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FBC LIVE SS CLASS
ALWAYS LEARNING…IN THE BOOK OF JAMES
Lesson 3: James 3

ALWAYS LEARNING BY
1. Seeking God first.
   A. Set aside some time before you begin this lesson to read Proverbs 8. Try reading it out loud, prayerfully, asking the Lord to teach you His truths.
   *What did you learn?

II. Studying His Word.
   A. What do these verses say about teachers? Make it simple. I’ll get you started.
   TEACHERS
   *Not many should be teachers
   *will be judged with greater strictness

   B. Make a list of all the things that these verses say about the tongue. Make it simple. I’ll get you started:
   TONGUE
   *tongue is a fire
   *stains the whole body

   C. Describe wisdom that comes from God.
D. Describe wisdom that is earthly.

III. Searching Resources.
A. Take a look at some of these verses in regards to teachers. Look also at other cross references. What do you learn? (Ephesians 4:11-16; I Timothy 1:3-7; II Timothy 4:3; Colossians 1:28)

B. Look at your cross references about the “tongue”. What do these verse teach us about the tongue? Here are some more verses: Psalm 34:13; Proverbs 15:2; Proverbs 31:26; Philippians 2:11; I Peter 3:10.

C. Don’t we all want to be wise? How do we grow in wisdom? Look at your cross references to help with this question. Here are some more verses: Job 28:28; Psalm 111:10; Proverbs 2:6; Ephesians 1:17.

*** We can be fluent in multiple languages, an expert in all subjects, with an answer for every question and still lack true wisdom. Godly wisdom requires a relationship with the Lord and a heart that seeks His wisdom. ***

IV. Sharing with one another. (Believers)
A. Make an agreement with another believer to each read James 3 and then have a discussion about what you have learned.

V. Serving the Lord. (Reaching the unbelievers)
A. Is there someone that the Lord has put on your heart to talk to about Him? Bring it before the Lord, asking for wisdom, and then go talk with them. Let your words be said with wisdom from the Lord.