



# Paul's Letter to the Galatians

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## Day 22 Galatians 5:20

### ***Jealousy, Fits of Rage, Rivalries, Dissension, Factions***

*Read Romans 12:9-21.* Paul lists out here marks of a true follower of Christ. Which of these would be the contrast to rivalries? To dissension? To factions? To jealousy? To fits of rage?

*Read Ephesians 4:29.* What talk should come out of our mouths? For what purpose?

*Read Romans 13:12-13.* Again, what are we not to walk in?

*Read 1 Corinthians 3:1-3.* What evidence does Paul point to regarding the people still being of the flesh?

*Read James 1:19-21.* What does James encourage us to be? Why?

*Read James 3:13-18.* How does James define wisdom from above in this passage? What does he say are contrary to wisdom from above?

*Read James 4:1-3.* What does James say is the cause of fighting amongst the people? What is the underlying root?

As you spend time with God today, consider where jealousy, fits of rage, rivalries, dissensions and factions are evident in your life. What is the source of your discontentment? Is it fear? A lack of trust? Ask God to give you wisdom to help you to remove these sins from your life. Confess them and repent and ask Him to help you to recognize when you are tempted to fall back into jealousy or fits of rage, and ask Him to give you the strength to endure what you must endure and the wisdom to recognize when He is providing you a way out.