



## *The Benefits of Spirit Driven Parenting*

Galatians 5:18; 5:22

Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to reckless indiscretion. Instead, be filled with the Spirit. But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness...

**THIS IS THE STRONGEST POSTURE FROM WHICH YOU CAN PARENT!**

### The General Benefits of Holy Spirit Driven Parenting:

1. You always start from a posture of biblical truth and wisdom.
2. You operate with unlimited power and resources.
3. You demonstrate love, joy, peace, self-control, kindness, goodness, and faithfulness.
4. It is the best insurance policy for your children and their children.
5. It is the only way I can establish a spiritual legacy.

### The Benefits to Us as Parents:

1. The peace of God as I parent.
2. The joy of the Lord as I parent.
3. The confidence that I know what I'm doing is right.
4. The affirmation of the Holy Spirit that He is in control.
5. I can sleep at night worry free.

### The Benefits to Our Children:

1. They learn to trust God.
2. They learn to trust us.
3. They learn to yield to the Holy Spirit
4. They learn to discern light from darkness.
5. They learn to discern good versus great.
6. They can discern evil in a circumstance and remove themselves.
7. They learn to trust their inner voice that warns them.
8. They have an inner search engine for an on-the-spot Word from God.

### The Benefits to Their Friends and Associates:

1. A visible witness of the Person of the Lord Jesus Christ.
2. An option to turn from sin where they lack courage to move.
3. A friend that is like Jesus.
4. Someone who is praying for them.
5. Access to godly parents.
6. Access to salvation and sanctification
7. The protection of the Holy Spirit just by being in their life.

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