

Faith and Favoritism

James 2:1-13

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1. Favoritism described
“with partiality” means to judge someone based on outward appearance
2. Favoritism debated
 - A. The spiritual debate: God looks at the inside (1 Samuel 16:6-7)
 - B. The rational debate: The rich are hurting you (James 2:6-7)
 - C. The scriptural debate: Favoritism is inconsistent with Scripture (James 2:8-11)
3. Favoritism denounced
Favoritism is denounced because of:
 - A. The reality of the judgment(2:12)
 - B. The response of the Judge (2:13)