

Bible Study Questions for Week 7

James 3: 13- 18

1. What is the relationship between wisdom and understanding?
2. What are the characteristics of earthly wisdom? What are the characteristics of wisdom from above?
3. Who in your mind, is a wise person? Why do you think this?
4. Why does wisdom need to be gentle?
5. What affect can bitter jealousy and selfish ambition have on a person's life?
6. Do any of the following items tempt you to be jealous? A) people with more money B) Smart people with more education C) people with a more loving family D) good health E) people with a rewarding careers F) Good speaking ability G) other. How can you guard against jealousy?
7. In James 2:19 he talks about demonic faith. Now he talks about demonic wisdom. What would be an example of demonic wisdom in our day?
8. How can we discern if the wisdom we have is earthly or from God?
9. Questions from your workbook: In what ways can Christians be jealous of each other? Growing Christians should have spiritual ambitions. What are some of your spiritual ambitions? How can you keep those ambitions from causing disorder?