

Exod. 29:18. And you shall offer up in smoke the whole ram on the altar; it is a burnt offering to the LORD: it is a soothing aroma, an offering by fire to the LORD.

Gen. 8:21. The LORD smelled the soothing aroma, and the LORD said to Himself, "I will never again curse the ground on account of man, for the intent of man's heart is evil from his youth; and I will never again destroy every living thing, as I have done."

¹Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children;

²and walk in love, just as Christ also loved you and gave Himself up for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God as a fragrant aroma.

Matt. 5:48. Therefore you shall be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

Luke 6:36. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.

John 13:34. I am giving you a new commandment, that you love one another; just as I have loved you, that you also love one another.

Eph. 4:32. Be kind to one another, compassionate, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.

Rom. 8:37. But in all these things we overwhelmingly conquer through Him who loved us.

Rom. 14:15. For if because of food your brother or sister is hurt, you are no longer walking in accordance with love. Do not destroy with your choice of food that person for whom Christ died.

Rom. 4:25. He who was delivered over because of our wrongdoings, and was raised because of our justification.

Heb. 7:26–27. For it was fitting for us to have such a high priest, holy, innocent, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens; ²⁷who has no daily need, like those high priests, to offer up sacrifices, first for His own sins and then for the sins of the people, because He did this once for all time when He offered up Himself.

Heb. 9:13–14. For if the blood of goats and bulls, and the ashes of a heifer sprinkling those who have been defiled, sanctify for the cleansing of the flesh, ¹⁴how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without blemish to God, cleanse your conscience from dead

Ps. 16:4. The pains of those who have acquired another god will be multiplied; I will not pour out their drink offerings of blood, nor will I take their names upon my lips.

³ **But sexual immorality or any impurity or greed must not even be mentioned among you, as is proper among saints;**

works to serve the living God?

Gal. 1:3–4. Grace to you and peace from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁴who gave Himself for our sins so that He might rescue us from this present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father,

Heb. 10:10–12. By this will, we have been sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all time. ¹¹Every priest stands daily ministering and offering time after time the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins; ¹²but He, having offered one sacrifice for sins for all time, SAT DOWN AT THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD...

2 Cor. 2:15–16. For we are a fragrance of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing: ¹⁶to the one an aroma from death to death, to the other an aroma from life to life. And who is adequate for these things?

1 Cor. 6:18. Flee sexual immorality. Every other sin that a person commits is outside the body, but the sexually immoral person sins against his own body.

1 Tim. 4:1–3. But the Spirit explicitly says that in later times some will fall away from the faith, paying attention to deceitful spirits and teachings of demons, ²by means of the hypocrisy of liars seared in their own conscience as with a

Eccl. 10:12–14. Words from the mouth of a wise person are gracious, while the lips of a fool consume him; ¹³the beginning of his talking is foolishness, and the end of it is evil insanity. ¹⁴Yet the fool multiplies words. No person knows what will happen, and who can tell him what will come after him?

⁴**and there must be no filthiness or foolish talk, or vulgar joking, which are not fitting, but rather giving of thanks.**

Acts 19:1–7. Now it happened that while Apollos was in Corinth, Paul passed through the upper country and came to Ephesus, and found some disciples. ²He said to them, “Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?” And they said to him, “On the contrary, we have not even heard if there is a Holy Spirit.” ³And he said, “Into what then were you baptized?” And they said, “Into John’s baptism.” ⁴Paul said, “John baptized with a baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in Him

branding iron, ³who forbid marriage and advocate abstaining from foods which God has created to be gratefully shared in by those who believe and know the truth.

Gal. 5:19–21. Now the deeds of the flesh are evident, which are: sexual immorality, impurity, indecent behavior, ²⁰idolatry, witchcraft, hostilities, strife, jealousy, outbursts of anger, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions, ²¹envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these, of which I forewarn you, just as I have forewarned you, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

Col. 3:5. Therefore, treat the parts of your earthly body as dead to sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed, which amounts to idolatry.

Rom. 1:28–30. And just as they did not see fit to acknowledge God, God gave them up to a depraved mind, to do those things that are not proper, ²⁹people having been filled with all unrighteousness, wickedness, greed, and evil; full of envy, murder, strife, deceit, and malice; they are gossips, ³⁰slanderers, haters of God, insolent, arrogant, boastful, inventors of evil, disobedient to parents...

Ps. 34:8. Taste and see that the LORD is good; How blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him!

⁵ For this you know with certainty, that no sexually immoral or impure or greedy person, which amounts to an idolater, has an inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God.

who was coming after him, that is, in Jesus.” ⁵When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. ⁶And when Paul had laid hands upon them, the Holy Spirit came on them and they began speaking with tongues and prophesying. ⁷There were about twelve men in all.

John 3:16–21. “For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish, but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but so that the world might be saved through Him. ¹⁸The one who believes in Him is not judged; the one who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God. ¹⁹And this is the judgment, that the Light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the Light; for their deeds were evil. ²⁰For everyone who does evil hates the Light, and does not come to the Light, so that his deeds will not be exposed. ²¹But the one who practices the truth comes to the Light, so that his deeds will be revealed as having been performed in God.”

1 Cor. 6:9–10. Or do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived; neither the sexually immoral, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, ¹⁰nor thieves, nor the greedy, nor those habitually drunk, nor verbal abusers, nor swindlers, will inherit the kingdom of God.

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Col. 1:13. For He rescued us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us

⁶See that no one deceives you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience.

Matt. 24:4. And Jesus answered and said to them, "See to it that no one misleads you."

to the kingdom of His beloved Son...

1 John 3:7–10. Little children, make sure no one deceives you; the one who practices righteousness is righteous, just as He is righteous; ⁸the one who practices sin is of the devil; for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The Son of God appeared for this purpose, to destroy the works of the devil. ⁹No one who has been born of God practices sin, because His seed remains in him; and he cannot sin continually, because he has been born of God. ¹⁰By this the children of God and the children of the devil are obvious: anyone who does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor the one who does not love his brother and sister.

Col. 2:8. See to it that there is no one who takes you captive through philosophy and empty deception in accordance with human tradition, in accordance with the elementary principles of the world, rather than in accordance with Christ.

Rom. 1:18. For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of people who suppress the truth in unrighteousness...

Col. 3:6. For it is because of these things that the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience...

Isa. 2:5. Come, house of Jacob, and let's walk in the light of the LORD.

⁷ **Therefore do not become partners with them;**

⁸ **for you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord; walk as children of light**

Acts 26:16–18. “But get up and stand on your feet; for this purpose I have appeared to you, to appoint you as a servant and a witness not only to the things in which you have seen Me, but also to the things in which I will appear to you, ¹⁷rescuing you from the Jewish people and from the Gentiles, to whom I am sending you, ¹⁸to open their eyes so that they may turn from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who have been sanctified by faith in Me.”

Eph. 2:1–2. And you were dead in your offenses and sins, ²in which you previously walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience.

1 Pet. 1:14. As obedient children, do not be conformed to the former lusts which were yours in your ignorance...

Eph. 3:6–7. to be specific, that the Gentiles are fellow heirs and fellow members of the body, and fellow partakers of the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel, ⁷of which I was made a minister, according to the gift of God's grace which was given to me according to the working of His power.

Eph. 2:2. ...in which you previously walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience.

Col. 1:12. ...giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

Rom. 13:12. The night is almost gone, and the day is near. Therefore let's rid ourselves of the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light.

Zech. 8:16. These are the things which you shall do: speak the truth to one another; judge with truth and judgment for peace at your gates.

⁹ **(for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness, and truth),**

¹⁰ **as you try to learn what is pleasing to the Lord.**

John 12:36. While you have the Light, believe in the Light, so that you may become sons of Light.” These things Jesus proclaimed, and He went away and hid Himself from them.

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

Rom. 7:4. Therefore, my brothers and sisters, you also were put to death in regard to the Law through the body of Christ, so that you might belong to another, to Him who was raised from the dead, in order that we might bear fruit for God.

Rom. 15:14. And concerning you, my brothers and *sisters*, I myself also am convinced that you yourselves are full of goodness, filled with all knowledge and able also to admonish one another.

1 Thess. 2:3–4. For our exhortation does not come from error or impurity or by way of deceit; ⁴but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the gospel, so we speak, not intending to please people, but to please God, who examines our hearts.

Rom. 12:2. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what

Lev. 19:17. “You shall not hate your fellow countryman in your heart; you may certainly rebuke your neighbor, but you are not to incur sin because of him.”

¹¹ Do not participate in the useless deeds of darkness, but instead even expose them;

See Acts 26:16–18.

the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

Rom. 6:12. Therefore sin is not to reign in your mortal body so that you obey its lusts,

1 Cor. 5:9–10. I wrote to you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people; ¹⁰I did not at all mean with the sexually immoral people of this world, or with the greedy and swindlers, or with idolaters, for then you would have to leave the world.

2 Cor. 6:14. Do not be mismatched with unbelievers; for what do righteousness and lawlessness share together, or what does light have in common with darkness?

Rom. 13:12. The night is almost gone, and the day is near. Therefore let’s rid ourselves of the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light.

Col. 1:12. ...giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

1 Tim. 5:20. Those who continue in sin, rebuke in the presence of all, so that the rest also will be fearful of sinning.

Eph. 5:3. But sexual immorality or any impurity or greed must not even be mentioned among you, as is proper among saints...

¹² for it is disgraceful even to speak of the things which are done by them in secret.

Isa. 60:1–2. “Arise, shine; for your light has come, And the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. ²For behold, darkness will cover the earth And deep darkness the peoples; But the LORD will rise upon you And His glory will appear upon you.”

Isa. 26:19. Your dead will live; Their corpses will rise. You who lie in the dust, awake and shout for joy, for your dew is as the dew of the dawn, and the earth will give birth to the departed spirits.

Isa. 51:17. Pull yourself up! Pull yourself up! Arise, Jerusalem! You who have drunk from the LORD’S hand the cup of His anger; The chalice of staggering you have drunk to the dregs.

Isa. 52:1. Awake, awake, Clothe yourself in your strength, Zion; Clothe yourself with your beautiful garments, Jerusalem, the holy city; For the uncircumcised and the unclean Will no longer come into you.

Prov. 15:21. Foolishness is joy to one who lacks sense,

¹³ But all things become visible when they are exposed by the light, for everything that becomes visible is light.

¹⁴ For this reason it says, “Awake, sleeper, And arise from the dead, And Christ will shine on you.”

¹⁵ So then, be careful how you walk, not as

John 3:20-21. For everyone who does evil hates the Light, and does not come to the Light, so that his deeds will not be exposed. ²¹But the one who practices the truth comes to the Light, so that his deeds will be revealed as having been performed in God.”

Luke 1:78–79. “Because of the tender mercy of our God, with which the Sunrise from on high will visit us, ⁷⁹To shine on those who sit in darkness and the shadow of death, To guide our feet into the way of peace.”

John 5:25. “Truly, truly, I say to you, a time is coming and even now has arrived, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live.”

Rom. 13:11. Do this, knowing the time, that it is already the hour for you to awaken from sleep; for now salvation is nearer to us than when we first believed.

Eph. 2:1. And you were dead in your offenses and sins...

Eph. 5:1–2. Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved

But a person of understanding walks straight.

Eccl. 12:1. Remember also your Creator in the days of your youth, before the evil days come and the years approach when you will say, "I have no pleasure in them."

Amos 5:12–13. For I know your offenses are many and your sins are great, You who are hostile to the righteous and accept bribes, And turn away the poor from justice at the gate. ¹³Therefore at such a time the prudent person keeps quiet, because it is an evil time.

unwise people but as wise,

¹⁶ making the most of your time, because the days are evil.

¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.

children; ²and walk in love, just as Christ also loved you and gave Himself up for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God as a fragrant aroma.

Col. 4:5. Conduct yourselves with wisdom toward outsiders, making the most of the opportunity.

Gal. 1:3–4. Grace to you and peace from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁴who gave Himself for our sins so that He might rescue us from this present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father...

Eph. 6:13. Therefore, take up the full armor of God, so that you will be able to resist on the evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm.

Gal. 1:3–4. Grace to you and peace from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁴who gave Himself for our sins so that He might rescue us from this present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father,

Rom. 12:2. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

Col. 1:9. For this reason we also, since the day we heard about it, have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will

Prov. 20:1. Wine is a mocker, intoxicating drink a brawler, and whoever is intoxicated by it is not wise.

Prov. 23:20–21. Do not be with heavy drinkers of wine, Or with gluttonous eaters of meat; ²¹For the heavy drinker and the glutton will come to poverty, And drowsiness will clothe one with rags.

Prov. 23:31–32. Do not look at wine when it is red, when it sparkles in the cup, when it goes down smoothly; ³²In the end it bites like a snake and stings like a viper.

¹⁸ And do not get drunk with wine, in which there is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit,

Luke 1:15. For he will be great in the sight of the Lord; and he will drink no wine or liquor, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit while still in his mother’s womb.

in all spiritual wisdom and understanding...

1 Thess. 4:3. For this is the will of God, your sanctification; that is, that you abstain from sexual immorality...

1 Thess. 5:18. ...in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus.

Rom. 13:13. Let’s behave properly as in the day, not in carousing and drunkenness, not in sexual promiscuity and debauchery, not in strife and jealousy.

1 Cor. 5:11. But actually, I wrote to you not to associate with any so-called brother if he is a sexually immoral person, or a greedy person, or an idolater, or is verbally abusive, or habitually drunk, or a swindler—not even to eat with such a person.

1 Thess. 5:7. For those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who are drunk, get drunk at night.

Titus 1:5–6. For this reason I left you in Crete, that you would set in order what remains and appoint elders in every city as I directed you, ⁶namely, if any man is beyond reproach, the husband of one wife, having children who believe, not accused of indecent behavior or rebellion.

1 Pet. 4:4. In all this, they are surprised that you do not run with them in the same excesses of

¹⁹ speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody with your hearts to the Lord;

Acts 16:25–26. Now about midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns of praise to God, and the prisoners were listening to them; ²⁶and suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened, and everyone’s chains were unfastened.

debauchery, and they slander you...

Col. 3:16. Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you, with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God.

1 Cor. 14:26. What is the outcome then, brothers and sisters? When you assemble, each one has a psalm, has a teaching, has a revelation, has a tongue, has an interpretation. All things are to be done for edification.

Rev. 5:9. And they sang a new song, saying, “Worthy are You to take the scroll and to break its seals; for You were slaughtered, and You purchased people for God with Your blood from every tribe, language, people, and nation.”

1 Cor. 14:15. What is the outcome then? I will pray with the spirit, but I will pray with the mind also; I will sing with the spirit, but I will sing with the mind also.

Rom. 1:8. First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for you all, because your faith is being proclaimed throughout the world.

Eph. 5:4. ...and there must be no filthiness or foolish talk, or vulgar joking, which are not fitting, but rather giving of thanks.

Col. 3:17. Whatever you do in word or deed, do

Ps. 34:1. I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

²⁰ always giving thanks for all things in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to our God and Father;

John 14:13. And whatever you ask in My name, this I will do, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son.

²¹ and subject yourselves to one another in the fear of Christ.

everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks through Him to God the Father.

1 Cor. 15:23–24. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, after that those who are Christ’s at His coming, ²⁴then comes the end, when He hands over the kingdom to our God and Father, when He has abolished all rule and all authority and power.

Hebrews 13:15. Through Him then, let’s continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips praising His name.

Gal. 5:13. For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not turn your freedom into an opportunity for the flesh, but serve one another through love.

Phil. 2:3. Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility consider one another as more important than yourselves...

1 Pet. 5:5. You younger men, likewise, be subject to your elders; and all of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because GOD IS OPPOSED TO THE PROUD, BUT HE GIVES GRACE TO THE HUMBLE.

2 Cor. 5:11. Therefore, knowing the fear of the Lord, we persuade people, but we are well known to God; and I hope that we are also well known in your consciences.

Old Testament

Ephesians 5:1-21

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