James 4:6

Vs6 - Prov 3:34

Vs 7 Submit first, resist next and Satan will flee!

Vs 8 It is the presence of God that causes the devil to flee. Double minded= the world is nice, so is Jesus.

Vs 9 This is repentance for sin, not the daily Christian attitude. Phil 4:4 Rejoice evermore.

Vs 10 Lose your life for His sake and you will find it.

Vs 11 Mk 7:21-23 Jesus said slander comes out of an evil heart. 2Co 12:20 Paul feared finding a this in the church. Eph4:31, Col 3:8 Paul says to get rid of it! Titus 3:1,2 Peter agrees 1Pt 2:1

Speaks against the Law: Love your neighbor as yourself..

Vs 12&13 Jews were becoming citizens of new cities with great benefits and becoming very wealthy. This kind of boasting was common. James is telling them life is short and you have no idea what God has in store for you. Hold loosely to the things of the World.

Vs 14 Ps 39:5

Vs 15 & 16 Ro 1:21 God is the One who gives us all we have and are - He deserves all the glory for all that is good in our lives.

Vs 17 You know you ought to give God the credit. If you don't it is sin!