

THE WILL AND WISDOM OF GOD

JAMES 4:11-17

SCRIPTURE STUDY

- Have someone read the passages in their entirety aloud. As a group, summarize the passage, and as you do so, note any observations, questions, and exciting insights you found while reading through the text.
 What jumped out at you? What was something you noticed now that you didn't see before?
- What does it mean to speak evil against one another? Believers should be good judges, discern right from wrong and live according to what is good. Is James then telling us not to judge?
- What do you make of the story about the businessmen going and making profits? Is James condemning this behavior? How does this example get us to reflect on the nature of our lives?
- How might believers posture themselves to live in God's will? How do we live without the anxiety of making decisions "in God's will?"