



**Sermon Title:** “James Part XVI” - Ryan McClelland

**Scripture Reference:** James 4:13-17

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**Connect: Grow together**

- 1- How has God shown up this week in your life?
- 2- What can you be thankful for this week?
- 3- How are you doing on your spiritual or personal growth? Did you gain any ground last week?

**Deeper: Beyond the message**

- 1- What was the main point of the message this week? How would you say it?
- 2- What stood out to you?
- 3- What did the message say about you, God’s people or the world?
- 4- How does this message apply in your life?

**Application and Challenge**

- 1- Read James 4:13-17 How are you putting God’s will above your own?
- 2- What are the challenges with recognizing discomfort and suffering may be part of “God’s wonderful plan for your life”?
- 3- Read Daniel 3. Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, have a decision to make, worship the false idol or face death. Discuss how this story connects with decisions in your own life.
- 4- *“Love is helping someone live out God’s will for their life”*. What are your thoughts and how can you apply this perspective on love in your relationships and neighboring?