

FUSION Q's... Holiness Part 3: What does it look like?

Discussion Questions

Q1. If someone came up to you and asked what living a holy life looked like, what would be your answer?

Read Galatians 5:16-18

Q2. Paul says that there are two things at war within you. What are they?

Q3. How is it possible to let the Spirit of God guide your life?

Read Galatians 5:19-21

Q4. What does a person's life look like when they follow the desires of their sinful nature?

Q5. What is the consequence of following your sinful desires?

Q6. Does this consequence mean we have to live a perfect life? Why or why not?

Q7. What should we do when we have been following sinful desires in our lives?

Read Galatians 5:22-26

Q8. What is produced in our lives as a result of following God's Spirit?

Q9. What should we be doing with the sinful desires that are constantly popping up in our lives?

Q10. What fruit of the Spirit do you see in your life? What fruits do you need to work on?

Bible Passages for Fusion Discussion

Galatians 5:16-18 (NLT)

¹⁶ So I say, let the Holy Spirit guide your lives. Then you won't be doing what your sinful nature craves. ¹⁷ The sinful nature wants to do evil, which is just the opposite of what the Spirit wants. And the Spirit gives us desires that are the opposite of what the sinful nature desires. These two forces are constantly fighting each other, so you are not free to carry out your good intentions. ¹⁸ But when you are directed by the Spirit, you are not under obligation to the law of Moses.

Galatians 5:19-21 (NLT)

¹⁹ When you follow the desires of your sinful nature, the results are very clear: sexual immorality, impurity, lustful pleasures, ²⁰ idolatry, sorcery, hostility, quarreling, jealousy, outbursts of anger, selfish ambition, dissension, division, ²¹ envy, drunkenness, wild parties, and other sins like these. Let me tell you again, as I have before, that anyone living that sort of life will not inherit the Kingdom of God.

Galatians 5:22-26 (NLT)

²² But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

²⁴ Those who belong to Christ Jesus have nailed the passions and desires of their sinful nature to his cross and crucified them there. ²⁵ Since we are living by the Spirit, let us follow the Spirit's leading in every part of our lives. ²⁶ Let us not become conceited, or provoke one another, or be jealous of one another.