

THE SPIRIT FILLED LIFE OF ALL BELIEVERS ROMANS 8:5-13

I. THE CHANGE IN MINDSET [8:5-7]

A. DESIRES OF THE HEART

[8:5; 2 PET.2:10; PHIL.3:19]

B. DIRECTIONS IN LIFE

[8:6; EPH.2:1-3; COL.3:1-4]

C. DEVOTION TO OUR SAVIOUR

[8:7; ROM.7:15-25; GAL.5:16-17; 1 JN.4:4]

II. THE CHRISTIAN'S CAPACITY TO PLEASE GOD [8:8-9]

A. CAUTION AGAINST THE FLESH

[8:8; HEB.11:6; GAL.5:22-23; 1 JN.2:15,16]

B. TRANSFORMATION THROUGH THE SPIRIT [8:9;

ROM.6:6-10; 12:1,2; 2 COR.5:17; 13:5; EPH.5:18]

III. THE CALL TO CONTEMPLATE [8:10-13]

A. EXAMINE YOURSELF

[ROM.8:10-11; 2 COR.13:5; 1 JN.1:9]

- "*IF Christ be in you...*" v.10

- "*IF the Spirit dwell in you...*" v.11

B. TURN TO GOD [ROM.8:12,13; LAM.3:40]

- "*live NOT after the flesh*" v.12

- "*through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the Body*"