

SERMON NOTES

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WISDOM COMES FROM ABOVE

James 3:13-4:3

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MAIN IDEA: Earthly desires hinder Godly wisdom.

Actions speak louder than words (v. 13)

Wisdom is <u>lived</u>, not thought.

Disorder in our hearts leads to disorder in our thoughts (vv. 14-16)

Selfish Ambition <u>prohibits</u> wisdom.

Wisdom's attributes and behaviors (vv. 17-18)

"Blessed are the <u>peacemakers</u>, for they shall be called sons of God!"

What are my motives (4:1-3)

God grants wisdom to those who seek it.

POINTS TO PONDER

- 1. Are there any desires in me that are getting in the way of God's wisdom in my life?
- 2. What is one thing I will do differently to get more wisdom in my life?