

**THREE KINDS OF SIN**  
**Psalm 19:12-14**

**1. Errors (Lev. 4:1-17).**

- a. These are sins committed through ignorance.
- b. They require a blood atonement (like any sin does) to cleanse your guilt.
- c. Illustrated by Saul of Tarsus. He ignorantly persecuted Christians.

**2. Secret Faults. (James 5:16).**

- a. These are defects, not sins (temper, depression, laziness, impulsiveness, moral weakness, lust, hypersensitivity, etc).
- b. Faults have the *potential* to do great damage.
- c. You must deal with your faults before God.
- d. We are commanded to confess our faults to one another so we can pray for each other to get victory over that fault.
- e. Illustrated by Peter. His impulsive nature was a fault that led him to deny the Lord Jesus.

**3. Presumptuous sins.**

- a. These are willful, premeditated sins against God. (i.e. Genesis 37:12-36).
- b. Committed when a person presumes that they can sin and God won't care or will simply forgive them.
- c. Illustrated by David. His lust for Bathsheba wasn't presumptuous, but his plan to murder her husband was.

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