do you think much about that? What do these good works have to do with our salvation?

Read Romans 12:1-2

9) What does it mean to be a “living sacrifice”? Have you ever considered that living your life could be an act of worship?

10) Why do we need to have “renewed” minds in order to **not** conform to the world? How does this happen? How does it impact the way we view the world and how we live our lives?