



A study on the fruit of the Spirit

Go Deeper Study Guide

GENTLENESS | Galatians 5:22-23
June 12, 2022 | Pastor Bob DuPar

Getting Started

What did you find most helpful from this week's sermon? Was anything confusing? Is there anything that needs clarification? Discuss as a group.

If you haven't heard the sermon yet, you can access it at:
www.cbcventura.org

Going Deeper

Re-read **Luke 18:1-8**. Try comparing two different translations. Relate your observations of this passage to the topic of gentleness.

Define biblical **gentleness**. Discuss common misconceptions. What's at the heart of the **gentleness** that God desires for us?

Why is trusting God's *goodness* foundational to being a **gentle** person?

What is meant by the term *providence*? Give a biblical example/ story. How does trusting God's providence help with being a **gentle** person?

Define *sovereignty* as it relates to God. Read **Psalm 47:8 & 93:1** How does trusting God's sovereignty lead to **gentleness**. Share your insights

Discuss the following sermon quote: "**Anything under God's control is never out of control**" - Chuck Swindoll

Read **1 Timothy 3:1-5 & 2 Timothy 2:24-26** Why is **gentleness imperative** for church leaders?

Read **Ephesians 4:1-3; Colossians 3:12-14 & Galatians 6:1**. What do these verses say about how we are to relate to others?

Read **Philippians 4:5 & 1 Peter 3:1-4**. How can **gentleness** draw others into God's Kingdom?

Application

What's 1 action step you can take this week to apply what you've learned from our lesson today?

Prayer

How can your group pray for you?



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Welcome to CBC

Inviting people to follow Jesus as we impact our community and the world.

Worship Led By:
Britney Christian Miller

Song List:
The Lion And The Lamb
Another In The Fire
God With Us
What A Beautiful Name
Jesus Paid It All

NEWSFLASH!

[VBS]

Jun 27 - July 1
Register and join
the fun!

Today is...

*Garage Sale Fundraiser
& Family BBQ!!!*

8 am - 1 pm

Connect With Us!



From CBC to You!

rightnow MEDIA

Text **RIGHTNOW**
CBCV to 41411 and
you will receive an
invite to join



Network:
CBCGuest

Password:
CBCGuest

Financial Update thru June 5, 2022

Contributions \$250,225.70	Budgeted Expenses \$245,480.77	Actual Expenses \$210,427.54
Offering for 5/29/22 \$29,294.35	Weekly Needs \$10,673.08	

Fund Balances thru March 30, 2022

General \$191,024.00	Benevolence \$-52.00	Building \$15,244
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Gentleness is About Trusting God's

1. Goodness
2. Providence
3. Sovereignty

For us, gentleness is...

1. A requirement for church leadership
2. The way that we're called to relate to others
3. The way that we draw others into the Kingdom

Closing Comments:

