**A Journey through the Bible**

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Part 1

Introduction

**The Bible mainly dwells on two great themes:**

1. The **WAY** to God
2. The **WALK** with God

**I. Who Received the letter?**Chapter 1:1

1. Word "scattered"
2. "Twelve tribes"
3. Date — 45 A.D.
4. How do we know this letter is to Jewish Christians? 1:2; 2:1; 3:1; 4:11; 5:7

**II. What kind of man was James?**Matthew 13: 53-56

Mark 3:20-21, 31-32   
John 7:1-5

**III. The Book**

A. Introduction or greeting   
Chapter 1:1

1. The test of faith — when stretched but not broken   
   chapter 1:2-27

verse 2- "divers" or "various"

1. The test of faith — when pressed it doesn't fail   
   chapter 2
2. When your faith is expressed — it isn't an explosion   
   chapter 3-4
3. When faith is under a great time of distress — it doesn't panic   
   chapter 5

