

Walking in the Spirit

I. Review & Introduction

II. Christ and the Spirit

- A. His Conception by the Spirit- Luke 1:35
- B. His Growth in the Spirit- Luke 2:52
- C. His Baptism- Luke 3:21, 22
- D. His Temptation in the wilderness- Luke 4: 1, 2
- E. His work on the cross- Hebrews 9:13, 14
- F. His Resurrection- Romans 1:4
- G. His ascension- Acts 2:33
- H. He is *the* spiritual man- 1 Corinthians 15:44, 45

III. Walking in OR being Filled with The Holy Spirit

Galatians 5:16 “walk by the Spirit”

Ephesians 5:18 “do not get drunk with wine...but be filled with the Spirit”

A. Being “filled” with the Spirit is NOT the same as being “baptized” with the Spirit

B. What does it mean to be filled with the Spirit?

C. An ongoing reality

D. Consequences:

i. “addressing one another in Psalm, Hymns, and Spiritual songs” (5:19)

ii. “singing and making melody in your heart” (5:19)

iii. “giving thanks always...” (5:20)

iv. “submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ” (5:21)

1. Previous context **Ephesians 4** –

- 4:25 use of our speech
- 4:26 biblical conflict resolution
- 4:28 generosity
- 4:29 edifying speech
- 4:31-32 growing in Christian virtues

2. Following Context: **Ephesians 5:22- 6:9**

- 5:22-33 marriage
- 6:1-4 family
- 6:5-9 workplace

IV. How to be filled with the Spirit?

A. Prayer – Ephesians 6:18

B. The Word (Compare Ephesians 5:18-6:9 with Colossians 3:16-4:1)