

Women's Bible Study
Lesson 8: Who Can Tame the Tongue?
James 3:1-12

- I. Review

- II. A Warning for Teachers v. 3:1-2
 - A. Not many should become teachers.
 - 1. Teachers will be judged with greater strictness.
 - 2. We all stumble

 - B. The Mature Christian Bridles His tongue

- III. The Tongue: A Character Sketch v. 3-12
 - A. Powerful, Small but mighty v. 3-5
 - B. Destructive, Incendiary v. 6
 - C. A world of unrighteousness v. 6
 - D. Corrupting the whole body v. 6
 - E. Setting on fire the entire course of life v. 6
 - F. Set on fire by hell v. 6
 - G. Untamable v. 7-8
 - H. Restless evil v. 8
 - I. Full of deadly poison v. 8
 - J. Revealing v. 9-12

- IV. How can we Tame the Tongue?
 - A. Impossible for us, but not for God

 - B. A Different Kind of Fire Acts 2:1-6