

DISPLAYING THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IN OUR LIFE

Intro:

- A. Text: Galatians 5:22-23
- B. What a wonderful and _____ challenge!
- C. To live a life that more resembles our text than the verses that immediately _____ it.
- D. The _____ thing is that perhaps too often our lives resemble the _____ of the _____ more than the _____ of the _____!
- E. More _____ is the thought that we have become less aware of it.
- F. Some behaviors are more emphasized as wrong.
- G. If we want to walk in the Spirit/display fruit of the Spirit/walk with God (Gen. 5:24; 6:9) then we must put to death the fleshly works.
- H. Paul in several of his letters discusses the contrast of being led by the Spirit and walking in the desires of the flesh, albeit, not as concise or packaged the same way. Consider:

- Eph. 4:17-5:21
- Col. 3:5-15
- I Thess. 4:1-12
- Romans 13:8-14

I. There are two phases in this process:

- PHASE 1-
 - _____ the works of the flesh.
 - This will involve a break from our _____
- PHASE 2-
 - Start _____ (this is a step up)
 - This will involve a commitment to _____ and _____
 - We are no longer _____ of _____ but _____ of _____.

J. Displaying the fruit of the Spirit looks like.....

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____