

THE WALK OF BELIEVERS



The Bible identifies the characteristics of the walk of Believers in Christ. There are eight basic ones, which can be summarised as:

1. **New life**
2. **Faith**
3. **Spirituality**
4. **Consistency**
5. **Love**
6. **Caution**
7. **Illumination**
8. **Christlikeness**

Let's look at the Scriptural meaning of each of these items, and see how we can make the application to our daily walk with the Lord Jesus Christ.

1. New life

- Rom 6:4 *Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.*
- **also:** Rom 8:1 *There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit. (check NIV!)*

2. Faith

- 2 Cor 5:7 *For we walk by faith, not by sight ...*
- **explained by:** Heb 11:1 *Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.*

3. Spirituality

- Gal 5:16 *I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh.*

4. Consistency

- Eph 4:1 *I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called,*

5. Love

- Eph 5:2 *And walk in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling aroma.*

6. Caution

- Eph 5:15 *See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise,*

7. Illumination

- 1 John 1:7 *But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.*

8. Christlikeness

- 1 John 2:6 *He who says he abides in Him ought himself also to walk just as He walked.*

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