

## Fellowship Notes

Fruitopia - Part 6

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## Fruitopia

(Galatians 5:22-23) "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, **goodness**, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Against such things there is no law."

✓ **Agathosune (NT Greek) - \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**

## Tamed vs. Wild Goodness

✓ **TAMED: Our \_\_\_\_\_ gain us \_\_\_\_\_.**

(Matthew 19:16-17 NIV) "Now a man came up to Jesus and asked, 'Teacher, **what good thing must I do to get eternal life?**'" "Why do you ask me about what is good?" Jesus replied. "There is only One who is good."

**WILD: \_\_\_\_\_ actions \_\_\_\_\_ us access.**

✓ **TAMED: Live within \_\_\_\_\_.**

(Matthew 19:17-20 NIV) "'If you want to enter life, obey the commandments.' 'Which ones?' the man inquired. Jesus replied, 'Do not murder, do not commit adultery, do not steal, do not give false testimony, honor your father and mother,' and 'love your neighbor as yourself.' 'All these I have kept,' the young man said."

**WILD: Live to \_\_\_\_\_**

✓ **TAMED: \_\_\_\_\_ desires before \_\_\_\_\_ needs.**

(Luke 18:22-23 NLT) "'There is still one thing you lack,' Jesus said. 'Sell all you have and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me.' But when the man heard this, he became sad because he was very rich."

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(Luke 18:24-27 NLT) "Jesus watched him go and then said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for rich people to get into the Kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the Kingdom of God!' Those who heard this said, 'Then who in the world can be saved?' He replied, 'What is impossible from a human perspective is possible with God.'"

✓ **Others needs come \_\_\_\_\_ own.**

## For Goodness Sake

1. **Give \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_.**

(Romans 5:8 NIV) "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

2. **\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_**

(Romans 5:15 NLT) "And what a difference between our sin and God's generous gift of forgiveness. For this one man, Adam, brought death to many through his sin. But this other man, Jesus Christ, brought forgiveness to many through God's bountiful gift."

3. **\_\_\_\_\_ for the \_\_\_\_\_**

(Luke 15:8 NLT) "... suppose a woman has ten valuable silver coins and loses one. Won't she light a lamp and look in every corner of the house and sweep every nook and cranny until she finds it? And when she finds it, she will call in her friends and neighbors to rejoice with her because she has found her lost coin. In the same way, there is joy in the presence of God's angels when even one sinner repents."

(Psalm 25:21 NIV) "May integrity and uprightness protect me, because my hope is in you."

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- ✓ **TAMED: Our ACTIONS gain us ACCESS.**

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**WILD: Live to PLEASE GOD**

- ✓ **TAMED: PERSONAL desires before OTHERS needs.**

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1. Give HOPE to the HOPELESS.

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