



HOW TO TAKE YOUR STAND AGAINST TEMPTATION
James 1:12-18

James 1:12 (AMP)

“Blessed (happy, to be envied) is the man who is patient under trial and stands up under temptation, for when he has stood the test and been approved, he will receive [the victor’s] crown of life which God has promised to those who love Him.”

πειρασμός “Peirasmos” = _____ or _____

Trials are _____ by GOD to _____ !

Temptations are _____ by Satan to _____ !

5 STANDING STRATEGIES

Strategy #1 - Live in _____ !

James 1:13 (NIV)

*“When tempted, no one should say, “God is tempting me.”
 For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He tempt anyone...”*
 {1 Corinthians 10:13, Hebrews 4:14-15}

Strategy #2 - Take _____ !

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 For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He tempt anyone...”*

Strategy #3 - Establish _____ !

{1 Peter 5:8, Matthew 26:41, Ephesians 6:11, James 1:14-16, 1 Corinthians 10:12}

2 Corinthians 2:10-11 (NLT2)

“...I do so with Christ’s authority for your benefit, so that Satan will not outsmart us. For we are familiar with his evil schemes.”

KNOW YOUR ENEMY’S SCHEMES

1st step in our enemy’s “Temptation Scheme” is

James 1:14 (ESV)

“But each person is tempted...by his own desire.”

2nd step in our enemy’s “Temptation Scheme” is

James 1:14 (ESV)

“But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire.”

3rd step in our enemy’s “Temptation Scheme” is

James 1:15 (ESV)

“Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin...”

4th step in our enemy’s “Temptation Scheme” is

James 1:15 (ESV)

“...and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death.”

Strategy #4 - Get _____!

{Philippians 4:8, Psalm 118:24, Psalm 34:1, Philippians 4:13, 1 Corinthians 15:33}

James 1:18 (NIV)

“He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all He created”.

Strategy #5- Experience _____!

{John 3:3, 1 Corinthians 10:13, James 5:16, John 8:31-32}



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