

# Being Blessed!

James 1:25

Blessed means – \_\_\_\_\_  
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*James 1:12, Matt 5:3-12, Psalm 1:1, 32:1-2, Jeremiah 17:7*

## Being Blessed in Your Works!

(deeds, actions, what you do)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ into the perfect law of \_\_\_\_\_  
“ *To bend over and gaze, look eagerly & \_\_\_\_\_* ”
  - a. Recognizes the \_\_\_\_\_ of God (1:17)
  - b. Experiences being \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ (1:18)
  - c. L\_\_\_\_\_ and l\_\_\_\_\_ (1:19)
  - d. Puts \_\_\_\_\_ impurities and excess of evil (1:21)
  - e. R\_\_\_\_\_ the implanted word (with humility) (1:21)
  - f. Is and is becoming a \_\_\_\_\_ of the word (1:22)
  - g. Avoids h\_\_\_\_\_ (1:22)
  - h. Avoids short-sighted f\_\_\_\_\_ (1:23-24)
2. C\_\_\_\_\_ to look, learn, & live
  - a. To abide in \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. To develop a regular \_\_\_\_\_ or habit
3. D\_\_\_\_\_ what the word says – obedient action!
  - a. With r\_\_\_\_\_ – what, when, why, where, how?
  - b. With r\_\_\_\_\_ – how we treat others
  - c. With r\_\_\_\_\_
  - d. With r\_\_\_\_\_

*Our faith is tested by its response to the Word of God!*

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Blessed means – happy, fulfilled, satisfied, content, fortunate, prosperous. (*not found in the world, in a self centered life, in sinful pleasures*).

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## Being Blessed in Your Works!

(deeds, actions, what you do)

1. Looks into the perfect law of liberty (freedom!)  
“ *Peers, bends over, eagerly & intently* ”  
*Don't just glance, gaze! Concentrated, penetrating look*
  - a. Recognizes the goodness of God (1:17)
  - b. Experiences being born again by the word of truth (1:18)
  - c. Listens and learns (1:19) (learns discipline & control)
  - d. Puts away impurities and excess of evil (1:21)
  - e. Receives the implanted word (with humility) (1:21)
  - f. Is and is becoming a doer of the word (1:22) *one who practices, develops a good habit, lives regularly this way*
  - g. Avoids hypocrisy (1:22)
  - h. Avoids short-sighted forgetfulness (1:23-24)
2. Continues to look, learn, & live
  - a. To abide in consistently (constantly)
  - b. To develop a regular pattern or habit
3. Does what the word says - obedient action
  - a. With responsibilities – what, when, why, where, how?
  - b. With relationships – how we treat others (respect)
  - c. With reactions (tongue & treatment)
  - d. With restraint - self discipline, love, patience, forbearance, etc

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