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God's Good And Perfect Gifts – James 1:1-27

Thanks to cleaners

How have you considered the past 16 months pure joy?

What wisdom were you using to get through the change in our physical world?

How often did you find yourself just reacting and not praying?

Being emotionally blown around by emotional winds of doubt.

Spiritual Beings in Physical Bodies

James 3:13-18

Godly wisdom – Good life: Humble, Peace-loving, Considerate, Submissive Mercy, Good fruit, Impartial, Sincere

Earthly Wisdom: Bitter Envy, Selfish Ambition, Unspiritual, of the Devil

Earth Focused: The passing of wild flowers; fading beauty  
Worthless Religion

Waves are controlled by other forces

Calvin and Hobbs

This is not from God but from our evil desires: Hunting metaphor

Our evil desires drag us away – From God and Good

He is the giver of all good gifts.

Maturity through perseverance

Listening and doing

Listening and controlling one's tongue: Not collecting news to distribute it

True religion: Compassion for the marginalized

Matthew 4:15-17 Those living in darkness have seen a great light.

Gives what we need not what we want.

The question is, do you want what he offers?

Is your life increasingly reflecting that purpose?