

September 19, 2021 Fruit of the Spirit: Joy Galatians 5:22: Nehemiah 8:1-3: 10-12



Here's what happens...

After they finish rebuilding the wall around Jerusalem, Nehemiah and his friends read from God's Word. They're sad to realize they haven't been obeying God, but Nehemiah tells them to celebrate because the joy of the Lord is our strength.

> **Bible Point:** Joy is a fruit of the Spirit.

> > **FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT**

"But the Holy Spirit produces

this kind of fruit in our lives:

love, joy, peace, patience,

kindness, goodness,

faithfulness, gentleness, and

self-control. There is no law

against these things!"

GALATIANS 5:22-23

Family Together Time This Week...

As a family, make signs with smiley faces and the words of the Scriptures below. Hang the signs around the house as a reminder that the Spirit can fill you with joy!

- 1 Thessalonians 5:16
- Romans 12:12
- Psalm 33:1
- Psalm 94:19
- Psalm 16:11
- Psalm 68:3

Talk About This... How can you help spread joy?

For the next 8 weeks we will be memorizing Galatians 5:22-25

Try to practice it at home!

Those who are able to memorize the verse at the end of the 9 weeks will receive a prize!

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