

“For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit.”

Rom. 8:5

“Finally, be strengthened by the Lord and by His vast strength.”

Eph. 6:10

“We always carry the death of Jesus in our body, so that the life of Jesus may also be revealed in our body.” 2 Cor. 4:10

Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the Lord watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain. Ps. 127:1

Now to Him who is
able to do far more
abundantly
beyond all that we ask
or think, according to the
power that works
within us, to
Him be the glory
in the church and in Christ
Jesus to all generations
forever and ever. Amen.

Eph. 3:20-21

My old self has been
crucified with Christ. It is
no longer I who live, but
Christ lives in me.
So I live in this earthly
body by trusting in
the Son of God,
who loved me and gave
himself for me. Gal. 2:20

How foolish can you be?

After starting your Christian lives in the Spirit, why are you now trying to become perfect by your own human effort?

Gal. 3:3

Walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh Gal. 5:16

And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. 2 Cor. 9:8

Since we are living by the Spirit, let us follow the Spirit's leading in every part of our lives. Gal. 5:25

The one who calls you is faithful, and he will continue to be faithful.

1 Thes. 5:24

For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be the glory forever. Amen. Rom 11:36

So all of us who have had that veil removed can see and reflect the glory of the Lord. And the Lord--who is the Spirit--makes us more and more like him as we are changed into his glorious image. 2 Cor. 3:18

For since there is jealousy and strife among you, are you not fleshly, and are you not walking like mere men? 1 Cor. 3:3

Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. Matt. 7:7

So then, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who is at work in you, both to will and to work for His good pleasure. Phil. 2:12-13

By His doing you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and redemption, so that, just as it is written, "Let him who boasts, boast in the Lord."

1 Cor. 1:30-31

But examine everything carefully; hold fast to that which is good; abstain from every form of evil. Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you entirely; and may your spirit and soul and body be preserved complete, without blame at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Thes. 5:21-23

"I do not ask on behalf of these alone, but for those also who believe in Me through their word; that they may all be one; even as you, Father, are in Me and I in you, that they also may be in Us, so that the world may believe that you sent Me. John 17:20-21

Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving; praying at the same time for us as well, that God will open up to us a door for the word. Col. 4:2

Conduct yourselves with wisdom toward outsiders, making the most of the opportunity. Let your speech always be with grace, as though seasoned with salt, so that you will know how you should respond to each person.

Col. 4:4-6

Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need. Heb. 4:16

Call to me and I will
answer you and tell you
great and unsearchable
things you do not know.'

Jer. 33:3

Very early in the morning,
while it was still dark,
Jesus got up, left the house
and went off to a solitary
place, where he prayed.

Mark 1:35

But be alert at all times,
praying that you may have
strength... Lk 21:36

Rejoice always;
pray without ceasing;
in everything give thanks;
for this is God's will for
you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thes. 5:16-18

Be anxious for nothing, but
in everything by prayer
and supplication with
thanksgiving let your
requests be made known to
God. And the peace of God,
which surpasses all
comprehension, will guard
your hearts and your minds
in Christ Jesus. Phil 4:6-7

You desire but do not have,
so you kill. You covet but
you cannot get what you
want, so you quarrel and
fight. You do not have
because you do not ask God.

Jam. 4:2

If any of you lacks
wisdom, you should ask
God, who gives generously
to all without finding fault,
and it will be given to you.

Jam. 1:5

But Jesus often withdrew to
lonely places and prayed

Lk 5:16

If my people, who are
called by my name,
will humble themselves
and pray and seek my face
and turn from their wicked
ways, then I will hear from
heaven, and I will
forgive their sin and
will heal their land.

2 Chron. 7:14

O God of my praise,
Do not be silent!
For they have opened the
wicked and deceitful
mouth against me;
They have spoken against
me with a lying tongue.
They have also surrounded
me with words of hatred,
And fought against
me without cause.
In return for my love they
act as my accusers;
But I am in prayer.
Ps. 109:1-4

“...pray for you and to ask
that you may be filled with
the knowledge of His will in
all spiritual wisdom and
understanding, so that you
will walk in a manner
worthy of the Lord, to
please Him in all respects,
bearing fruit in every good
work and increasing in the
knowledge of
God; strengthened with all
power, according to His
glorious might, for the
attaining of all
steadfastness and patience;
joyously giving thanks to
the Father, Col 1:9-12

For I am not ashamed of
the gospel, because it is the
power of God that brings
salvation to everyone who
believes Rom. 1:16

For in Christ all the
fullness of the Deity lives
in bodily form Col. 2:9

And Jesus grew in wisdom
and stature, and in favor
with God and man Lk 2:52

The thief comes only to
steal and kill and destroy;
I have come that they may
have life, and have it to
the full. Jn 10:10

For even the Son of Man
did not come to be served,
but to serve, and to give his
life as a ransom for many.
Mk 10:45

And many will follow
their sensuality, and
because of them the way of
truth will be blasphemed.
2 Pet. 2:2

But the goal of our instruction is love from a pure heart and a good conscience and a sincere faith. For some men, straying from these things, have turned aside to fruitless discussion.”

1 Tim. 1:5-6

To the weak I became weak, to win the weak. I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some.

1 Cor. 9:22

However, I consider my life worth nothing to me; my only aim is to finish the race and complete the task the Lord Jesus has given me--the task of testifying to the good news of God's grace.

Acts 20:24

“Whoever is not with me is against me, and whoever does not gather with me scatters.”

Lk 11:23

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

Mt. 28:18-20

"But you, be sober in all things, endure hardship, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry."

2 Tim. 4:5

Sing to the LORD,
praise his name;
proclaim his salvation
day after day.

Ps. 96:2

And when I came to you, brethren, I did not come with superiority of speech or of wisdom, proclaiming to you the testimony of God. For I determined to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and Him crucified. I was with you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling, and my message and my preaching were not in persuasive words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith would not rest on the wisdom of men, but on the power of God.

1 Cor. 2:1-5

How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them?

Rom 10:14

For we speak as messengers approved by God to be entrusted with the Good News. Our purpose is to please God, not people. He alone examines the motives of our hearts.

1 Thes. 2:4

For if I preach the gospel,
that gives me no ground for
boasting. For necessity is
laid upon me. Woe to me if
I do not preach the gospel!

1 Cor. 9:16

The fruit of the righteous is
a tree of life, and the one
who is wise saves lives.

Prov. 11:30

“For the message of the
cross is foolishness to those
who are perishing, but to us
who are being saved it is
the power of God.”

1 Cor. 1:18

“Now all these things are
from God, who reconciled us
to Himself through Christ
and gave us the ministry of
reconciliation, namely, that
God was in Christ
reconciling the world to
Himself, not counting their
trespasses against them,
and He has committed to us
the word of reconciliation.

Therefore, we are
ambassadors for Christ, as
though God were making an
appeal through us; we beg
you on behalf of Christ, be
reconciled to God.”

2 Cor. 5:18-20

To the weak I became weak,
that I might win the weak;
I have become all things
to all men, so that
I may by all means
save some. I do all things
for the sake of the gospel,
so that I may become a
fellow partaker of it.

1 Cor. 9:22-23

"But if we walk in the
light, as he is in the light,
we have fellowship with one
another, and the blood of
Jesus, his Son, purifies us
from all sin." 1 Jn 1:7

Do not be misled: "Bad
company corrupts good
character." 1 Cor. 15:33

And let us consider how we
may spur one another on
toward love and good
deeds. Heb. 10:24

As iron sharpens iron, so
one person sharpens
another. Prov. 27:17

Offer hospitality to one
another without grumbling.
1 Pet. 4:9