



# Aiming to Please

2<sup>ND</sup> CORINTHIANS 5:9





# Walking in the Spirit

— ROMANS 8:8

- How We Live Matters

- *Walking in the Flesh Cannot Please God*

- *In Christ, We Must Be Different*

2<sup>ND</sup> COR. 6:17-18; EPH. 4:17-24



# Walking in the Spirit

— ROMANS 8:8

- What This Means & What It Demands of Us

- *A Spiritual Mind & Focus*

ROM. 8:5; COL. 3:2

- *Putting the Old Ways Behind Us*

ROM. 8:12-14; GAL. 5:22-24



# Being Fruitful & Increasing in Knowledge

— COLOSSIANS 1:10

- The Fruitful Christian

- *Adding to Our Faith*

2<sup>ND</sup> PETER 1:5-11

- *Maintaining Good Works, Meeting Needs*

TITUS 3:14; PROVERBS 19:17



# Being Fruitful & Increasing in Knowledge

— COLOSSIANS 1:10

- An Admonition/Warning to the Unfruitful

- *A Tree That Does Not Bear Good Fruit*

MATTHEW 7:15-19; LUKE 6:43-45

- *A Branch That Does Not Bear ANY Fruit*

JOHN 15:2, 5



# Doing Good and Sharing

— HEBREWS 13:16

- Doing Good

— *Part of This New Life We Now Live*

1<sup>ST</sup> PET. 3:11; 1<sup>ST</sup> TIM. 6:17, 18

— *What God Has Always Desired of His People*

ISA. 1:16, 17; 3<sup>RD</sup> JOHN 1:11



# Doing Good and Sharing

— HEBREWS 13:16

- Sharing

— *A Demonstration of God's Love in Us*

ACTS 2:44, 45; 4:34, 35; 1<sup>ST</sup> JOHN 3:17, 18

— *A Matter of Our Judgment*

MATTHEW 25:31-46



# Offering Prayers for All Men

— 1<sup>ST</sup> TIMOTHY 2:1-4

- Prayer: A Major Part of Our Lives

— *To Pray Always*

LUKE 18:1; 1<sup>ST</sup> THESS. 5:17; MT. 5:44, 45

— *Following the Example of Our Lord*

LUKE 5:16; 6:12; 22:44





# Offering Prayers for All Men

— 1<sup>ST</sup> TIMOTHY 2:1-4

- This World Needs Our Prayers

— *For Those in Authority*

1<sup>ST</sup> TIMOTHY 2:1, 2

— *Even Those Who Oppose Us*

MATTHEW 5:43, 44

*“Therefore we make it our aim,  
whether present or absent, to be well  
pleasing to Him.”*

**2<sup>ND</sup> CORINTHIANS 5:9**

What am I aiming for?