## Study Notes - March 10, 2024

"A Prophecy of Judgment, Hope and Warning"

James 5:1-6

|    | a.             | Who are the <i>rich</i> that are coming under judgment? (5:1)  |
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|    | b.             | What are God's judgments against these rich persecutors? (5:1-3)   |
| 2. | James re<br>a. | eveals the sins of these rich for which they are being judged.  Covetousness: heaped up treasure in the last days (3b) |
|    | b.             | Oppression: <i>defrauding</i> the poor, hired hands who cry out and the Lord hears (5:4).                              |
|    | C.             | Sensuality: fattening themselves at the expense of others (5:5)  |
|    | d.             | Persecution: condemning and murdering the just (5:6)   |

1. James foretells the judgments of God against the rich.