



Adult and Teen Life Groups Conferencing Guide

SERMON DATE: 5/31/20
DISCUSSION DATE: TBD
TEXT: ROMANS 8:1-16

I. RESPONSIBLE TO WALK IN THE SPIRIT (VV. 1-4)

A. The Main Point Of This New Responsibility.

B. Note Who Is Responsible Here:

II. RESPONSIBLE TO HAVE THE MIND OF THE SPIRIT (VV. 5-8)

A. We Are To “Mind” The Things That The Spirit Of God Minds.

B. And What Does He Give In Return?

III. RESPONSIBLE TO THE SPIRIT DWELLING WITH US (VV. 9-11)

A. A New Member Has Moved In With Us!

B. This Indwelling Inspires Us To New Heights.

IV. RESPONSIBLE BECAUSE OF OUR INDEBTEDNESS (VV. 12-13)

A. We Ought To Sense Some Indebtedness Because Of What We Have Received.

B. Some Helpful Applications.

V. RESPONSIBLE TO REPRESENT OUR FAMILY NAME (VV. 14-16)

ASK GOD FOR WISDOM TO APPLY HIS WORD IN OUR DAILY LIVES



1. Why do so many Baptists tend to shy away from discussions about the Holy Spirit?
2. If you were to describe Him to an unbeliever, how would you go about doing so? What Scripture might you use?
3. Read vv. 1-4. What does it mean to “walk in the Spirit”? When was the last time that you felt you were doing just that? How did you know?
4. Read vv. 5-8. Why is it important to know the difference between the Spirit and the flesh? If you were asked to define “carnality,” could you do it? What scripture might you use?
5. What are some of the benefits listed for those who walk in the Spirit? Do you see any of them in your life?
6. Read vv. 9-11. How do you relate to someone “abiding” (dwelling) with you? Is it easy to explain? How do you know if the relationship is going smoothly? Are there any changes you think you should make with this new “Roommate”?
7. Read vv. 12-13. What kinds of responsibilities does this relationship leave you with? Do you think you’ve been faithful to His will? How might you improve this relationship?
8. Read vv. 14-16. How does having a special and holy “family name” help keep you from sinning against the Lord? What is so special about being called a “son of God” and “children of God”?