

# KEY CHRISTIAN BEHAVIORS

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## LOVE ONE ANOTHER

- Be anchored in **Faith, Hope, and Love**
- Be Humble
- Be Kind and do not be judgmental
- Be Gentle
- Be compassionate - especially for the lost
- Be Generous
- Don't Be Angry
- Love and help your Enemies
- Always be Merciful and Forgiving
- Don't curse
- Don't speak unkindly of anyone
- Don't be rude
- Put others ahead of yourself and help them whenever you can:
  - **HELP SOMEONE EVERY DAY**
- Love Others and share the truth.
- Don't Be lustful
- Be Patient
- Be joyous
- Be meek – use our power to help others
- Be holy and pleasing to God
- Maintain self-control

## SPREAD THE GOSPEL WHENEVER WE CAN

- Be Doers of the Word – do good works!
- Maintain the right relationships to bless others, not ourselves
- Be and fight for justice
- Don't worry or fear - Continuously seek, praise, and trust God always
- Pray continuously and stay focused on God
- Be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to anger
- Always think of others and their needs, their hurts, their circumstances, and even their personalities before you speak and respond
- Always keep on the armor of God and rebuke the devil
- Preach the Gospel anytime an opportunity arises

#### **MAKE GOD NO. 1 IN OUR LIVES:**

- **Keep studying the Word**
- **Always be faithful, righteous, and truthful**
- **Work hard to stay in good spiritual shape!**
- **ALWAYS FOLLOW JESUS – BE HIS SLAVE AND SURRENDER ALL TO HIM**
- **In difficult circumstances always ask “What Would Jesus Do”?**
- **Be still with Christ in Quiet Time. Speak to Him in worship and prayer, and listen to Him speak to us through His Word, the Bible**
- **When necessary reach out and ask Jesus for help: “Help me, Jesus!”.**

#### **JOHN 1 BEHAVIORS SUMMARY:**

- Choose light, not darkness—1:5-7; 2:9-11 • Choose truth, not deception—1:8-10 • Choose obedience, not disobedience—2:3-6 • Choose love for God, not love for the world—2:15-16 • Choose righteousness, not lawlessness—3:4-9 • Choose the true Jesus, not a counterfeit—2:18-27