



11am Bible Study: Pastor Will Lloyd, IV, M.T.S.

Topic: How Faith And Love Guides Christian Lifestyles
Book Theme: Don't Alter The Gospel
Chapters: Galatians 4 - 5 **Dec. 13th, 2023**

Central Text: Galatians 5:16, NKJV, 16 I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh.

1. People And Believers Driven By Self-goodness Won't Be Marked Righteous By Christ - Galatians 5:1-6

Question For Dialogue: There are many people who don't break any societal laws, give to charity, and seek to help their fellow man, but have rejected Jesus as Lord of their life, meaning they haven't repented from their way to Jesus' way. Those people believe they deserve to enter eternal pleasure with God, instead of eternal torture with Satan once they die, because they've earned it through the good deeds of their life. **How can you lovingly share with them the reason why our good deeds apart from accepting Jesus as Lord of our life will not result in eternal life in Heaven with God?**

2. Witness For Christ And Live In Ways That Won't Hinder Our Message Effectiveness - Galatians 5:13-14

Question for Dialogue: (Ask yourself) **If I were far from Christ, what lifestyle type of a person sharing Jesus with me would I deem loving and able to influence me to accept Jesus as Lord?**

3. Secure Victory Over Our Sin-nature By Feeding On Spiritual Food - Galatians 5:16-18

Question for Dialogue: What type of food does your spiritual side crave?

4. Those Under Self-lordship Can't Enter Heaven - Galatians 5:19-21

Question for Dialogue: Practicing a lifestyle that's led by the sin-nature will drive us far away from God and prevent us from entering His heavenly Kingdom. **How has the reality of evil, evident in the sins on display in our society, helped you believe in the testimony of God's messengers from the prophets, Messiah, and apostles?**

5. Repenting From Our Way Of Living To Jesus' Way Of Living Removes The Sin-nature As Lord, So Jesus Can Reign As Lord Of Our Life, and Positively Influence Our Life's Choices - Galatians 5:22-25

Question for Dialogue: **What are the biggest obstacles in the way of people "crucifying the flesh" by repenting of their way of living to begin following Jesus' way of living?**