

*The Way We Could Be*  
Seeking God with Repentance  
James 4:7-10 (Page 1201)

Question: How can we avoid being consumed by worldly desires that put us at odds with God? This is answered with 10 imperatives.

Submit to God  
~ Bending our will to His

Resist the Devil and Draw Near to God  
~ Don't miss the promise that He will draw near

Cleanse Hands / Purify Hearts  
~ Change that is inside and out

Grieve, Mourn, Weep, Turn Joy to Gloom  
~ Be broken concerning our sin

Humble Yourselves before the Lord  
~And He will lift you up!

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**Points to Ponder:** What is our heart-level reaction to our sin?

**A Note to Parents:** Please know that the children who leave the service during the sermon are looking at the same passage we are considering. We hope that you will initiate a conversation with them about this portion of God's Word.

**Next Week:** Next week we will continue our sermon series entitled: *The Way We Could Be* by looking at **James 4:11-12** *Honoring Others with Acceptance*.

