

Pure and undefiled Religion

James 1:19-27

I. Becoming a Hearer and a Doer.

Three kinds of hearers:

I. Becoming a Hearer and a Doer.

A. Hearers who delude themselves

Hearers who delude
themselves =
Self-Righteousness

A self-righteous man lacks *humility*.

I. Becoming a Hearer and a Doer.

B. Hearers who forget

A man who hears and forgets lacks
conviction.

I. Becoming a Hearer and a Doer.

C. Hearers who do

Doers have the *humility* to submit
to the *conviction* of the Holy
Spirit.

II. Becoming an effectual doer

The effectual follower of God's
Word:

II. Becoming an effectual doer

A. Controls his tongue and the
anger that fuels it.

James is telling us to be *gentle*.

II. Becoming an effectual doer

B. Serve others, especially the lowly.

Mathew 5:3- Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven

II. Becoming an effectual doer

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James is telling us to show *love*.

II. Becoming an effectual doer

C. Separates from the world.

Pure and undefiled religion
demonstrates a gentle love
while holding to the truth.