

Lynn Valley Full Gospel Church
May 27th, 2012
Speaker: Owen Scott

Topic: “*Wisdom From Above*”

Text: James 3:13-18

1. There is a great need for “humble reactions”
2. How easily can I take correction?
3. The huge issue of spiritual pride
4. How to deceive yourself
 - Galatians 6:3
 - Romans 12:3
5. Wisdom from “*above*” is consistently characterized by humility
 - James 3:13-18
6. “*Worldly*” wisdom is characterized every time by “*bitter envy and selfish ambition*”
 - 1 John 2:15-17
7. We must first accept ourselves to be able to show forth this humility

8. We must put our false self to death and put on our true self (Christ)

- Colossians 3:7-14

9. In Christ Jesus we find our true identity

10. We must put to death our narcissistic, envious self

11. Three great barriers to wholeness...

- a) Lack of self acceptance
- b) Failure to forgive others
- c) Failure to receive forgiveness