

Spiritual Examination

(GF-02) Genuine Faith Series

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2 Corinthians 13:5

Objectively perceiving the Subjective

- 1 Thessalonians 5:23
- Spirit – _____ – Subjective

Written that may know

- 1 John 5:13 I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have _____ life.
 - That you have been _____ – John 3:5–6
 - That you are _____ - Romans 10:9–10
 - _____ from the domain of darkness and transferred to the kingdom of God's Son - Colossians 1:13–14
 - That you are a _____ of God - John 1:12
 - That you are a _____ in Christ Jesus - 2 Corinthians 5:17
 - This point of Spiritual health will _____ affect all other areas of your life
 - Emotional – peace _____ God gives you the peace _____ God
 - Relational – all others can _____ you, but nothing can separate you from the _____ of God

Other objective evidence of Spiritual health

- Matthew 7:15–18
 - Identify the false (prophets, teachers, Christians, myself) by their (my) _____
 - By the way they _____ – a bad tree cannot bear good fruit
- Galatians 5:16–25

- Fruit Inspectors – self-examination and others as well
 - When you follow after the sinful nature the _____ are very clear
 - Living that way, you will _____ inherit the kingdom of God
 - But the Holy Spirit produces this _____ of fruit
 - Those who belong to Christ have nailed the passions and desires of the sinful nature to the _____
 - Led by the Spirit in _____ part of our lives
- Passion fruit
 - Good - 1 Peter 4:11
 - Bad - 1 Thessalonians 4:4–5

Filled (baptized) with the Holy Spirit

- John 16:13
- Luke 24:49
- Acts 10:44–47
- Acts 15:7–9
- Objective Evidence of being Spirit filled
 - Power to be _____
 - _____ of the Holy Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:7-11)
 - _____ of the Holy Spirit (Galatians 5:22-23)

Objective Evidence From the Inside Out

- Matthew 12:34–36
 - The mouth speaks out of that which fills the _____
 - Good treasure brings out _____
 - Evil treasure brings out _____
- Ephesians 4:29 (NLT) — Don't use foul or abusive language. Let everything you say be good and helpful, so that your words will be an _____ to those who hear them.

Invitation for Salvation

- Romans 1:16
- Romans 10:9–10
- Philippians 2:10–11
- Matthew 7:21