## When The Going Gets Tough

## James 1:2-4

"Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing." -James 1:2-4

## 1. The Inevitability of Our Trials

"I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world." -John 16:33

## 2. The Variety of Our Trials

"Consider it a sheer gift, friends, when tests and challenges come at you from all sides." –James 1:2 (MSG)

- 3. The Experience of Our Trials
- 4. The Reception of Our Trials