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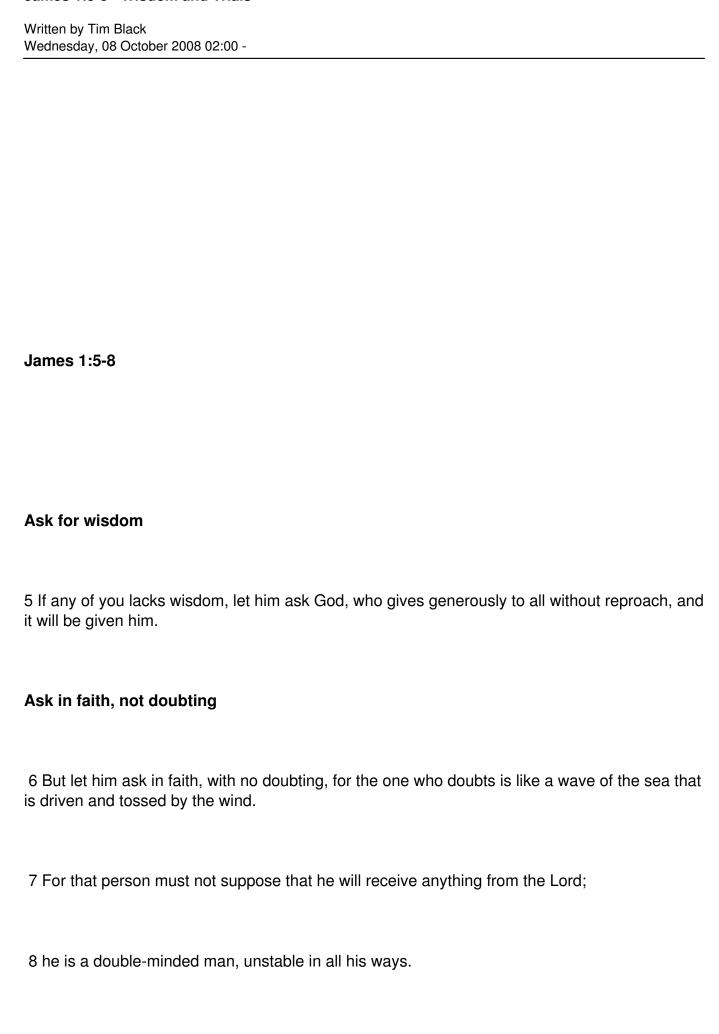
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| Questions: |
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| V. 5: When you lack wisdom in a trial: What words do you say? What kinds of harm may result? Why do you lack wisdom? How can you get wisdom? |
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| V. 5: Is James saying God will give you anything you ask for? YES NO |
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| V. 5: What does it mean to give "generously?" To give "without reproach?" |
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| Vv. 6-8: What does it mean to "ask in faith, with no doubting?" What does each result & evidence of doubting mean, and what counterpart does it find in faith? |

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| Faith | |
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| Doubting | |
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| Results: | |
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| driven & tossed by wind: will not receive anything: | |
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| Ēvidences: | |
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| Double-minded:unstable in ways: | |
| unsignic in ways. | |
| 2. | |
| What should you do when you next face a trial? | |

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