



CANYON BIBLE CHURCH

“The Believer’s Reliance on the Spirit”

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Galatians 5:25-26

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v24 Those who belong to Christ have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. Gal 5:24

v25 If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit.

A. If we **LIVE**, by His grace through faith in Jesus...

1. Then, put to **DEATH** what *was of us* - our fleshly desires.
Gal 2:20, 5:24, Col 3:5-10

2. Then, **LIVE BY** the Spirit so it is *Him who bears fruit*.
Gal 5:5, 22-23, 25

B. To **REMAIN** (keep) walking in the Spirit is to live out the crucified life of faith in Jesus.

1. **PLAN, PREPARE FOR**, and **POSTURE** your life for the Spirit’s activities of:
 - a. Fulfilling the law of love Gal 5:6, 13-15
 - b. Having victory over our flesh Gal 2:20; 5:1, 13, 16, 24
 - c. Bearing His fruit Gal 5:22-23, 1 Cor 12:7, Eph 4:1

v26 Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.

1. **LOVE** does not boast, it is not arrogant.
Gal 3:3, 1 Cor 13:4, Eph 4:2

2. **LOVE** itself is from God and also a gift like the Spirit is. *How can we boast in what was given?*
Gal 3:2, 1 John 4:7-12, Eph 4:7

3. **LOVE** lives in harmony, and pursues peace with everyone – so far as it depends on you.
Rom 12:16-18, Titus 3:9, Rom 12:9-10 Eph 4:3-6

Encouragements:

1. **PRAY** that the Spirit would be victorious over your flesh’s desires, and that you would remain in Him. Gal 5:16, 25
2. In faith, working through love, **SERVE** one another - walking by the Spirit. Gal 5:5, 13, 14
3. **PURSUE** the glory of Jesus in all areas of your life, the Spirit lives in you to make much of Jesus. Gal 5:24; Jn 16:13-15