



Love

Fruit of the Spirit

Gal. 5:22-23; 1 Cor. 13:1-8



The
FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT

GALATIANS 5:22-23







“Our churches
need to become
known as places
you go to be loved,
and to love...”

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(1 Corinthians 13:1, NIV)

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can move mountains, but do not
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(1 Corinthians 13:2, NIV)

“If I give all I possess to the poor
and give over my body to the
flames that I may boast, but do not
have love, I gain nothing.”

(1 Corinthians 13:3, NIV)

“Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs...”

(1 Corinthians 13:4, NIV)

“Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.”

(1 Corinthians 13:6-8a, NIV)

**A supernaturally
changed life...**

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EPIRUS

MACEDONIA

AEGEAN SEA

Athens

Corinth

ACHAIA

IONIAN SEA



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“Many will say to me on that day,
‘Lord, Lord, did we not prophecy in
your name and in your name drive out
demons and in your name perform
many miracles?’ Then I will tell them
plainly, ‘I never knew you. Away from
me, you evildoers!’”

(Matthew 7:22,23, NIV)

Jesus: “Beware of false teachers...
by their **fruit** you will know them.”

(Matthew 7:15, 16, NIV)

2. Is not the same as a
moral life

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