

## True Religion James 1:26-27

According to James, true religion is manifested in a lifestyle of \_\_\_\_\_ to God.  
Authentic Faith is evidenced by:

### I. A Controlled Tongue. (v.26)

- A. Our words \_\_\_\_\_ our heart.
- B. The Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ our self-control.

### II. A Compassionate Heart. (v.27a)

True Christianity is demonstrated in a selfless expression of \_\_\_\_\_ by caring for anyone in need.

### III. A Clean Life. (v.27b)

Four stages of worldliness to avoid:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ with the world. (James 4:4)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ for the world. (1John 2:15)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ to the world. (Rom.12:2)
4. \_\_\_\_\_ with the world. (1Cor.11:32)