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- III. **WALK OF WISDOM (James 3:13-5:20)**
 - A. **True Wisdom (James 3:13-18)**
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 - E. **Patient Endurance (James 5:1-12)**
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 - G. **Turning Back an Erring Believer (James 5:19-20)**

1. The Turn Around (James 5:19)

- a. The context of this passage involves _____ of a local church.
- b. James is writing about the possibility that _____ of these members decides to _____ concerning the truth of Scripture.
 - They make a decision which based upon their _____ and _____.
 - The declination of the carnal believer...
 - a) I _____ better than _____!
 - b) I can _____ what _____!
 - c) I _____ my body to _____!
 - d) The result is that _____!
 - The progression of the practically righteous...
 - a) _____ knows better than _____!
 - b) I _____ to know _____!
 - c) I _____ my body to _____!
 - d) The result is that _____!
 - The passive voice suggests that this person was _____ astray through deception, but it is also very possible that one could _____ astray through the sin nature, either way the direction was _____.
 - The truth refers to the teachings of _____ and the _____ that had been given them. (Eph. 2:19-22)
 - Their defection would be in the form or _____ or _____ which someone could perceive.

c. James also wrote about the possibility that someone would be able to _____.

- Though repentance is involved, which is a change of _____, James is writing about a change in _____ from in the flesh to in the Spirit.
- This word also suggests that this is _____ necessarily the job of the _____ or the _____ but anyone who is spiritual and has the opportunity to minister. (Matt. 7:1-5; Gal. 6:1)
- The correct method used to reach an erring brother or sister is not through sympathy, feelings, or understanding but through _____. (2 Tim. 3:16-17)

2. The Results of the Turn Around (James 5:20)

a. The faithful minister is _____ that their work was _____.

b. Their work saved the erring brother from _____ or maybe even _____ death.

- Your _____ in Heaven (1 Cor. 3:15; 9:24-27; 2 Tim. 4:6-8; 2 Jn. 1:8)
- Your _____ with God (1 Jn. 1:3-10; Lk. 15:11-24)
- Your _____ of Salvation (Ps. 51:12)
- Your _____ for the Lord (Jn. 15:1-8; 2 Pet. 1:8)
- Your _____ in Life (Mk. 8:34-38)
- Your _____ to Others (Matt. 5:13-16; Phil. 2:13-16)
- Your _____ to Others (Matt. 20:28; Heb. 6:10)
- Your _____ of salvation (2 Pet. 1:9)
- Your _____ (2 Tim. 2:11-13; 4:1-5)

c. Also, the work of the _____ believer will allow for the _____ of the sins of the errant believer. (1 Pet. 4:8)

3. The point of the book of James is how can the believer _____.