

**Living a Spirit led Life**  
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If we live by the [Holy] Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit. [If by the Holy Spirit we have our life in God, let us go forward walking in line, our conduct controlled by the Spirit. **(Galatians 5:25 AMP)**

Walk means walking in relation to others, walk orderly with one. Conduct is controlled by the Spirit not the Law.

So that the righteous and just requirement of the Law might be fully met in us who live and move not in the ways of the flesh but in the ways of the Spirit [our lives governed not by the standards and according to the dictates of the flesh, but controlled by the Holy Spirit]. For those who are according to the flesh and are controlled by its unholy desires set their minds on and pursue those things which gratify the flesh, but those who are according to the Spirit and are controlled by the desires of the Spirit set their minds on and seek those things which gratify the [Holy] Spirit. **(Romans 8:4, 5 AMP)**

Flesh loves the Law.

That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. **(John 3:6 NKJV)**

However, the spiritual is not first, but the natural, and afterward the spiritual. The first man was of the earth, made of dust; the second Man is the Lord from heaven. As was the man of dust, so also are those who are made of dust; and as is the heavenly Man, so also are those who are heavenly. And as we have borne the image of the man of dust, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly Man. **(I Corinthians 15:46-49 NKJV)**

I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh. For the flesh lusts against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary to one another, so that you do not do the things that you wish. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. **(Galatians 5:16-18 NKJV)**

Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree” ), **(Galatians 3:13 NKJV)**

For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the law of sin and death. For what the law could not do in that it was weak through the flesh, God did by sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, on account of sin: He condemned sin in the flesh, that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit. **(Romans 8:2-4 NKJV)**

We were saved by Grace and now we try living under the Law.

Now you are free from your slavery to sin, and you have become slaves to righteous living. **(Romans 6:18 NLT)**

But now having been set free from sin, and having become slaves of God, you have your fruit to holiness, and the end, everlasting life. **(Romans 6:22 NKJV)**

You have your fruit unto sanctification. What is your fruit. The Spirit of God is going to handle your conduct. The Holy Spirit has taken law out of your life.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law. And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. **(Galatians 5:22-24 NKJV)**

And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: of sin, because they do not believe in Me; of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more; of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. **(John 16:8-11 NKJV)**

The Holy Spirit in you qualifies you to live on earth, but my spirit qualifies me to live in Heaven.

Let us not become vainglorious and self-conceited, competitive and challenging and provoking and irritating to one another, envying and being jealous of one another. **(Galatians 5:26 AMP)**

Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself. Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others. **(Philippians 2:3, 4 NKJV)**

BRETHREN, IF any person is overtaken in misconduct or sin of any sort, you who are spiritual [who are responsive to and controlled by the Spirit] should set him right and restore and reinstate him, without any sense of superiority and with all gentleness, keeping an attentive eye on yourself, lest you should be tempted also. **(Galatians 6:1 AMP)**

Bear (endure, carry) one another's burdens and troublesome moral faults, and in this way fulfill and see perfectly the law of Christ (the Messiah) and complete what is lacking [in your obedience to it]. For if any person thinks himself to be somebody [too important to condescend to shoulder another's load] when he is nobody [of superiority except in his own estimation], he deceives and deludes and cheats himself. **(Galatians 6:2, 3 AMP)**