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**THE EPHESIANS EPISTLE**  
**“THE BELIEVER AND HIS WALK”**  
**Ephesians 5:1-14**

**THESIS:** One of the greatest challenges of those saved by the grace of God is to follow the Person of God, manifested through Christ Jesus.

**Introduction**

In chapter 5 the great Pattern for the believer is God Himself. Every believer is to walk through life following God. This is his decision, his desire and his duty.

- A. In vs. 1-7, it is seen that the believer is to live his life in conduct that manifests he is following God.**
- 1. By becoming a follower of God (v. 1)**
  - 2. By loving as Christ loved (v. 2)**
  - 3. By being clean-bodied, that is morally pure (v. 3)**
  - 4. By being clean-mouthed (v. 4)**
  - 5. By knowing God’s solemn warning (v. 5-6)**
  - 6. By separating from the unclean (v. 7)**

**NOTES**

**B. In vs. 8-14 is seen the two (2) walks that are available to men. One is a life and walk of darkness. The other is a life and walk of light. Walking in the light results in the Blessings of Eternity. Living in darkness results in defilement, deceit, and destruction,**

- 1. Light, not darkness, is the nature of believers (v. 8)**
- 2. Light bears the things of light—the fruit of the Spirit (v. 9)**
- 3. Light shows what is acceptable (v. 10)**
- 4. Light exposes the works of darkness (v. 11-12)**
- 5. Light reveals and converts everything it touches (v. 13)**
- 6. Light awakens the sleeping (v. 14)**

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