

The Enemy in the Mirror

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“When pride comes, then comes disgrace, but with humility comes wisdom.” Proverbs 11: 2.

SUMMARY:

At the top of the list of enemies in a man's life is himself. Pride is at the core of sin and is a temptation to every man. Men who give in to pride view most everything in terms of “what's in it for me?” while men who pursue God seek view most everything in terms of “what's in it for God?”

NOTES:

1. Pride inevitably leads to destruction.
2. Regarding other's as more important than me.
3. Pursue the interests of others.

DISCUSSION POINTS:

Introductory Question: Why is it so hard to be humble?

Discussion:

1. How does pride show up in people's lives?
2. What are the risks of humility?
3. Why does God hate pride?

APPLICATION:

Identify at least one need in someone else's life and then find a way to anonymously meet it.

ON YOUR OWN...

Read Proverbs 16: 18 and I Peter 5: 5-6.

Read Proverbs Chapter 12 for next week, and check out the website if you have missed any weeks: KokomoHUDDLE.org