


WISDOM FOR TRIALS DISCUSSION QUESTIONS


JAMES 1:5-8


1 Why is it so easy to turn to the world's wisdom (psychology, self-help programs, feelings, etc) when God offers His wisdom?

 *Why is it so dangerous when believers mingle worldly wisdom with God's wisdom in dealing with trials?*


 *What aspects of the world's wisdom do you find your own heart tempted to pursue?*

2 James 1:5 tells us that God gives wisdom freely to all who would ask Him.

 *What is the wisdom that comes from God like? See James 3:13-18, Psalm 111:10, Prov 2:6, Col 3:16.*

 *Which of the truths about how God gives in James 1:5-8 particularly encouraged you?*

 *What else can we learn about what and how God gives from the following verses (Acts 17:25, John 3:16, Romans 8:32)? Spend time in worship for the things you share as a group.*

 *Do you see God as the One to whom you can go for wisdom? Confess the areas of your life where you struggle asking God for wisdom and pray for one another.*

