

THE BOOK OF JOHN

for educators

JOHN 14:22-26

Judas (not Iscariot) said to Him, "Lord, how is it that you will manifest yourself to us, and not to the world?" "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make our home with him. Whoever does not love Me does not keep My words. And the word that you hear is not Mine, but the Father's Who sent Me. These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, Whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.

THERE'S A WORD FOR THAT!

Patience

Too often we are expected to display all the qualities of the Spirit, yet never given the recognition that these are divine qualities. The good news is that against such things there is no law.

Galatians 5:22-23 – *But the Fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.*



A Teacher's Prayer

Dear Heavenly Father,
 You are love. Your love covers all things. Loving You and keeping Your ways amplifies the Fruit of the Spirit to our lives. Please teach us all things that led to love, joy, peace, goodness, kindness, gentleness, self-control, patience and faithfulness to our students and colleagues. Show us how to live in the supernatural with our eyes on the kingdom and display through us the Fruit that only You can truly bear. We want to be like You, Lord, so that we can bless others and let them see You through us each day. We pray in the fruitful name of Jesus. Amen.

MEDITATION FOR THE MONTH

Ephesians 4:1-3 – *I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.*

PRAYER, POSTURE AND PRACTICALITIES

1:16 PM prayer prompt – Please pray that the Fruit of the Spirit is evident in our classrooms. (Gal. 5:22)

ABC Prayer of Adoration – Action Step #2 – Begin a list of God's Names and attributes in a notebook (digital or paper) to see how many you can come up with. It's not cheating to use the dictionary or websites that feature "words that begin with...."

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