

From Carnality to Spirituality

INTRODUCTION

Romans 1:16-17

RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD = 3 Aspects Together

1. Right S_____.
2. Right B_____.
3. Right L_____ - A_____.

It takes F_____ to L_____ O_____ all these 3 aspects of Righteousness.

I. JUSTIFICATION is

1. When we receive Christ as Lord and Saviour, we are J_____. Romans 10:9-10
2. To be justified means we are A_____ by God fully. Romans 8:15-16
3. We are then a N_____ creation i.e.
 - A. Our O_____ life has been crucified and died with Christ.
 - B. We now have the N_____ life of Christ in us. 2 Corinthians 5:17
4. We live this new life by F_____ in God. Galatians 2:20
5. As we live by faith, God's G_____ flows into our lives by the H_____ S_____ to **enable** and **empower** us to do so.

6A. As we live the new life of Christ in us, we must be conscious that our O_____ life does not resurrect. Galatians 5:17

6B. This tension between the old life and the new life is our journey to grow in S_____ M_____ becoming like Christ Jesus.

Why grow in Spirituality Maturity? Already but N_____ Y_____.

- The kingdom is now; the kingdom is N_____ Y_____.
- I am saved; I am B_____ saved.
- I am sanctified; I am B_____ sanctified.
- I am a new creation; I A_____ resurrection.
- I am now a child of God; I am exhorted to E_____ to the end.
- We are already seated in H_____ **places** with Jesus (Ephesians 2:6); but at present, we are living in E_____ **bodies** of which we groan (2 Corinthians 5:2).
- We have already died to sin and cannot live in it any longer (Romans 6:1-7); yet we must C_____ ourselves dead to sin and not let it rule in our lives (Romans 6:11-19).

II. **SANCTIFICATION** - Disciple's Journey from Carnality to Spirituality.

Two Key Aspects of the Disciple's Journey:

A. Our W_____ with God.

B. Our S_____ God.

- Our Sanctification must be solidly B_____ O_____ our Justification.
- Our Sanctification must N_____ be done to attain our Justification.
- Both our Justification and Sanctification are entirely due to the M_____ and G_____ of God.

1. Carnality is

2. Spiritual Life is

3A. The source of living in carnality is dependency on S_____.

- **Carnality** - To be carnal is to live our lives yielded to and directed by our S_____ N_____. Romans 7:14

3B. The source of living in spirituality is total dependency on G_____.

- **Spirituality** – To be spiritual is to live our lives yielded to and directed by the H_____ S_____. Galatians 5:16

4A. The mind of the believer living in carnality is N_____ and C_____.

4B. The mind of the spiritual believer is R_____ and receives R_____. Romans 8:5-11

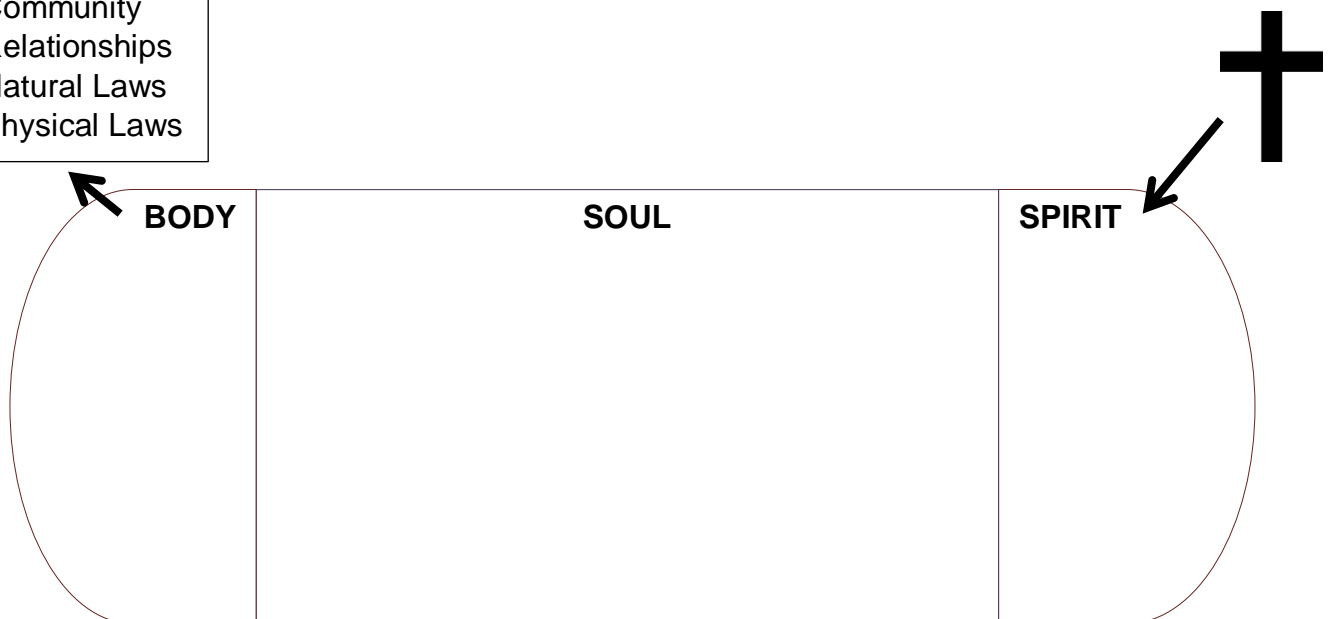
5A. The emotion of living in carnality is N_____ and C_____.

5B. The emotion of the spiritual believer is S_____ -L_____. Galatians 5:22-23

6A. The will of the carnal believer is N_____ and U_____.

6B. The will of the spiritual believer is A_____ with the Father-God. Colossians 1:9-11

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7A. The **carnal** believer lives his life based on the F_____ of life.

7B. The **spiritual** believer lives his life based on the T_____ of God's Word as revealed by the Spirit of T_____. John 17:17 John 16:13

	FACTS	LIVING IN TRUTH
e.g. #1	Struggling with needs.	Knowing and experiencing God as P_____.
e.g. #2	Struggling in sickness.	Knowing and experiencing God as H_____.
e.g. #3	Concerned with danger to life.	Knowing and experience God as P_____.
e.g. #4	Experiencing Stress, Anxieties and Fears (SAF).	Knowing the P_____ of God that guard and rule our hearts.

8A. As the believer desires to grow spiritually, there will be G_____.

8B. This grace F_____ to us by the Holy Spirit. Philippians 2:12-13

8C. The Holy Spirit E_____ and E_____ the believer accordingly. Romans 8:1-2

CONCLUSION Jeremiah 17:5-8