

## TORAH IN THE MIRROR

**James 1:22-25** *“But prove yourselves doers of the word, and not merely hearers who delude themselves. For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks at his natural **face** in a mirror; for {once} he has looked at himself and gone away, he has immediately forgotten what kind of person he was. But one who looks intently at the perfect law, the {law} of liberty, and abides by it, not having become a forgetful hearer but an effectual doer, this man shall be blessed in what he does.”*



When we look into the mirror, we are supposed to see the Torah, a reflection of how close we walk in the ways of the Torah. Have we forgotten what we look like as reflected in the Torah? The one who sees himself in the Torah/mirror and remembers that this is who he is, this is the one who does the Word. When we look into the mirror of the Torah, our reflection is that of a redeemed person as described therein. In Hebrew "face" means our whole being. The teachings of Torah describe what a redeemed one looks like. Imagine if all Believers looked into the same mirror/Torah as they should be.

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