

# Ephesians 5

5 <sup>1</sup>Be imitators of God, therefore, as dearly loved children <sup>2</sup>and live a life of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

<sup>3</sup> But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or of any kind of impurity, or of greed, because these are improper for God's holy people. <sup>4</sup> Nor should there be obscenity, foolish talk or coarse joking, which are out of place, but rather thanksgiving.

<sup>5</sup> For of this you can be sure: No immoral, impure or greedy person—such a person is an idolater—has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God. <sup>6</sup> Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of such things God's wrath comes on those who are disobedient. <sup>7</sup> Therefore do not be partners with them.

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1. Live A Life Of Love

Eph. 5:1-7



<sup>8</sup> For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light <sup>9</sup> (for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth) <sup>10</sup> and find out what pleases the Lord. <sup>11</sup> Have nothing to do with the fruitless deeds of darkness, but rather expose them. <sup>12</sup> It is shameful even to mention what the disobedient do in secret.

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1. Live A Life Of Love Eph. 5:1-7
2. Live As Children Of Light Eph. 5:8-12

<sup>15</sup> Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, <sup>16</sup> making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. <sup>17</sup> Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. <sup>18</sup> Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit, <sup>19</sup> speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, <sup>20</sup> always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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| 4. Live In Submission        | Eph. 5:21    |

## Philippians 3:5-6 (NIV)

<sup>5</sup> circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; in regard to the law, a Pharisee; <sup>6</sup> as for zeal, persecuting the church; as for righteousness based on the law, faultless.

97 Oh, how I love your law!

I meditate on it all day long.

98 Your commands are always with me  
and make me wiser than my enemies.

99 I have more insight than all my teachers,  
for I meditate on your statutes.

100 I have more understanding than the  
elders, for I obey your precepts.

101 I have kept my feet from every evil path  
so that I might obey your word.



<sup>102</sup> I have not departed from your laws,  
for you yourself have taught me.

<sup>103</sup> How sweet are your words to my  
taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth!

<sup>104</sup> I gain understanding from your  
precepts; therefore I hate every wrong  
path.

**21** Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ.

**22** Wives, submit yourselves to your own husbands as you do to the Lord .....

**25** Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her . .....

**6** Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right .....

<sup>4</sup> Fathers, do not exasperate your children; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord....

<sup>5</sup> Slaves, obey your earthly masters with respect and fear....

<sup>9</sup> And masters, treat your slaves in the same way.....