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“My Way or the High Way”

James 3:13-4:3

Today’s BIG IDEA:

Regardless of how smart or successful you are, earthly living always leads to an empty life.

1. Godly wisdom _____ from godly _____
_____ (3:13-14)
(Proverbs 18:21)

A. The “High way” flows from godly _____ (3:13)

B. “My way” flows from worldly _____ (3:14)

2. Godly wisdom is _____ on godly _____
_____ (3:15)

A. The “High way” originates in _____ (3:15)
(Isaiah 55:8)

B. “My way” originates in _____ (3:15)
(Isaiah 14:13-15)

3. Godly wisdom is _____ in godly _____
_____ (3:14,16-17; 4:1-3)

A. The “High way” is displayed in _____,
_____, and _____ (3:17)

B. “My way” is displayed in _____,
_____, and _____
(3:14,16; 4:1-2)

4. Godly wisdom _____ in a godly _____
_____ (3:18-4:3)

A. The “High way” leads to a _____ (3:18)

B. “My way” leads to _____ (4:1-3)
(Matthew 16:26)

APPLICATION QUESTIONS:

1. What does the world say that our ultimate goal should be? What does it take to achieve that goal? How does this stand against Scripture?
2. Consider the life of Jesus. What was his goal? How did he resist the pull of the world and submit to the way of the Father?
3. Have you ever known anyone who had everything the world had to offer but still wasn’t truly happy? How were they unfulfilled?