

## “Fruit of the Holy Spirit – Faithfulness”

Text: Galatians 5:22-23a; II Thessalonians 3:3; II Timothy 2:13; II Timothy 4:7

Galatians 5:22-23a – **“But the Spirit produces the fruit of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control.”**

1. One of the most important lessons we can learn is to be \_\_\_\_\_ with something until God lets us know that we are finished.
2. A faithful person knows what God has put in their heart, and even though many times they feel like quitting, they \_\_\_\_\_.
3. A faithful person is committed to doing \_\_\_\_\_ God tells them to do no matter what it costs them personally.
4. A faithful person sees something \_\_\_\_\_ to the end. The world needs to see: stability and faithfulness.
5. God is wanting to \_\_\_\_\_ us, His disciples, as “billboards” who consistently demonstrate the fruit of the Spirit so we will be recognized for WHO and WHAT we are.
6. The Bible says that we are to be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. Jesus is the LIGHT of the world and we are to allow people to see that light in our daily lives.
7. Whatever God has called each of us to DO or to BE, that is our \_\_\_\_\_ assignment and the destination we have before us is to cross the \_\_\_\_\_ line.

II Thessalonians 3:3 – **“...the Lord is faithful and will give you strength and will protect you from the Evil One.”**

II Timothy 2:13 – **“If we are faithless, he remains faithful, for he cannot disown himself.”**

II Timothy 4:7 – **“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.”**

8. “As a disciple of Christ, my face is set, my gait is fast, my goal is Heaven, my road is narrow, my way is rough, my companions are few, my guide is reliable, my mission is clear. I cannot be bought, compromised, detoured, lured away, turned back, diluted, or delayed. I will not flinch in the face of sacrifice, hesitate in the presence of adversity, negotiate at the table of the enemy, ponder at the pool of popularity, or meander in a maze of mediocrity. I won’t give up, shut up, let up, or slow up, until God has finished with my life. I will be faithful!”