

James 2:17~

Thus, too, faith, if it does not have works, is dead in itself.

1· James now makes a comparison to this, showing that faith, if it does not have works in support of it, is dead. Therefore faith only exists as a living expression, through action and purposeful activity in fulfillment of Yehowah's commands.

[Question] What is faith if it does not have any works to support it?

2· Not everyone saying to me; Lord, Lord! Will enter into the kingdom of the heavens, but the one doing the will of my Father who is in the heavens will. (Matthew 7:21)

[Question] Though many would come to Jesus Christ and call him Lord, yet who among them would actually enter into the Kingdom of God?

3· Share with the holy ones according to their needs. Follow the course of hospitality. (Romans 12:13)

[Question] What are anointed Christians encouraged to do toward one another, following what course?

4· But if any widow has children or grandchildren, let these learn first to practice godly devotion in their own household and to keep paying a due compensation to their parents and grandparents, for this is acceptable in God's sight. (1 Timothy 5:4)

[Question] Who has the first responsibility toward aging parents, and how does Yehowah God view such treatment?

5· And let us consider one another, to incite to love and fine works. (Hebrews 10:24)

[Question] What should we be trying to incite one another to?

6· The form of worship that is clean and undefiled from the standpoint of our God and Father is this. To look after orphans and widows in their tribulation, and to keep oneself without spot from the world. (James 1:27)

[Question] What form of clean worship does Yehowah God approve of?

7· Indeed, as the body without spirit is dead, so also faith

without **works is dead.** (**James 2:26**)

[Question] How does James illustrate what faith without works is like?

8· Little children, let us love, neither in word nor with the tongue, but in deed and truth. (1 John 3:18)

[Question] How are anointed Christians encouraged to love one another?