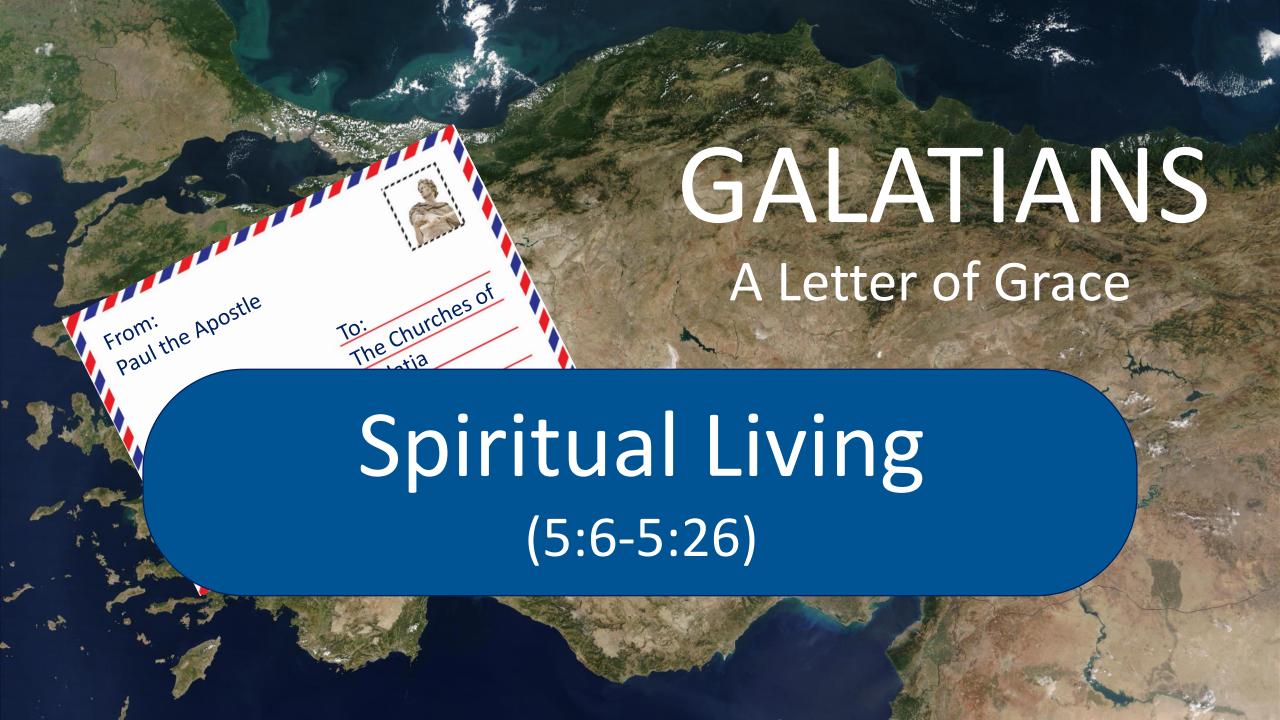


## Bustism









"Are you sure that's the Spirit and not just a bad burrito you had for dinner?" - J. Ed Kinkeade

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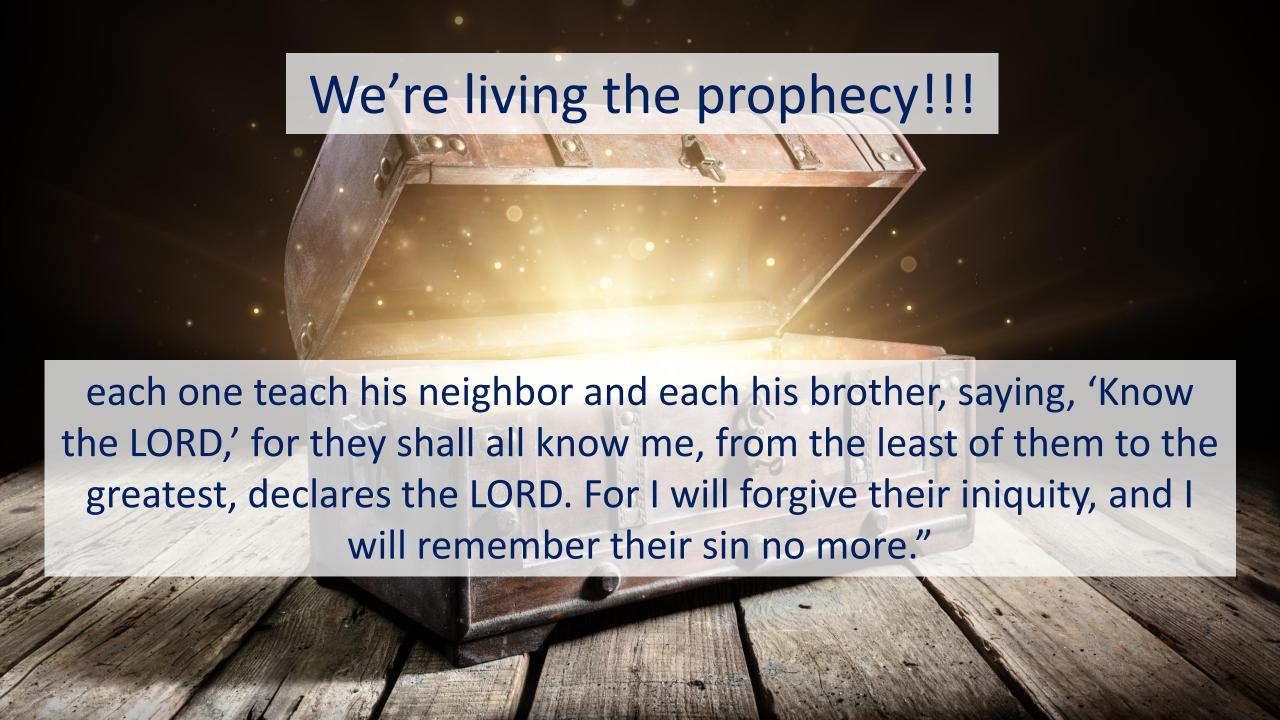
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Rm 7:6 we serve in the new way of the Spirit and not in the old way of the written code.



Jer. 31:31-34 "Behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah, not like the covenant that I made with their fathers on the day when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, my covenant that they broke, though I was their...





## Life is full of daily challenges





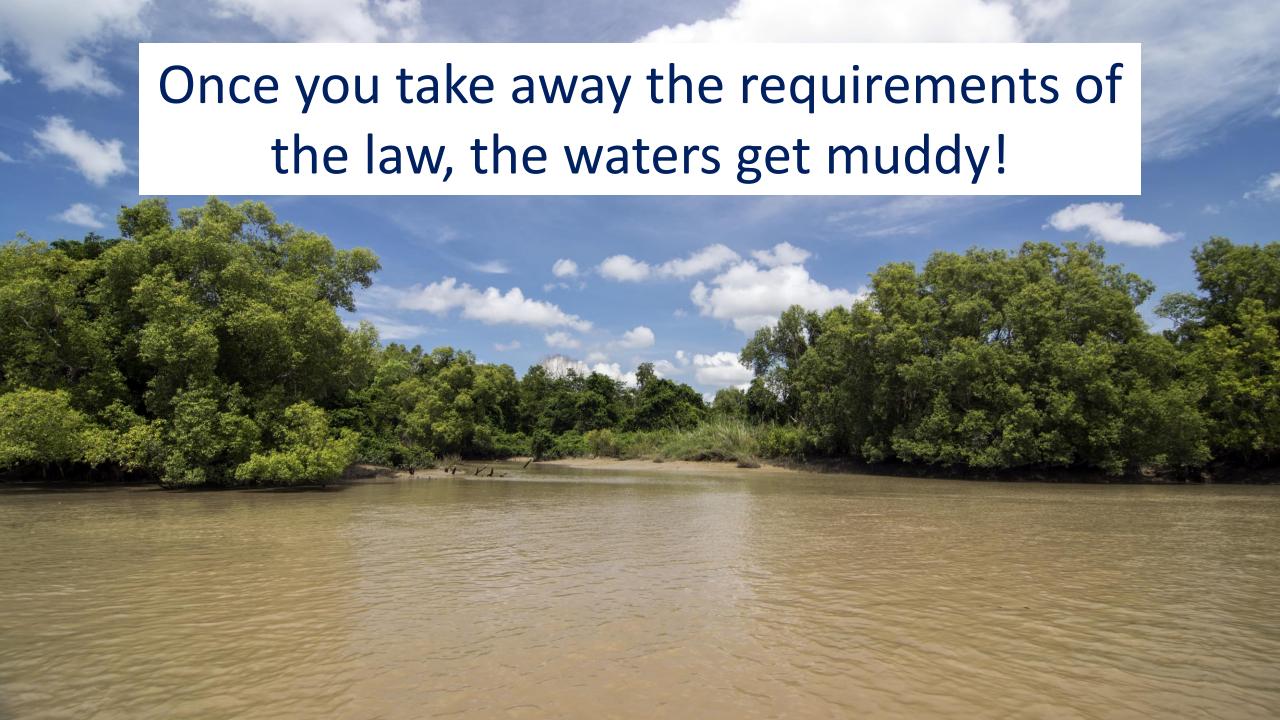






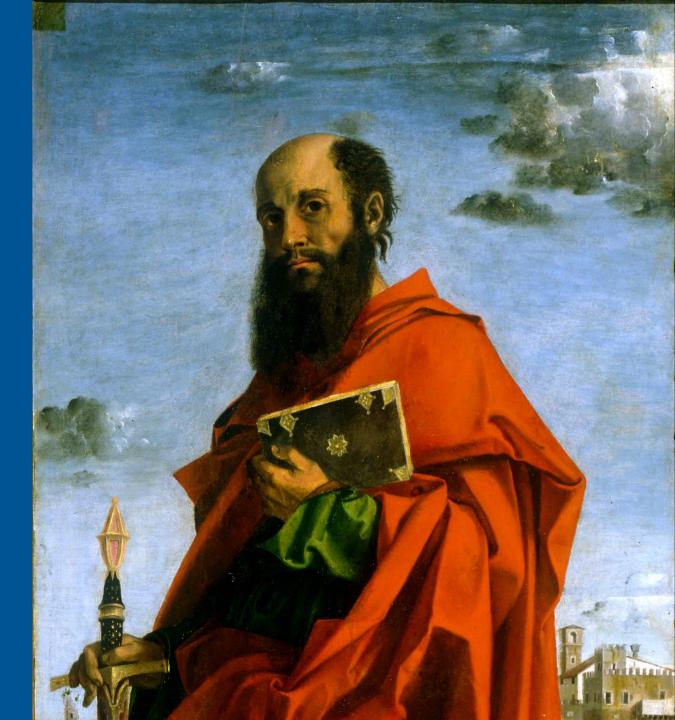
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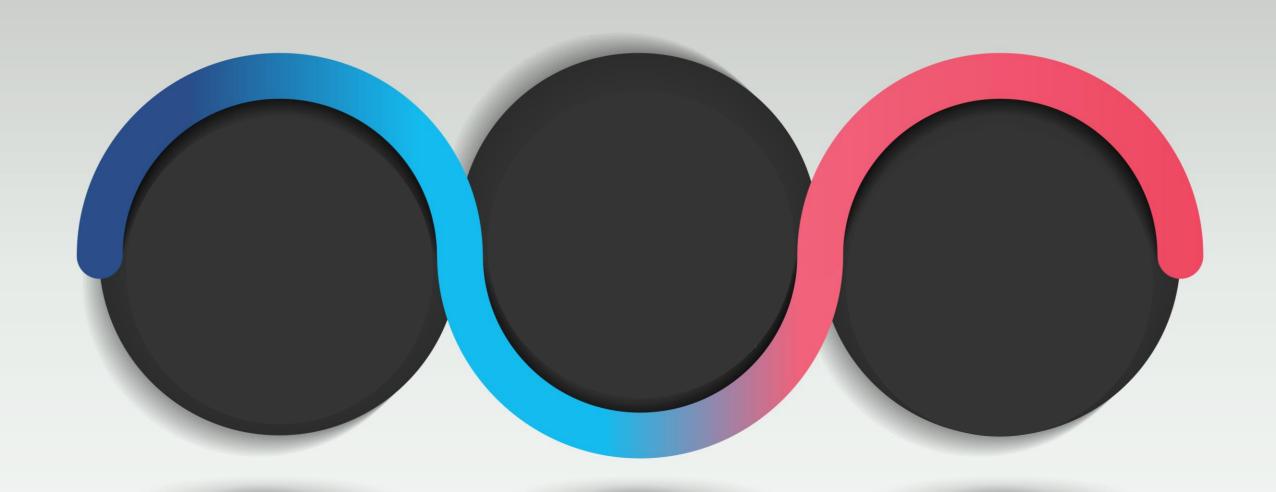
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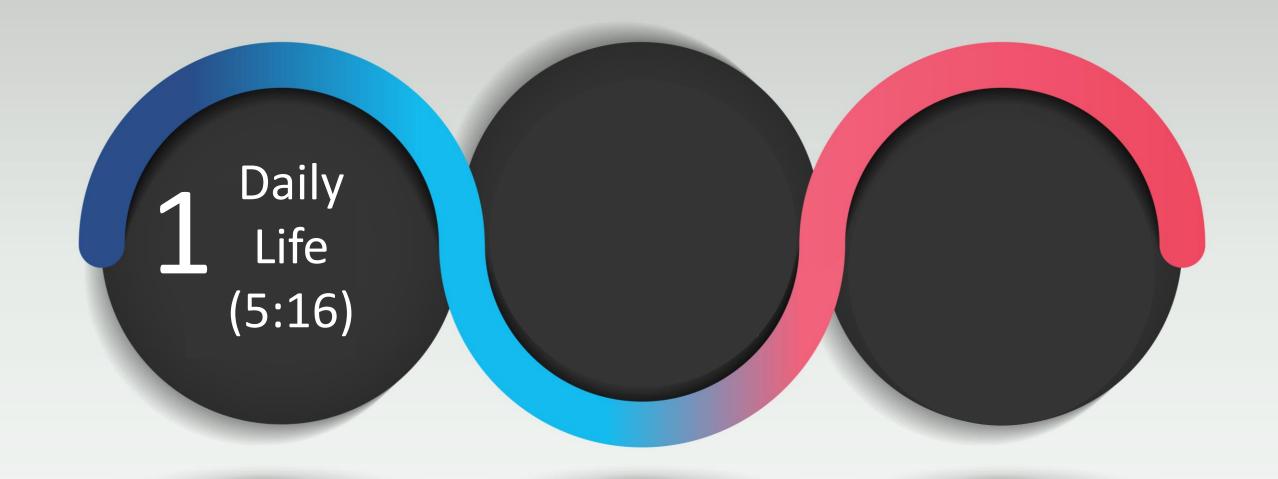




Paul gets as close as one can in telling us how to live!

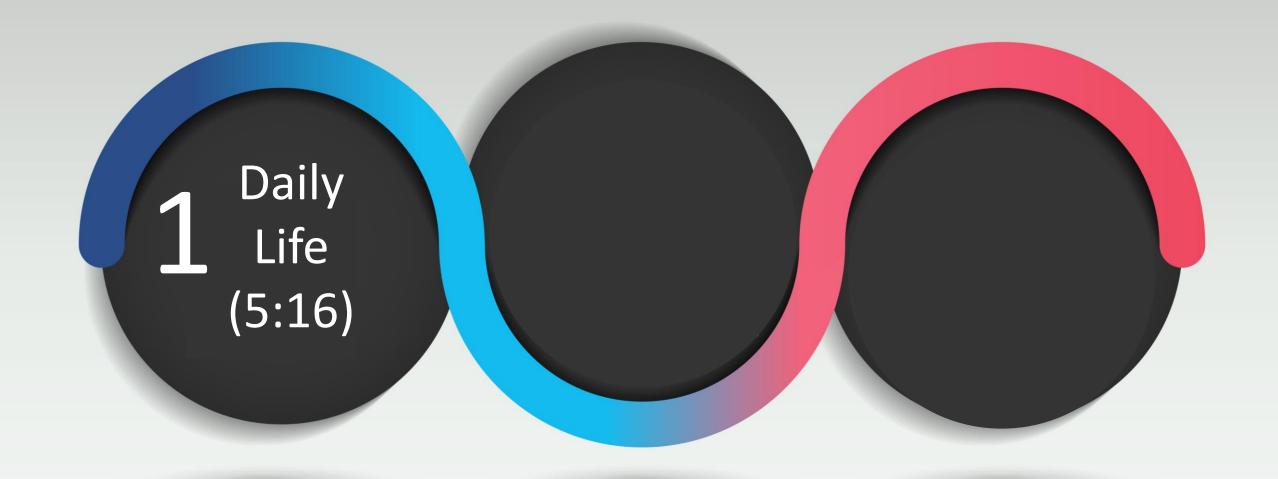


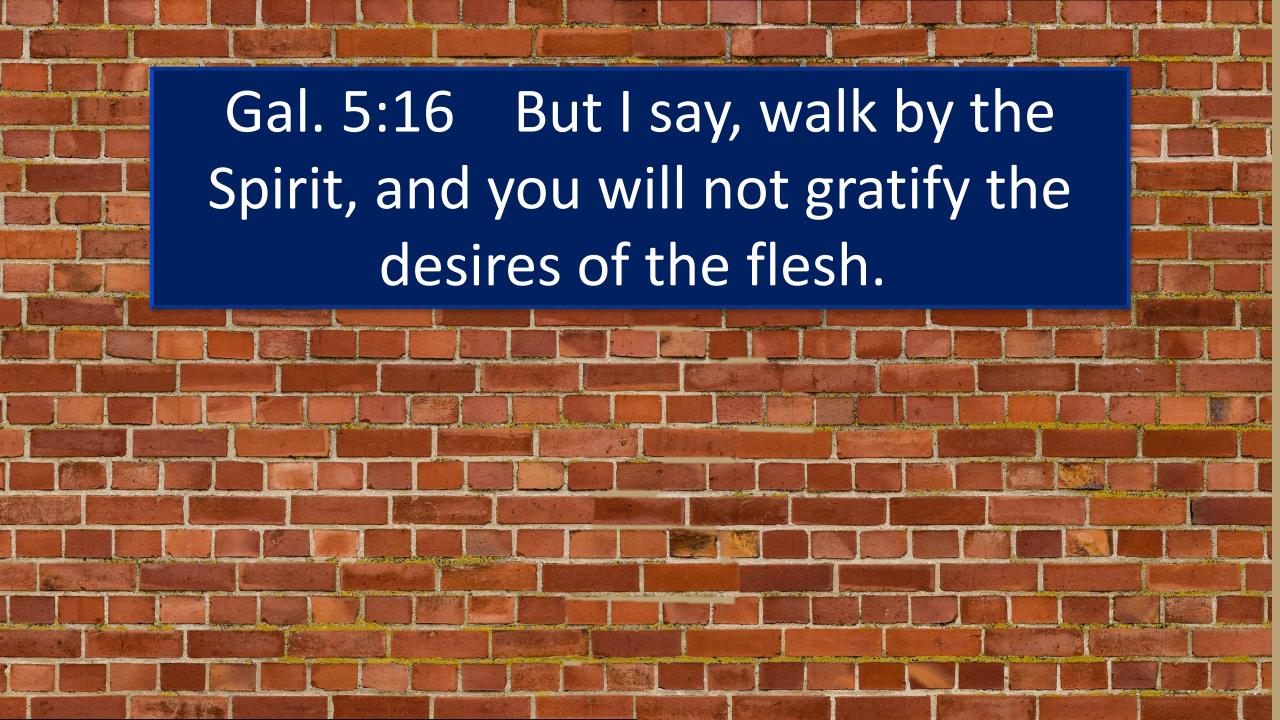


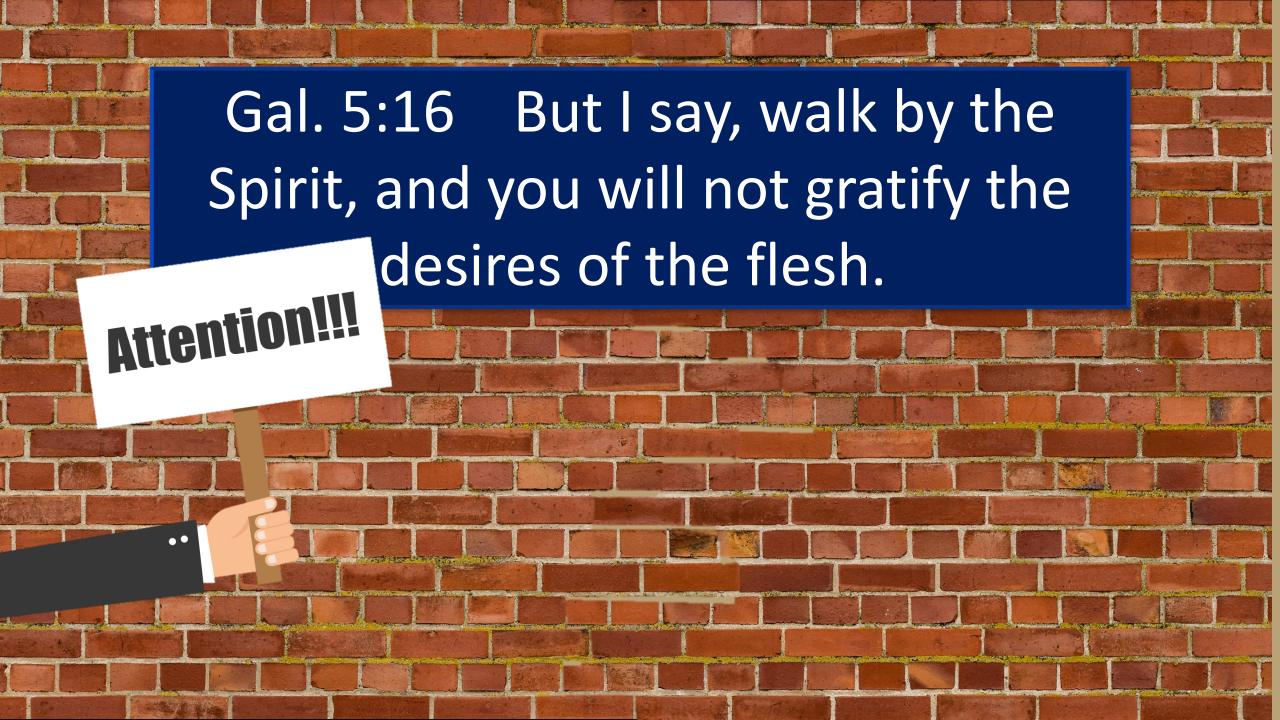
















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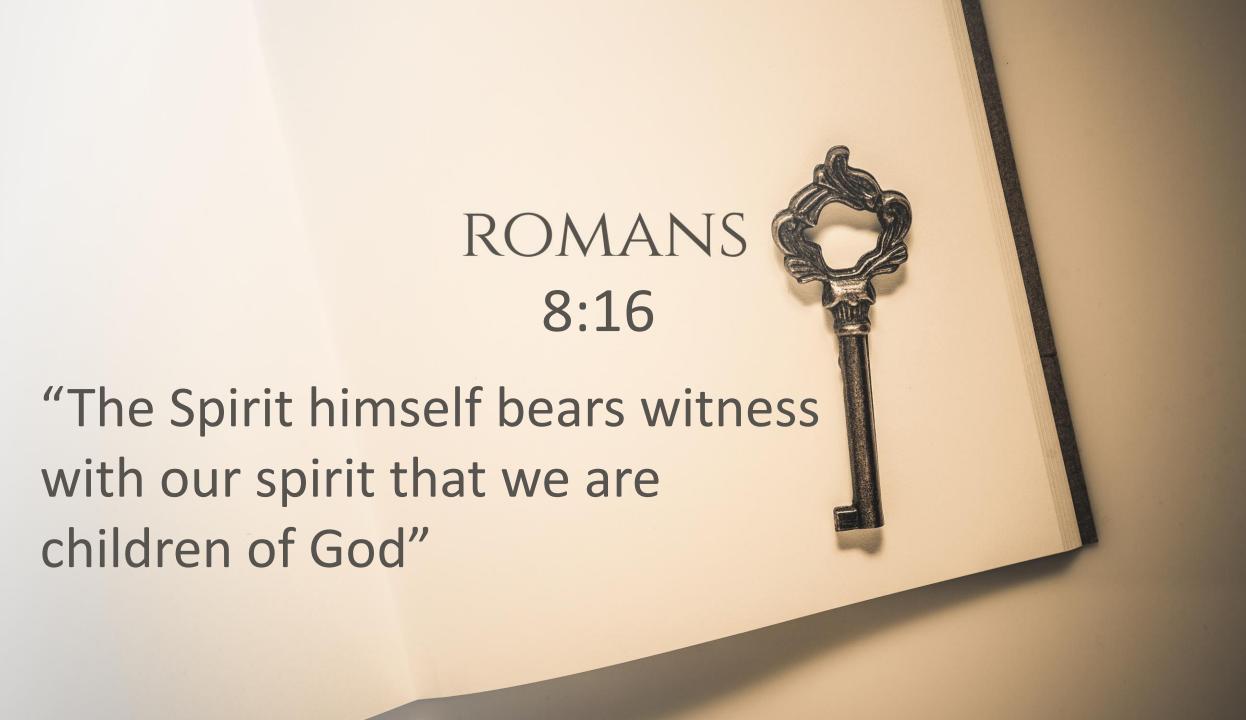
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Peripateo (περιπατέω): walk around Hebrew halak (הֹרַלַּהַ): walk, go, proceed (Gen. 7:18)

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Epithumia (ἐπιθυμία): A craving or deep desire for something (good or bad!)

(Phil 1:23; Rom. 7:7)

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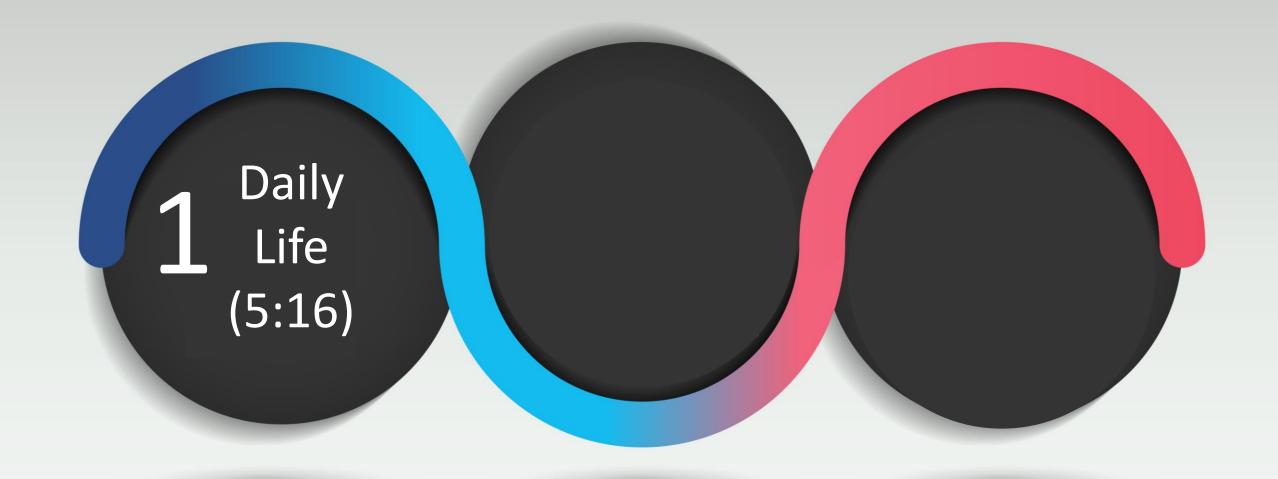
Tele-o (τελέω): to complete an activity or process; to finish or bring to an end

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... and you will **NOT** complete the lusts
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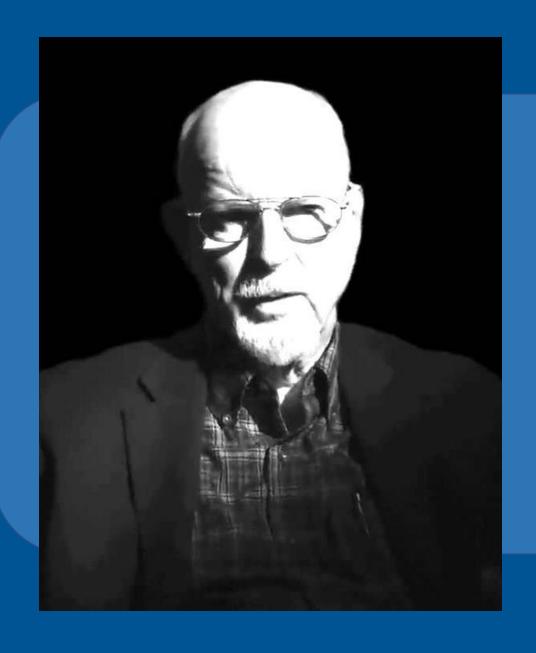
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## The Flesh and Spirit are diametrically opposed to each other



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"The 'flesh' [sarx] is Paul's term for everything aside from God in which one places his final trust."

- Robert Jewett

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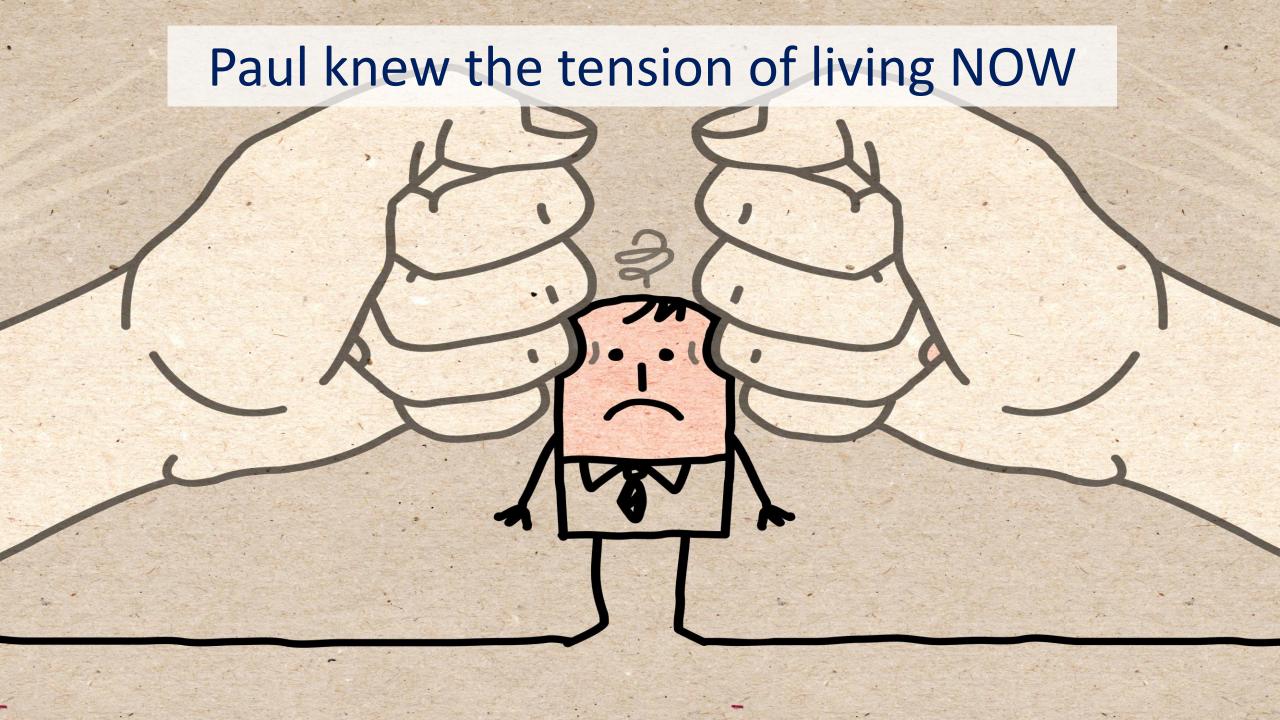
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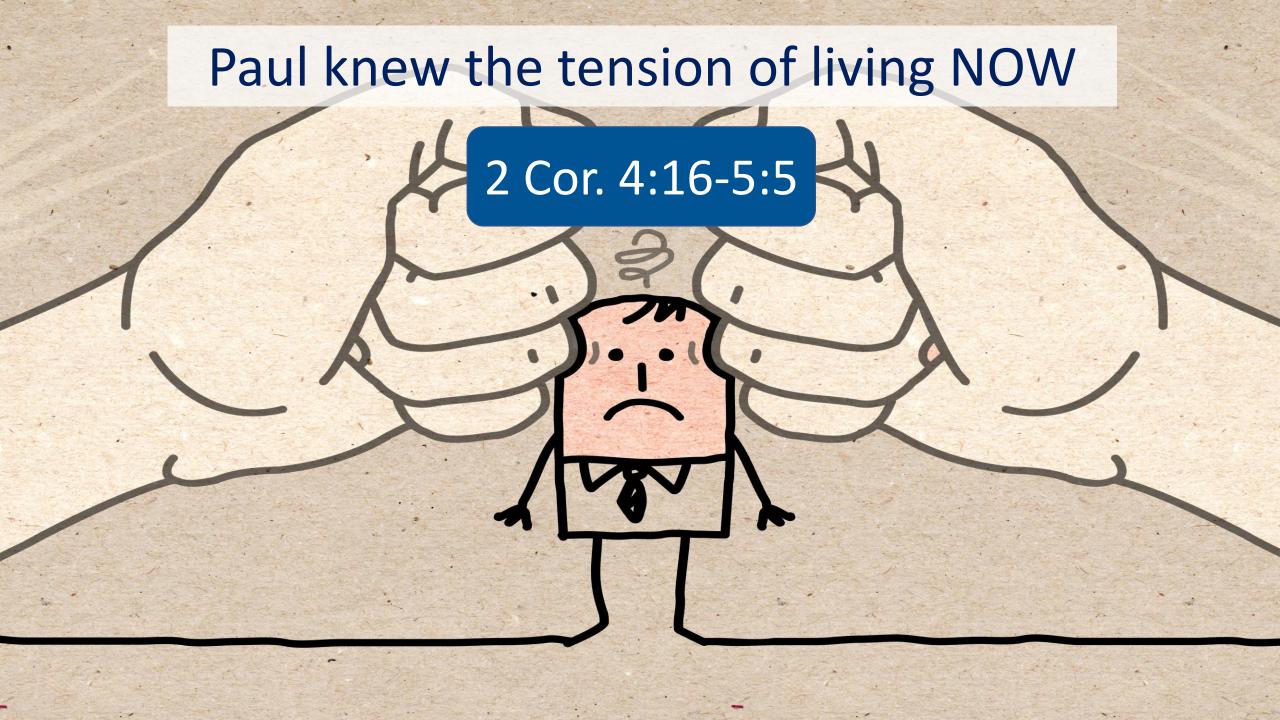
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want to do. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

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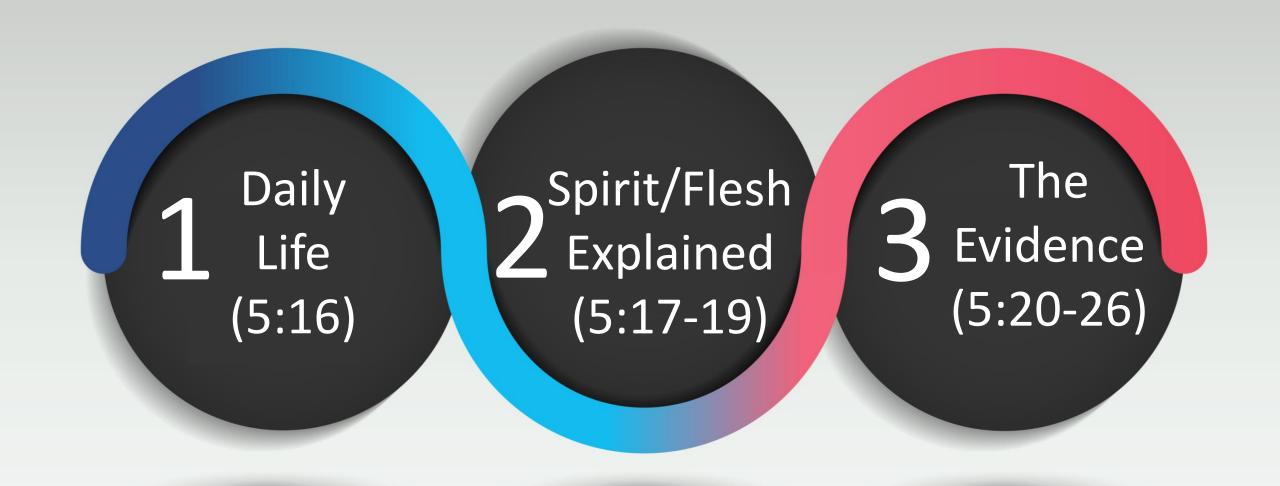






This has MASSIVE implications for guilt and shame as we will hear from Pastor Jarrett in his sermon next hour!





Gal. 5:19-21 Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

Gal. 5:19-21 φανερά δέ έστιν τὰ ἔργα τῆς σαρκός, ἅτινά ἐστιν πορνεία, ἀκαθαρσία, ἀσέλγεια, είδωλολατρία, φαρμακεία, έχθραι, έρις, ζῆλος, θυμοί, έριθεῖαι, διχοστασίαι, αίρέσεις, φθόνοι, μέθαι, κῶμοι καὶ τὰ **ὅμοια τούτοις, ἃ προλέγω ὑμῖν,** καθώς προείπον ὅτι οἱ τὰ τοιαῦτα πράσσοντες βασιλείαν θεοῦ οὐ κληρονομήσουσιν.

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## Points to Ponder:







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## Let's trust God for the journey

"we walk by faith, not by sight" 2 Cor. 5:7

