



# ENGAGED

## POWERFUL PROMISES FROM ROMANS 8

**Week 2**

### **Your Part and God's Part in Spiritual Growth Romans 8:5-17**

#### **Your Part in Spiritual Growth**

**First: You need to f \_\_\_\_\_ something.**

**Romans 8:5-6 (NIV)**, "Those who live according to the flesh have their minds set on what the flesh desires; but those who live in accordance with the Spirit have their minds set on what the Spirit desires. <sup>6</sup>The mind governed by the flesh is death, but the mind governed by the Spirit is life and peace."

**Matthew 16:23 (KJV)**, "Thou savourest not the things that be of God."

**Second: You need to s \_\_\_\_\_ something.**

**Romans 8:13 (NIV)**, "If by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live."

## God's Part in Spiritual Growth

You are in Christ...Christ is in you!

**Romans 8:1 (NIV)**, "Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus."

**Romans 8:10 (NIV)**, "But if Christ is in you, then even though your body is subject to death because of sin, the Spirit gives life because of righteousness."

verse 9 "the Spirit of God lives in you."

verse 10, "Christ is in you."

verse 11: "the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you."

We **think** with the Spirit's help.

Verse 5, "Those who live *in accordance with the Spirit* have their minds set on what the Spirit desires."

We **act** with the Spirit's help.

Verses 13-14, "If *by the Spirit* you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live. For those who are *led* by the Spirit of God are the children of God."

And we **feel** with the Spirit's help.

Verses 15-16, "The Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And *by him* we cry, 'Abba, Father.' *The Spirit himself testifies* with our spirit that we are God's children."

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