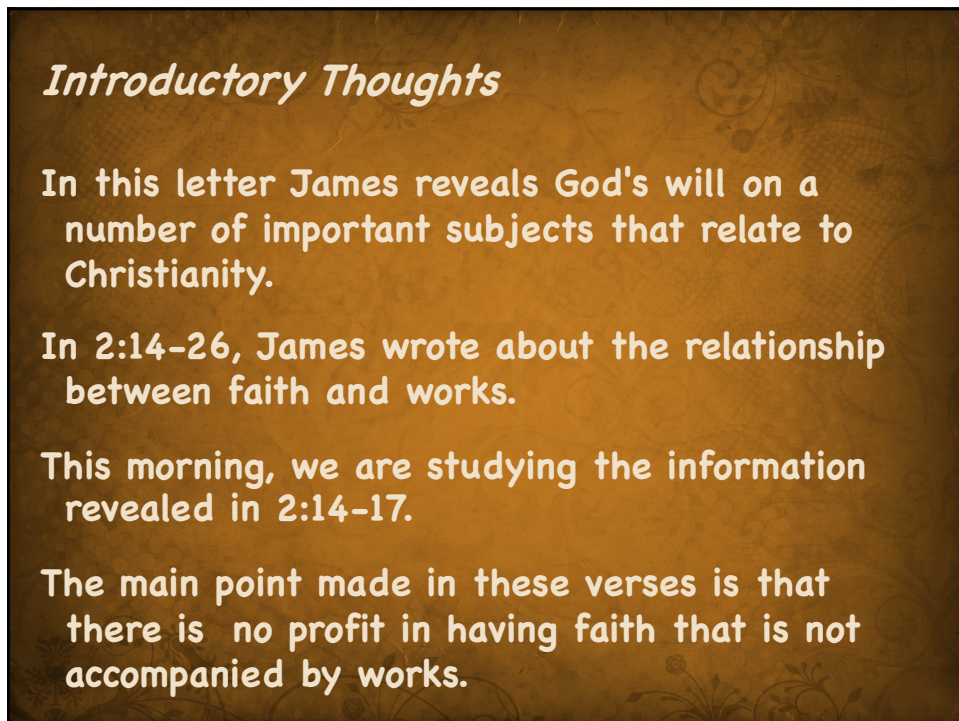




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## *Some General Information Relating to Faith*

Faith is an essential part of Christianity –  
Hebrews 11:6.

Faith is generally defined as "A conviction that  
Jesus is the Messiah, conjoined with obedience  
to Christ."

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## *2 Questions About Faith and Works – Verse 14*

What profit is there for a Christian to claim to  
have faith that is not accompanied by works? –  
James 1:22-24 – James 1:25

Can faith that is not accompanied by works save  
anyone?

These 2 questions indicate that there is no profit  
or salvation found in faith that is not  
demonstrated by works of obedience.

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***James Illustrated the Point Being Made  
- Verses 15-16***

Suppose a brother or sister needs clothing or food.

The situation involves a Christian telling this needy person to depart in peace and to be warmed and filled, without supplying those things that are needed.

There is no profit in this for either person.

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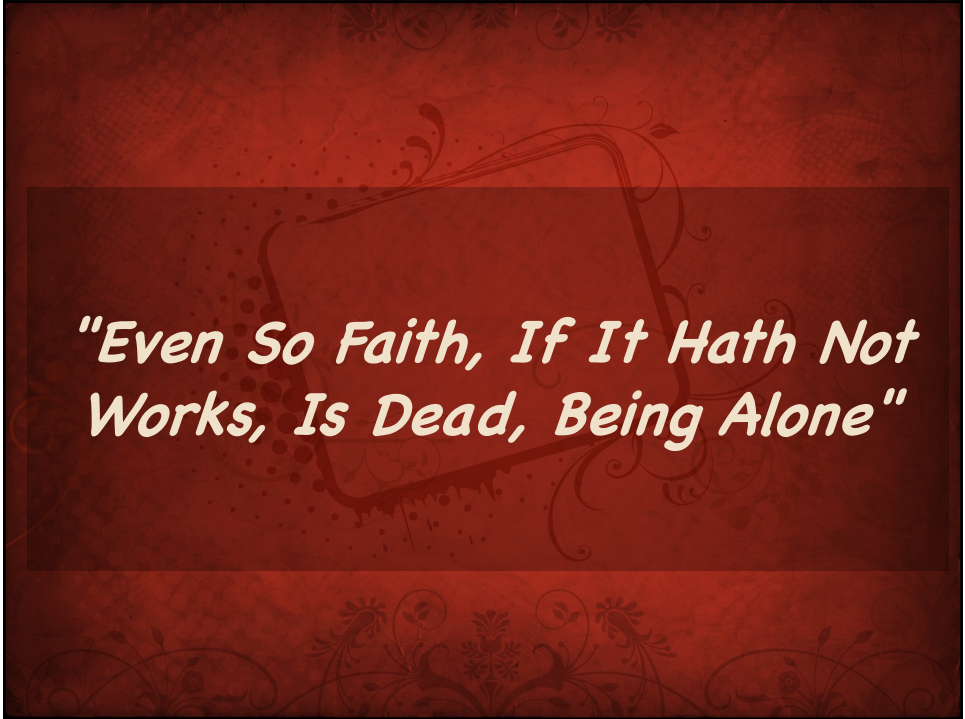
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This kind of faith was demonstrated by the priest and the Levite in the parable of the Good Samaritan - Luke 10:30-32.

This kind of faith will be condemned at the judgment - Matthew 25:41-46a.

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*"Even So Faith, If It Hath Not Works, Is Dead, Being Alone"*

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### *Closing Remarks*

James helps us understand what the Lord wants us to know about faith and works.

James shows us how faith that pleases God is active and obedient.

Abraham's faith is a great illustration.

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