

Bible Study Series: The Book of Galatians

Chapter 5

Verses 22-23

- A. We demonstrate God's kingdom (God's rule) over our heart when we bear the fruit of the Spirit.
- The flesh produces _____ (the works of the flesh).
 - The Holy Spirit within the believer bears _____ (the fruit of the Spirit).
- B. These nine graces are not something that the believer can work up and manufacture on his _____. They are a natural expression of God's Spirit filling a yielded believer.
- C. There are nine graces that constitute the fruit of the Spirit:
- Love
 - This is listed first because _____ the other fruit flows forth from the fruit of love. Colossians 3:14; Galatians 5:14
 - Joy
 - This is a joy that comes from the Holy Spirit within. Romans 14:17, 15:13
 - This fruit of joy has nothing whatsoever to do with _____ circumstances. 2 Corinthians 7:4, 8:2
 - *"And ye became followers of us, and of the Lord, having received the word in much affliction, with joy of the Holy Ghost."*
1 Thessalonians 1:6
 - *"Wherein ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations:
That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ:
Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory."*
1 Peter 1:6-8

- Peace
 - The opposite of a heart at peace would be a heart that is _____ and agitated.
 - *“Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.” John 14:27*
 - *“These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.” John 16:33*
 - When the world is like a hurricane all around you, the Christian’s heart can be like the eye of the storm. This is called the _____ of God. Philippians 4:6-7; Colossians 3:15
 - *“Now the Lord of peace himself give you peace always by all means. The Lord be with you all.” 2 Thessalonians 3:16*
- Longsuffering
 - It is used two different ways in the New Testament.
 - Sometimes it carries the idea of patiently enduring through _____. 2 Corinthians 6:4-6; James 5:10
 - Other times it has to do with patiently enduring _____. Ephesians 4:2; Colossians 3:12-13
 - Longsuffering would be the opposite of being soon _____.