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But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives, He will produce this kind of fruit in us: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.

SOMETHING SMELLS ...



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When I'm hurting I want to feel better.

Self-control = holding oneself in; inner strength.

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Temperance = retraining passions or appetites.

Self control defends against temptation and destruction.

A person without self control is as defenseless as a city with broken down walls.

Self-control leads to godliness and love.

Your faith will produce a life of moral excellence. A life of moral excellence leads to knowing God better. And knowing God leads to self control.

Self control leads to patient endurance. Patient endurance leads to godliness. Godliness leads to love for other Christians. Until finally you will grow to have genuine love 2 Peter 1:5-7 for everyone. FairfaxCircleChurch.org

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It's deeper than I realize.

Go below the surface

Go below the surface I am not a slave

Sin is no longer your master. You're no longer subject to the law, which enslaves you to sin. Instead you are free by God's grace.

Romans 6:14

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Ask the deep questions

What is broken inside of me that has me pursuing something that has me feeling guilty and feeling stuck?

Go below the surface

I am not a slave

Ask the deep questions

Invite others to help

Fools think they need no advise but the wise listen to others.

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Give up control

For when I tried to keep the law, I realized I could never earn God's approval. So I died to the law so that I might live for God. I have been crucified with Christ.

It's no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me. So I live my life in this earthly body by trusting in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for Galatians 2:19-20 me.

His presence = approval Approval = inner strength Inner strength = self control Self control = fulfilled life



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