

## **DISCUSSION GUIDE**

Part 6 of The Fruit of the Spirit

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**1. Moral Excellence** (Genesis 1:27, 2 Timothy 3:16-17)

Discuss:

- What are the implications if morality is objective vs. subjective?
- How do we discern what is morally excellent in a culture with shifting values?
- How do we respond when biblical morality conflicts with cultural norms?
- **2. Active Kindness** (Galatians 6:9-10, Ephesians 2:10)

Discuss:

- What's the difference between passive kindness and active kindness?
- Why is action an important part of biblical goodness?
- What hinders us from being actively kind to others?
- **3. God's Nature** (Mark 10:18, John 11:35, Genesis 3:1-5)

Discuss:

- What does it mean that goodness is rooted in God's nature?
- Can we be truly good apart from God?
- How does knowing God's nature shape how we define and pursue goodness?
- 4. Expressed Through the Spirit (Isaiah 64:6, Galatians 5:19-21)

Discuss:

- Why must goodness be Spirit-expressed and not self-generated?
- What's the danger in trying to be good without the Spirit?
- What are signs that our goodness is Spirit-led?

