THE POWER OF THE TONGUE James 1:26;3:5-12

Proverbs 15:4;31:26

THE OLD NEGRO WOMAN. "I tastes my
WATCH: T words carefully before I lets them

- pass my lips."

  1. Watch our thoughts. Matt. 5:27-28
- 2. Watch our time. 1 Sam. 21;8
- 3. Watch our tongue. Proverbs 18:21; Matt. 12:3 Seath and life are in the Rower 7 the tongue. 7
  1. "And they that love it shallest the
  - fruit thereof." MUST ABIDE THE CONSEQUENCES OF THEIR WORDS...GOOD OR BAD.
  - An evil tongue is meat for the devil.
     Some one has said, "The devil makes his Christmas pie of lewd tongues."
- 4. The religion of the man with the unbridled tongue is vain.

  1. He deceives his own heart...he only
  - seems to be religious.

    2. He is unhappy, filled with jealousy, envy and hate.
- 5. A wicked tongue is venomous and hurtful.
   It killeth three at once: Who are they?

   Him that is slandered...talked about.
   His reputation is killed by ill report.
  - 2. Him to whom it is told. He believes lie
  - 3. The one who does the talking. He will be avoided and shunned.

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