

# CARNAL OR SPIRITUAL

**1 Thessalonians NKJV 5: 23** Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your whole spirit, soul, and body be preserved blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

## 1. Carnally Minded

**Roman NKJV 8: 5** For those live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those *who live* according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit. **6** For to be carnally minded *is* death, but to be spiritually minded *is* life and peace. **7** Because the carnal mind *is* enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be. **8** So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

## 2. Spiritually Minded

**Romans NKJV 8: 6** For to be carnally minded *is* death, but to be spiritually minded *is* life and peace.

**John NKJV 6: 63** *It is the Spirit who gives life; the flesh profits nothing. The words that I speak to you are spirit, and they are life.*

## 3. We must get to the place our thoughts are dominated by the word of God, “Spiritually Minded,”

**Isaiah NKJV 26: 3** You will keep *him* in perfect peace, *Whose mind is stayed on You, Because he trusts in You.*

## 4. Believers should look different,

**Ephesians NKJV 4: 17** This I say, therefore, and testify in the Lord, that you should no longer walk as the rest of the Gentiles walk, in the futility of their mind,

**Ephesians NKJV 4: 18** having their understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God, because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart; **19** who, being past feeling, have given themselves over to lewdness, to work all uncleanness with greediness.