

that you would believe

THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

MESSAGE **NOTES**

THE FRUIT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

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JOHN 14:15-17a (NLT)

"If you love me, obey my commandments. ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. ¹⁷He is the Holy Spirit..."

GALATIANS 5:22-23 (NLT)

But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

1. The fruit of the Spirit is LOVE!

JOHN 13:34-35 (NIV)

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. ³⁵By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

a. This "new love" was to be sacrificial.

(It was to be modeled after the love Jesus demonstrated.)

1 JOHN 3:16 (NLT)

We know what real love is because Jesus gave up his life for us. So we also ought to give up our lives for our brothers and sisters.

ROMANS 5:8 (NIV)

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

b. This "new love" was only possible through the power of the Holy Spirit!

2. The fruit of the Spirit is JOY!

1 PETER 1:8 (NIV)

Though you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and are filled with an inexpressible and glorious joy...

JOHN 15:11 (NLT)

"I have told you these things so that you will be filled with my joy. Yes, your joy will overflow!"

3. The fruit of the Spirit is PEACE!

