

The Most Costly Lie **James 2:14–28**

I. Structure of the Passage

1. _____ (v.v. 14–17)
2. _____ (v.v. 18–23)
3. _____ (v.v. 24–28)

II. Considerations

1. Contrast

- Paul and James: _____ (Gal 1:19)
- Heresy attacked in Romans: works _____ with
faith before salvation (Rom 3:28)
- Heresy attacked in James: faith _____ from
works after salvation (Jas 2:22)

2. Justification in Romans

- It is a _____ (Rom 2:24)
- It is _____ from works (Rom 2: 28)
- It is _____ work (Rom 3: 18)
- It is _____ choice (Rom 8:33)

3. Abraham

- Confession of salvation at age _____ (Gen 15:6)
- Demonstration of salvation at age _____ (Gen 22)