



Welcome to Worship

Sanford church of Christ

2 THESSALONIANS 2:9-12

GOD SENT THEM

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so that they will believe the lie, **BECAUSE**

they refused the love of the truth



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THAT WOULD HAVE SAVED THEM.

You belong to your father, the devil,
and you want to carry out your
father's desires. He was a murderer
from the beginning, not holding to
the truth, for there is no truth in him.

When he lies, he speaks his
native language, for he is a liar
and the father of lies.

John 8:44



And no wonder, for even
Satan disguises himself as
an angel of light.

2 Corinthians 11:14 ESV

John 8:45-47



But because I tell the truth, you do not believe Me. ⁴⁶ Which of you convicts Me of sin? And if I tell the truth, why do you not believe Me? ⁴⁷ He who is of God hears God's words; therefore you do not hear, because you are not of God.

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Confronting the Lies the World tells Us!

Lie #1: You can have it all.

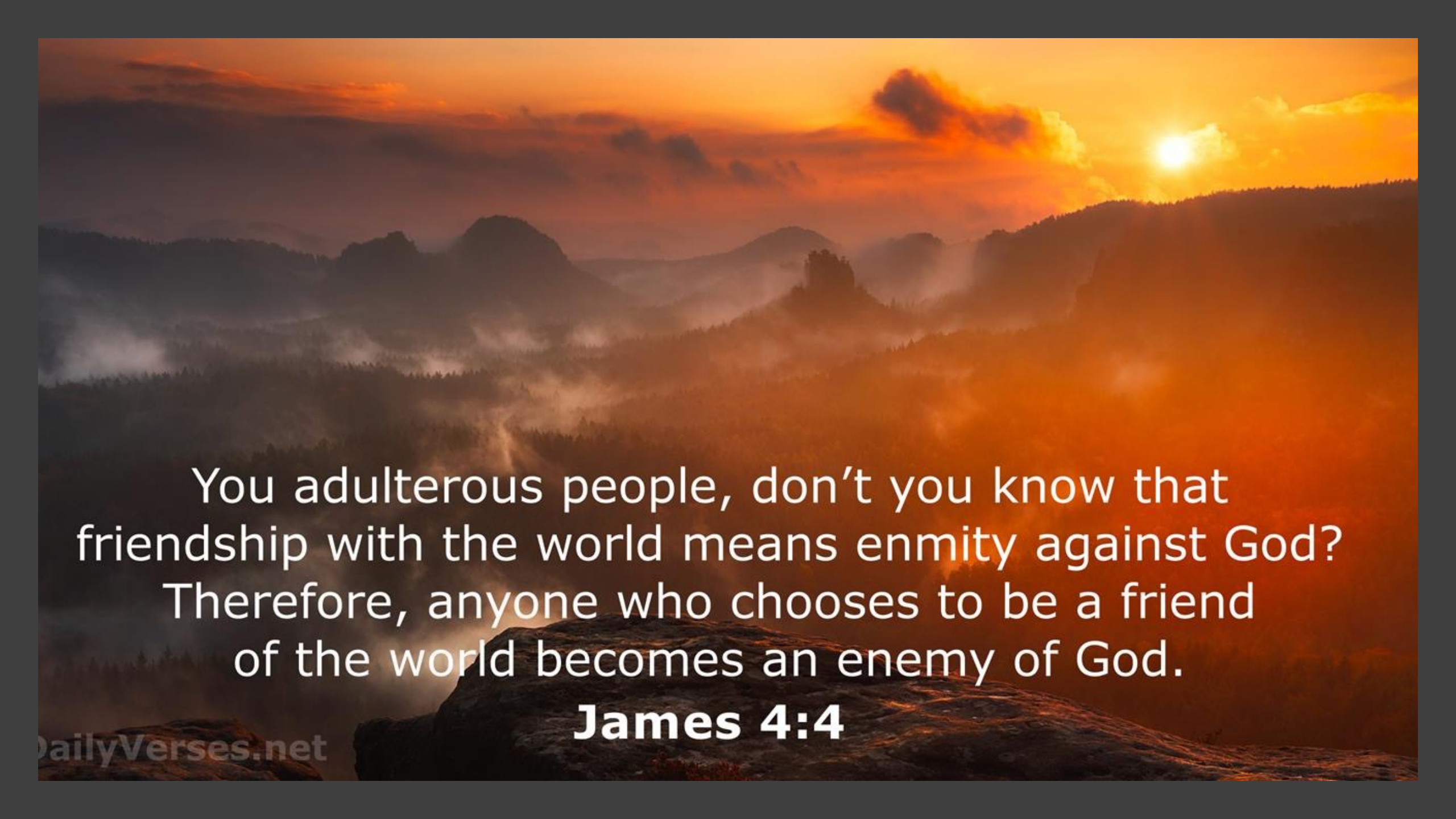
JAMES

AD 44-49

Obedience to God in the Real World

James: a servant of God and the Lord Jesus Christ. Do we know what grace it took to say that? James grew up with Jesus. A Mary was his mother, too. He was Jesus' half brother. Blood ties are one thing; blood transformation is quite another. Humility is the first thing in revival. God resists the proud, but grace from heaven who know their real place in the salvation scheme of things. James' and perfection, with surety and single-heartedness, and about temptation, sin, and God. He should actions to ask heaven before he

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You adulterous people, don't you know that
friendship with the world means enmity against God?
Therefore, anyone who chooses to be a friend
of the world becomes an enemy of God.

James 4:4

No one can serve two masters.
Either you will hate the one
and love the other, or you will be
devoted to the one and despise
the other. You cannot serve
both God and money.

Matthew 6:24





HUMBLE YOURSELVES
BEFORE THE LORD,
& HE WILL EXALT YOU.

JAMES 4:10

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Lie #1: You can have it all.

Lie #2: You have plenty of time.

*...yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life?
For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then*

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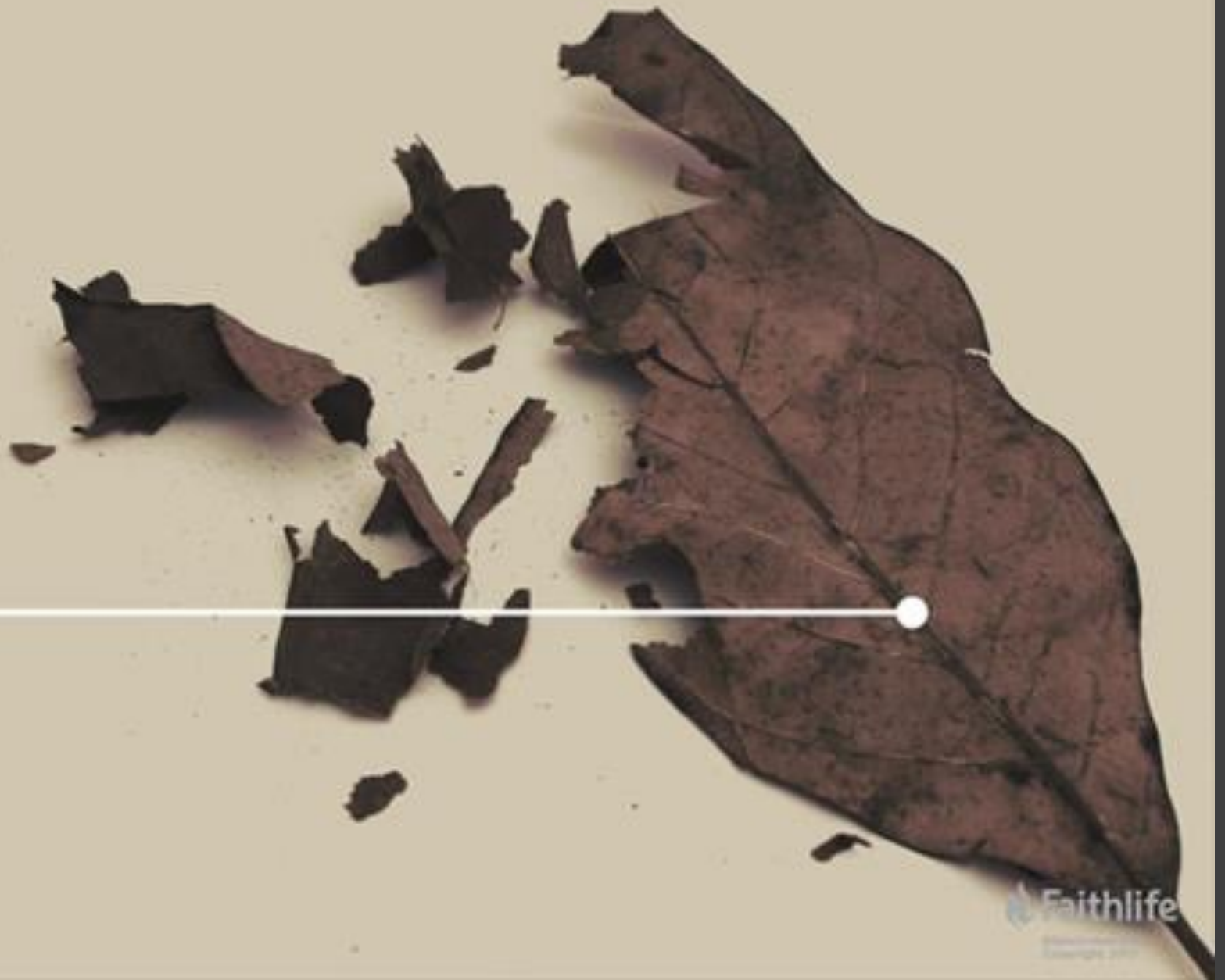
JAMES 4:14

**“Man who is born of a woman
is few of days and full of
trouble.”**

Job 14:1 ESV

O Lord, make me
know my end and what is
the measure of my days;
let me know
how fleeting I am!

Psalm 39:4



A vibrant, sunlit forest scene with a dirt path winding through tall, slender trees. The ground is covered in green ferns and small white flowers. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and natural.

Walk in Wisdom

Ephesians 5:15-21

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Lie #3: You are fine the way you are now.

James 5:1-6

Come now, you rich, weep and howl for the miseries that are coming upon you. Your riches have rotted and your garments are moth-eaten. Your gold and silver have corroded, and their corrosion will be evidence against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have laid up treasure in the last days. Behold, the wages of the laborers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, are crying out against you, and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. You have lived on the earth in luxury and in self-indulgence. You have fattened your hearts in a day of slaughter. You have condemned; you have murdered the righteous person. He does not resist you.

For you say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing, not realizing that you are wretched, pitiable, poor, blind, and naked.

Revelation 3:17 ESV

I counsel you to buy from me gold refined by fire, so that you may be rich, and white garments so that you may clothe yourself and the shame of your nakedness may not be seen, and salve to anoint your eyes, so that you may see.

Revelation 3:18 ESV



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"Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me."

Revelation 3:20 KJV

A close-up photograph of a person's hand holding a small, green seedling. The hand is positioned on the left side of the frame, with fingers gently cupping the base of the plant. The background is a soft-focus, sunlit outdoor setting with green foliage and a bright light source, possibly the sun, creating a bokeh effect. The overall mood is hopeful and nurturing.

Are you committed to
growing in your faith?