



- A. Tragedy Will Draw Them Closer (2 Samuel 11:2-5; 12:13-16, 18-20) Did tragedy draw David closer?
- B. Loss of Wealth Will Draw Them Closer (Job 1:13-19)

Did loss of wealth draw Job closer?

C. "Religious Experience"



1) Some Believe...

A. Pride

- David sinned because of his pride
- Job's pride needed to be humbled
- Those seeking the "experience" want to receive something others do not
- B. Matter of The Heart
- God has given us everything we need
- 1) His Son 2) His Grace 3) His Word



2) Problems With Those Beliefs...

2 Peter 1:3

seeing that His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence.

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A. 5 Actions To Help:

- 1) Make A Goal (2 Pt. 1:5-10)
- 2) Be Committed (2 Pt. 1:10)
- 3) Be Self-Disciplined (2 Tim. 2:15)
- 4) Pray For Wisdom (Mat. 7:7-8)
- 5) Take One Day At A Time (2 Pt. 3:18)



James 4:7-8

Submit therefore to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. 8 Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

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Acts 22:16

Now why do you delay? Get up and be baptized, and wash away your sins, calling on His name.'

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