

LIFE MATTERS - STUDIES IN JAMES

Week Ten: "Planning Ahead"

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James 4:13-17

How does a Christian _____?

1. Acknowledge the _____ of God over your life (James 4:13, 14).

1 Peter 2:9; Acts 17:25-27; Ephesians 1:11

2. Keep a _____ view of your life (James 4:14).

Complete this sentence: "Life is short so _____."

A. Life is _____.

Psalms 90:10

B. You will be treated _____.

Rom 2:9; John 16:33

C. You _____ to God _____ than you can _____.

Ps 139:14; Matt 10:30; Lk 10:20; Heb 4:13; Rom 5:8; 2 Tim 1:14; John 14:1-4; Matt 10:42 Matt 16:26, 27

3. We should plan by keeping our _____ _____ first (James 4:15, 16).

Luke 12:15; Matt. 6:20, 21

4. The best way to make the _____ of today is to _____ _____ (James 4:17).

Psalms 118:24 "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it."