

A vintage typewriter is positioned on a wooden desk. The typewriter is black with a silver keyboard and a sheet of paper emerging from the carriage. The background is a blurred city street with a person walking in the distance. A dark, semi-transparent rectangular box is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing the title and subtitle.

Tongue Trouble

James 3:1-12

**Can't Put
it Back**



Tongue Trouble:

James 3:1-12

◊ Words Are Hard vv.1-2

◊ A warning for teaching. v.1

◊ We all deal with tongue trouble. v.2

◊ Matthew 12:33-37

◊ Tongue trouble = heart trouble.

◊ Aim to be perfect v.2

◊ Perfect – under control.

◊ Thinking before we speak.

Tongue Trouble:

James 3:1-12

◇ Words Are Powerful vv.3-8:

◇ Sticks and stones... v.6

◇ “The tongue is like that. A spark of gossip, a careless remark, an unkind word... before you know what has happened, a flame ignites.”

◇ Proverbs 10:19

◇ James point is this: guard your tongue.

Proverbs 13:3

Tongue Trouble:

James 3:1-12

- ◆ Raising The Standard vv.9-12:
 - ◆ It shouldn't be this way vv.9-12
 - ◆ Christians ought to be striving for elevated speech. Ephesians 4:29-32
 - ◆ If that is not the case, there is heart trouble in our lives Matthew 12:34
 - ◆ Is it true, honorable, does it build up?

What must I do to be saved? *Acts 16:30*

➤ **Believe in Jesus;** *John 8:24*

➤ **Repent of Sins;** *Luke 13:3*

➤ **Confess our Faith in Christ;**

Matt. 10:32-33

➤ **Be Baptized for the Remission Of Sins;**

Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38

