

# *A Better Quality of Life*

## *James 1:16-19*

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John 8:44

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Genesis 1:31

- When you respond to the Divine as revealed in the Word you are tapping into all that is desirable and beneficial for you.

A. Gifts.

B. No change. Hebrews 13:8; Psalm 103:17; 1 John 1:3

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A. God IS the source. John 15:16; 1 Timothy 2:3-4; John 14:13-14

B. The power.

- God regenerates non-believers through the power of the Word. John 1:1; Genesis 1:3; Matthew 17:20

1. Your request is based on feelings not faith. Matthew 4:4

2. Your request is testing God. Matthew 4:7

3. You want “things” more than you want God. Matthew 4:8-9; Isaiah 55:11; Revelations 3:20

C. First fruits. Genesis 6:5; 2 Peter 3:10, 13

- The part of you that is Divine/the Holy Spirit is your “boarding pass” to this new world that is coming. Ephesians 5:30

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A. Reverse the process. Proverbs 10:19

B. Slow to anger.