



How To Not Run A Red Light

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James 1:13-18

- ▶ ¹³ When tempted, no one should say, “God is tempting me.” For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone; ¹⁴ but each person is tempted when they are dragged away by their own evil desire and enticed. ¹⁵ Then, after desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, gives birth to death.

James 1:13-18

- ▶ ¹⁶ Don't be deceived, my dear brothers and sisters. ¹⁷ Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows. ¹⁸ He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all he created.

Temptation Arises From Within



The Remedy Is The Character Of God

▶ God Is Good

Psalm 119:68

- ▶ You are good, and what you do is good;
teach me your decrees.

Psalm 34:8

► Taste and see that the LORD is good;
blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.

Habakkuk 1:13

- ▶ Your eyes are too pure to look on evil;
you cannot tolerate wrongdoing.
Why then do you tolerate the treacherous?
Why are you silent while the wicked
swallow up those more righteous than
themselves?

The Remedy Is The Character Of God

- ▶ God Is Good
- ▶ God Is Always The Same

Malachi 3:6

- ▶ “I the LORD do not change. So you, the descendants of Jacob, are not destroyed.

Psalms 102:25-27

- ▶ ²⁵ In the beginning you laid the foundations of the earth,
and the heavens are the work of your hands.
- ²⁶ They will perish, but you remain;
they will all wear out like a garment.
Like clothing you will change them
and they will be discarded.
- ²⁷ But you remain the same,
and your years will never end.

Conclusion

