



the BEAUTIFUL LIFE

THE HOLY SPIRIT AND CHRISTIAN VIRTUE

Be Filled with the Spirit
Ephesians 5:18-21 (*Pew Bible p.1,173*)
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Notes

1) The WRONG Filling (5:18a)

2) The RIGHT Filling (5:18b)

3) The Spirit-Filled Life (5:19-21)

4) Weekday Application Questions

a) **EQUIP** — What is filling your mind and heart throughout the week? What practical change would help the Word of Christ dwell more richly in you (Scripture, music, podcasts, media, conversations)?

b) **ENGAGE** — Where is the Spirit calling you to lay aside your preference or your need to get your own way for the good of another person this week? Who needs to encounter the character of Christ through the way you speak, serve, forgive, or defer this week?

c) **EXALT** — What would it look like for worship and thanksgiving to become a deliberate part of your daily rhythm this week—not only on Sunday? Begin or end each day by naming three specific gifts from God and thanking Him for them.

d) **Here is your “One Thing” for this week:** Begin every morning with this prayer: “Father, fill me with the Holy Spirit today. Fill my mind and heart with Your truth, my mouth with praise, my heart with gratitude, and my relationships with the humility of Christ.”