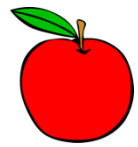




The Fruits of a Spirit Filled Life
A Genuine Church
Galatians 6:1-18
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Introduction: How does the “Fruit of the Spirit” which seems to grow in the lives of individuals affect the church as a whole? Since spiritual growth and development impacts every part of a believer’s life, it is logical to expect that relationships within the congregation composed of believers would be changed and the church as a whole would be Spirit filled. As Paul concludes his letter, he reveals that a church of Spirit filled believers:

I. M _____ (vv. 1-5)

“If your brother sins against you, go and rebuke him in private. If he listens to you, you have won your brother. ¹⁶But if he won’t listen, take one or two more with you, so that by the testimony of two or three witnesses every fact may be established. ¹⁷If he pays no attention to them, tell the church. But if he doesn’t pay attention even to the church, let him be like an unbeliever and a tax collector to you.” Matthew 18:15-17

“Do not judge, so that you won’t be judged... ⁵Hypocrite! First take the log out of your eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your brother’s eye.” Matthew 7:1, 5

“I give you a new command: Love one another. Just as I have loved you, you must also love one another. ³⁵By this all people will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.” John 13:34-35

“Now you are the body of Christ, and individual members of it.” 1 Corinthians 12:27

II. T _____ (vv. 6-10)

“For the time will come when they will not tolerate sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, will multiply teachers for themselves because they have an itch to hear something new. ⁴They will turn away from hearing the truth and will turn aside to myths.”
2 Timothy 4:3-4

“God will bring this about in His own time. He is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings, and the Lord of lords...”
1 Timothy 6:15

III. F _____ (vv. 11-17)

“For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but it is God’s power to us who are being saved.”
1 Corinthians 1:18

“And I will give them one heart and put a new spirit within them; I will remove their heart of stone from their bodies and give them a heart of flesh...”
Ezekiel 11:19

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away, and look, new things have come.”
2 Corinthians 5:17