

# Spiritual Fruit For A Strong Fellowship

## Galatians 5:16-6:5

Notice the five-fold challenge Christians have regarding true spirituality:

- V.16—walk by the Spirit
- V.18—led by the Spirit
- V.22—bear fruit of the Spirit
- V.25—live by the Spirit
- 6:1—you who ARE spiritual

The obvious premise: one can't be spiritual without the presence, influence, guidance and inner formation by the Spirit of God.

**The opposite of being spiritual is to be carnal, secular and “fleshly”.**

—5:19-21

**The expectation to be spiritual requires inner “fruit” development.**

—5:22-23



**The impact of being spiritual is a restored, healthy, and caring body.**

—6:1-5

***Here's key thought: “Now those who belong to Christ have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.” (Gal. 5:24)***

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