Blessed ife Now

James 1:21-27

- ²¹ Therefore, get rid of all moral filth and the evil that is so prevalent and humbly accept the word planted in you, which can save you.
- ²² Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.

James 1:21-27

• ²³ Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror ²⁴ and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like. ²⁵ But whoever looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues in it—not forgetting what they have heard, but doing it—they will be blessed in what they do.

James 1:21-27

• ²⁶ Those who consider themselves religious and yet do not keep a tight rein on their tongues deceive themselves, and their religion is worthless. ²⁷ Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.

The Word That Saves Is In You

Romans 1:16

• ¹⁶ For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.

I Corinthians 15:2

• ² By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain.

Humbly Accept The Word

Zephaniah 3:2

 She obeys no one, she accepts no correction.
She does not trust in the LORD, she does not draw near to her God.

Ephesians 4:22-24

• ²² You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; ²³ to be made new in the attitude of your minds; ²⁴ and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

Ephesians 4:29

• ²⁹ Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.

Mark 2:27

• ²⁷ Then he said to them, "The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath."

Ezekiel 36:26-27

• ²⁶ I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. ²⁷ And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.

Accepting The Word Assures You Will Be Blessed