Growing Families God's Way

FAMILY LIFE THE RIGHT WAY: KINDNESS AND GOODNESS Galatians 5:22; Matthew 7:17-19

Kindness. Gal. 5:22; Matt. 7:17-19

- <u>Explained</u>. (What does it mean?) Gal. 5:22; Matt. 7:17-19, 19:13-16, 11:28-29
- Experiencing. (How God deals with us in kindness.)
 - He knows where we are weak. Heb. 4:15-16; 1 Cor. 10:13; 2 Cor. 8:9, 12:9
 - He <u>willingly</u> forgives. Rom. 3:23-24, 6:23; John 8:11
 - He affirms our value and worth. Ps. 139:15-17; John 15:15-16
- Expressing. (Kindness <u>lived</u> out in our families.) Gal. 5:22; Luke 10:30-37
- Being a person of <u>actions</u>. Luke 10:33-35; 1 Cor. 13:4-8; Matt. 25:34-40; James 2:14-18
 - Being a person of selflessness. Luke 10:30-35; Phil. 2:3-8
 - Being a person of consistency. Luke 10:34-35; Phil. 1:6

Goodness. Gal. 5:22

- Explained. (What does it <u>mean?</u>) Gal. 5:22; Matt. 19:16-22, 12:33-35; Rom. 3:10, 3:23; Is. 64:6; Rom. 5:1
- Expected. (call; created; <u>grow</u>.) Eph. 2:10; 3 John 11; Col. 1:10; Gal. 6:9; Rom. 12:20-21; 1 Pet. 1:15-16
- Expressed. (Lived out in our families.) Gal. 5:22
 - Speaking words of affirmation. Eph. 4:29, 5:4; Matt. 12:33-37; Col. 3:8
 - Forgiving one another. Eph. 4:31-32; John 8:11
 - **Encouraging** one another. Eph. 4:29; 1 Thess. 5:11-15; Heb. 10:25, 13:13
 - Serving one another. John 13:1-17; Matt. 20:28