

“FLESH WALKER”

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TEXT: Romans 8:8 “So then they that are in the flesh cannot please God.”

Christians who **think** in the flesh, **speak** in the flesh, **walk** in the flesh; do not please the Lord or bring lasting satisfaction to themselves; which leads to discouragement and despair. **Discouragement** is one of Satan’s biggest weapons, some of God’s greatest men were defeated by it. *Signs of discouragement reveals a leaning toward the flesh.*

Signs you are getting greatly discouraged. Num. 21:4

1. We **get** in the wrong spirit (attitude)

There is the spirit of defeat.....	No strength-can’t go on.
There is the spirit of murmuring.....	Constant complaining.
There is the spirit of grouchiness....	Short tempered.
There is the spirit of criticism.....	To justify our own defeat.

2. We **say** the wrong things Wish he’d never been born **Job 3:1-13**
Num. 21:5

3. We **see** the wrong things Giants instead of God. **Num.13:30-33**

4. We **do** the wrong things Moses smote the rock. **Num. 20:7-12**
Elijah ran from Jezebel **1 Kings 19:3**

5. We **get** into the wrong places..... Jonah was in the ship, sea, and whale
Jonah was out of the right places fellowship

6. We **pray** the wrong prayers..... Moses prayed to die **Num. 11:10-15**
Elijah prayed to die **1 Kings 19**

Joshua 1:7 “Only be thou strong and VERY COURAGEOUS,..”

1. Get into the right Spirit (attitude)

Spirit of victory I can, we can
Spirit of praising
Spirit of longsuffering
Spirit of compassion

2. Say the right things

3. See the right things

4. Do the right things

5. Get into the right places

6. Pray the right prayers

Let the good encourage you, not the bad discourage you.