

Lifting Up Jesus
Lesson 27
“Christian Standards of Living”

QUESTION #1

What does Paul instruct the believers in Rome to do? Romans 12:2

Romans 12:2 NKJV

²And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what *is* that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

QUESTION #2

What does John teach regarding ‘the world’? 1 John 2:15

1 John 2:15 NKJV

¹⁵Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

QUESTION #3

What are the three areas that John specifically tells to guard against? 1 John 2:16

1 John 2:16 NKJV

¹⁶For all that *is* in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world.

QUESTION #4

Is ‘worldliness’ a trait of only the non-believer? 1 Corinthians 3:1-3

1 Corinthians 3:1-3 NKJV

^{3:1} And I, brethren, could not speak to you as to spiritual *people* but as to carnal, as to babes in Christ. ²I fed you with milk and not with solid food; for until now you were not able *to receive it*, and even now you are still not able; ³for you are still carnal. For where *there are* envy, strife, and divisions among you, are you not carnal and ^[a]behaving like *mere men*?

QUESTION #5

What are some other evidences of having a sinful nature or living ‘in the world’?
Galatians 5:19-21

Galatians 5:19-21 NKJV

¹⁹ Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: ^[a]adultery, ^[b]fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, ²⁰ idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, ²¹ envy, ^[c]murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told *you* in time past, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

QUESTION #6

How does one grow into a mature Christian? Galatians 5:16-18

Galatians 5:16-18 NKJV

¹⁶ I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh. ¹⁷ For the flesh lusts against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary to one another, so that you do not do the things that you wish. ¹⁸ But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

QUESTION #7

What are some of the attributes of the Spirit living within us? Galatians 5:22-25

Galatians 5:22-25 NKJV

²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ ^[a]gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law. ²⁴ And those *who are* Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. ²⁵ If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit.