

**Giving God the Blue Pencil**

**Scripture References:** James 4:13-17; James 4:3; 1 Peter 5:5-7; James 4:14-16; Luke 6:46; Psalm 25:8-9; Revelation 3:16-17; John 17:17; 2 Timothy 3:16-17; Romans 12:2; 1 Timothy 4:7-8; Philippians 2:12-13; Titus 2:11-14; Matthew 5:16; 1 Peter 2:11-12; Titus 2:9-10; Luke 22:42; 2 Peter 1:3; 2 Corinthians 12:9-10

**Notes:****Application:**

"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says." James 1:22

- Have you made time to seek God's will for specific areas in your life that need transformation? If not, why not? Will you? When?
- As you read God's Word, pray, and seek counsel from other believers, ask God to show you at least one area in your life where you can "exercise yourself unto Godliness".
- What specific actions do you need to take to "work out your salvation" in this area of your life? What changes need to be made? What habits need to be broken? What habits need to be created? How can other believers assist you in this area?