

# The Spirit and The Flesh

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## WELCOME - ICE BREAKER:

***Important Note:*** *Not all questions have to be asked and not everyone has to answer every question asked.*

Have you ever gotten in a real fight? What happened? Did you win or lose?

## WORSHIP - OPENING PRAYER and PREPARATION

Psalm 95:1-7

Spend some time in prayer thanking, praising, and adoring God.

## WORD

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Read Galatians 5:16

Questions for Home Group Leaders

## Observations from the passage:

1. Identify the key people or “things” in the passage.
2. Identify the verbs in the passage.
3. Read verse 18. To understand the phrase “not under law” read Galatians 3:21-25 and 5:1-6

## Digging Into the Meaning:

1. How do these two verses help you understand verse 5:18?
2. Read verse 16. What is the result of living by the Spirit?
3. What does it mean to live “by” the Spirit as opposed to living “in” the Spirit or living “with” the Spirit?
4. Hint to question #4: Read Galatians 5:22-25
5. Read verse 17. What are the cause and results?

## Applying to my Life:

1. What are you struggling with in the flesh? For some possibilities and suggestions: Read Galatians 5:19-21.
2. How is this specifically affecting your life?

3. Are you living “by” the Spirit and being “led” by the Spirit in this area of your life?
4. In the conflict, are you winning or losing?
5. What difference would living by the Spirit make in your current identified struggles?

WORSHIP - PRAYER
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Take request and pray.

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