

# JAMES 02

## The Twelve Tribes Scattered

### 1. 1:1 - The Dispensational Context

- a. We know who, to whom, and when - it is not us.
- b. The twelve tribes mattered in the NT- Mk 3:14, Mt 19:28, Acts 1:20, Rev 7:4, 21:12
- c. The "scattered" mattered- Act 8:1, Lk 24:47, Mt 26:31, Zech 13:7
- d. The flock of Israel prophetically gathered - Jer 31:10, Isa 10:21, Jn 10:11, Lk 12:32

### 2. 1:2 - The Trials of the Scattered

- a. The temptations are trials - Gen 22:1 / Heb 11:17
- b. God brought his nation through temptations - Deut 4:34, 29:3, Mat 6:13
- c. The temptations among the last day remnant nation -Rev 3:10, 2:9-10/ James 1:12
- d. They were living the temptations → Acts 8:3, 9:1, ... also Acts 2:45
- e. The remnant will be refined as by "fire" as in the days of old - Mal 3:1-4, Isa 48:10
- f. The prophets predicted the afflictions ... and the joy - Zech 13:9, 1 Pet 1:6-7, 4:12
- g. Joy would come after the mourning - Jer 31:11-17 / Isaiah 61:3 / James 4:9