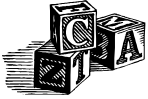


Acts 2:12 And they all continued in amazement and great perplexity, saying to one another,

# "What Does This Mean?"

Response Questions for, "Filled to the Overflow - Love," Ephesians 5:1-6.



**Basic Ideas** from the Letter to the Ephesians 5:1-6.

The Holy Spirit is calling to us from this passage to consider three ideas.

1. The Holy Spirit desires for us to know God as love.
2. The Holy Spirit desires for us to choose His love in us and through us to those around us.
3. The Holy Spirit desires for us to feel the joy of resting in His love as a guard against the idolatry of self.



**Basic Questions** from the Letter to the Ephesians 5:1-6.

1. What is Paul's intent in giving us this paragraph?
2. What if I never heard this message?
3. What impact does it have on my life?
4. What does Paul wish the reader to do?
5. What does Christ look like?
6. Why does Paul wish the reader to do this?
7. What is verse one calling God's people to do?
8. What does a Christ-like walk show itself (v. 2)?
9. What is the opposite of a walk marked by love (v. 3)?
10. What impact does a "fleshly" / **in Adam** walk have on the body of Christ?
11. What is the outcome of a walk marked by **Adam** (v. 5)?
12. What are "empty words" based on this paragraph?
13. Is there a parallel of ideas between verses 5 and 6?
14. What are some practical steps we might take to guard ourselves against impurity?
15. Why is immorality idolatry?
16. How does love guard and maintain biblical unity?



The **Basic Application** from the Letter to the Ephesians 5:1-6.

1. Where are you in all of this?
2. What is the Holy Spirit pointing out to you today?
3. How well are you fighting against the onslaughts of our culture for the possession of your soul?
4. God's love in us and through us is the greatest deterrent to the idolatry of self.
5. God's love promotes, guards, and celebrates the unity we have in Christ. Let us pursue love; let us pursue Him.

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