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BLUE CHRISTMAS
Galatians 5:22-23

I. Take the myths out of your Christmas.

II. Put scripture in your Christmas.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Galatians 5:22-23a (NIV)

These are relational and ethical characteristics.

1. With God.

Love

Now there was a man in Jerusalem called Simeon, who was righteous and devout. He was waiting for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him. It had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not die before he had seen the Lord's Christ. Moved by the Spirit, he went into the temple courts. When the parents brought in the child Jesus to do for him what the custom of the Law required, Simeon took him in his arms and praised God, saying: "Sovereign Lord, as you have promised, you now dismiss your servant in peace. For my eyes have seen your salvation, Luke 2:25-30 (NIV)

Joy

Peace

2. With Others.

Patience

Kindness

Goodness

3. With ourselves.

Faithfulness

Gentleness

Self-control

III. Pray scripture this Christmas.

IV. Hope.

Against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:23b (NIV)