



LIVING FAITH

A STUDY OF THE
BOOK OF JAMES



HAPPY
Mother's
Day!

She is clothed with strength and dignity,
and she laughs without fear of the future.

PROVERBS 31:25

JAMES 5:19-20

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James 1:13-15

“Let no one say when he is tempted, I am being tempted by God, for God cannot be tempted with evil, and he himself tempts no one. But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire. Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death.”

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1 Corinthians 11:30

“For this reason many among you are weak and sick, and a number sleep”

Hebrews 2:1

“For this reason we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, so that we do not drift away from it.”

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**“It’s the responsibility of all
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Galatians 6:1

Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself lest you too be tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ."

Matthew 18:15

“If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault, between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have gained your brother.”

Matthew 5:23-24

“Therefore if you are presenting your offering at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your offering there before the altar and go; first be reconciled to your brother, and then come and present your offering.”

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Luke 15:21

“And the son said to him, ‘Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you, I am no longer worthy to be called your son,’ But the father said to his servants, ‘Bring quickly the best robe, and put it on him, and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet, And bring the fattened calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate. For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost and is found.’ And they began to celebrate”



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1. Are there some areas in your life that you can recognize you're wandering?
2. Is there someone who you know is struggling who you could try to connect with and help restore?
3. Is there someone in your life who has helped bring you back and who God is leading you to thank today?

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