

Fruit of the Spirit



Works of the Flesh are (plural)

- **Galatians 5:19-21**
- Here is a long list of sinful behaviors
- Any one of them is sin
- Any one will cause you to be lost
- You don't have to do all or multiple of them

Fruit of the Spirit (singular)

- **Galatians 5:22-26**
- One fruit – not each a different fruit
- Apple = peel, meat, core, seeds
- Orange = peel, sections
- Which part can you leave out?

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- **Understand “walk in the Spirit”**

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
 - **Colossians 3:14** But above all these things put on love, which is the bond of perfection.

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
- Joy
- Knowing that you are right with God

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
- Joy
- Peace
- Tranquility with self
- Tranquility with others
- Tranquility with God

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
- Joy
- Peace
- Longsuffering
- To bear with
- Put up with
- Patience

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
 - Joy
 - Peace
 - Longsuffering
 - Kindness
- Love suffers long
 - And is KIND
 - 1 Corinthians 13:4

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
- Joy
- Peace
- Longsuffering
- Kindness
- Goodness
- An attitude of seeking the good in others
- Optimistic attitude

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
- Joy
- Peace
- Longsuffering
- Kindness
- Goodness
- Faith
- Faithfulness
- Dependable
- Not changing with the wind

Sections of the Fruit

- **Love**
- **Joy**
- **Peace**
- **Longsuffering**
- **Kindness**
- **Goodness**
- **Faith**
- **Gentleness**
- **Meekness (KJV)**
- **Not weakness**
- **Gentle strength**
- **Steel and Velvet**

Sections of the Fruit

- Love
- Joy
- Peace
- Longsuffering
- Kindness
- Goodness
- Faith
- Gentleness
- Self-control
- Temperance (KJV)
- Mastery of your desires
- Who is in the drivers seat?

Which will you choose?

- **Deuteronomy 30:19-20** 19 I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both you and your descendants may live; 20 that you may love the Lord your God, that you may obey His voice, and that you may cling to Him, for He is your life and the length of your days; and that you may dwell in the land which the Lord swore to your fathers, to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, to give them."