Sermon Notes January 27, 2013

## **Look for the Hook**

Series: A Growing Faith – A Study of James – James 1:13-18 –

1.	Be	Aware	(vs.	13)
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## 2. Be Ready (vss. 14-15)

The Sequence of Temptation:

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## 3. Be Grateful (vss. 16-18)

## **Application Questions...**

- **1.** What especially spoke to you in this message?
- 2. What would you say is your *typical* response when you face trials from the outside, and what is it when you face temptations from the inside?
- 3. Note the sequence temptation goes through to become "full grown" sin. What have you found helpful in dealing with this process?
- 4. What kinds of questions or struggles or doubts in a Christian's daily life do you think this passage answers best?
- 5. What mental habits do you think could most easily block the words in the passage from staying alive in your mind and heart?
- **6.** What is the key lesson you learned from this passage? Share one *specific* action you plan to take as a result.
- 7. Take turns answering, "How can our group serve and encourage you through prayer?"

