

Mr. Doer knows he needs a mirror every day.

God only blesses my doing, not my hearing.

...being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing. James 1:25 (ESV)

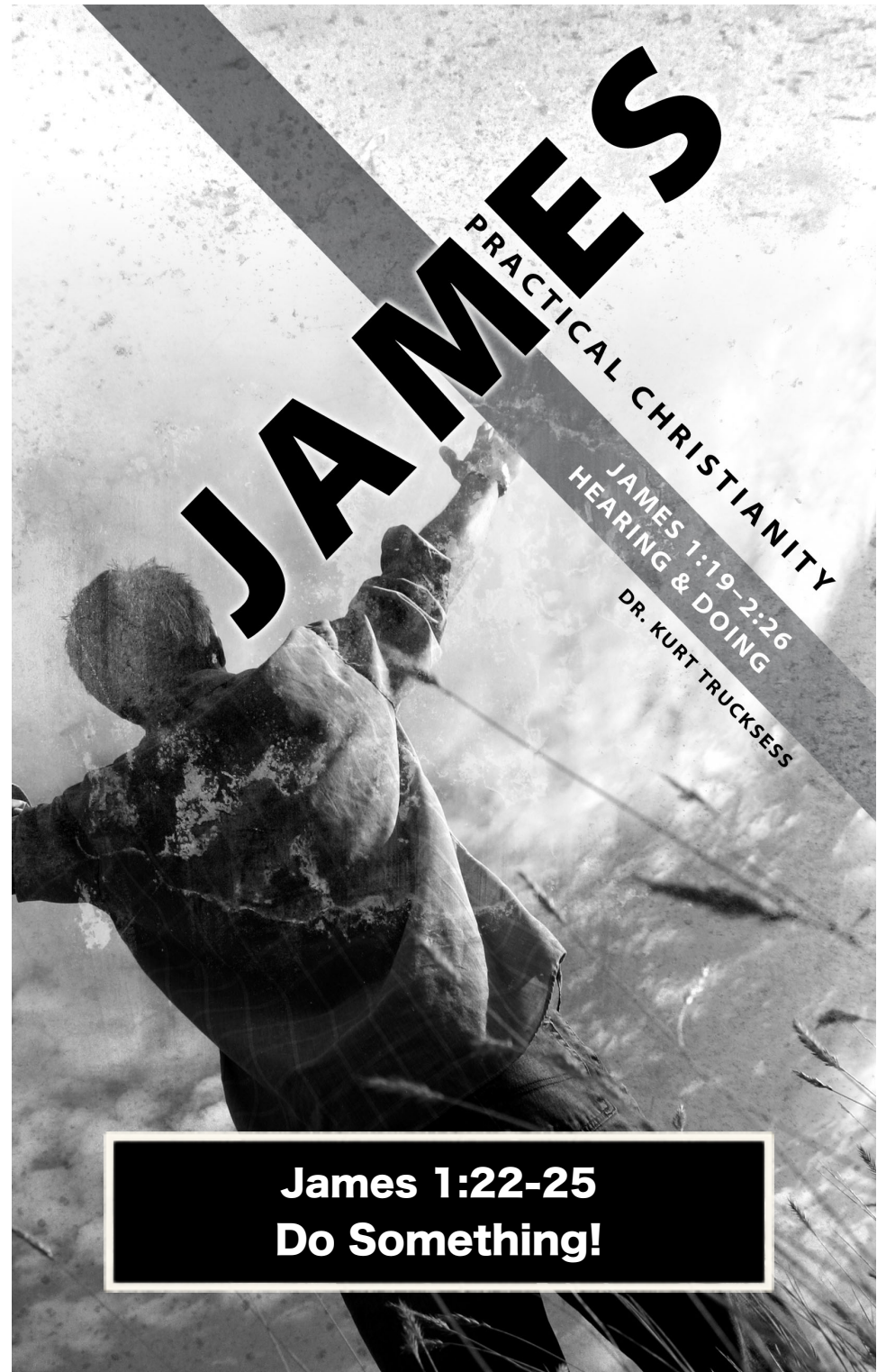
But he said, "Blessed rather are those who hear the word of God and keep it!" Luke 11:28 (ESV)

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James 1:22-25 - Do Something!m

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- Did you look in a mirror before you came to church today?
- Were you ever accused of having something go in one ear and out the other?
- Do you want to grow as a Christian to become more pleasing to Christ?

Of his own will he brought us forth by the word of truth, that we should be a kind of firstfruits of his creatures. James 1:18 (ESV)

Therefore put away all filthiness and rampant wickedness and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls. James 1:21 (ESV)

### Two kinds of men...

#### Mr. Hearer

But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. James 1:22 (ESV)

#### Mr. Doer

But be doers of the word,... James 1:22 (ESV)

So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. 2 Corinthians 5:9 (ESV)

For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like. James 1:23–24 (ESV)

#### Mr. Doer lets the Word confront him.

But the one who looks into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing. James 1:25 (ESV)

#### Do you believe God's law is good?

...I came that they may have life and have it abundantly. John 10:10 (ESV)