

# Ephesians

## *The Believer's Behavior*

### Walk in a Manner Worthy of Your Calling

#### Ephesians 4:1-6 (NASB)

- <sup>1</sup> Therefore I, the prisoner of the Lord, implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you have been called,
- <sup>2</sup> with all humility and gentleness, with patience, showing tolerance for one another in love,
- <sup>3</sup> being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
- <sup>4</sup> *There is* one body and one Spirit, just as also you were called in one hope of your calling;
- <sup>5</sup> one Lord, one faith, one baptism,
- <sup>6</sup> one God and Father of all who is over all and through all and in all.

#### How to Walk Worthy of Our Calling

1. Walk with \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Ephesians 4:1-2 (NASB)

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- <sup>2</sup> with all humility

- a. Humility is not thinking \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, it is \_\_\_\_\_ of yourself \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Charles Spurgeon

Young Christians think themselves little; growing Christians think themselves nothing; full-grown Christians think themselves less than nothing. So as we grow up we grow down; as Christ increases we must decrease; as he is glorified, the flesh gets dishonored in our esteem.

2. Walk with gentleness/\_\_\_\_\_.

**Ephesians 4:2 (NASB)**

<sup>2</sup>with all humility and gentleness

a. \_\_\_\_\_ is not \_\_\_\_\_, it is \_\_\_\_\_ under \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Walk with \_\_\_\_\_ / longsuffering.

**Ephesians 4:2 (NASB)**

<sup>2</sup>with patience, showing tolerance for one another in love,

a. \_\_\_\_\_ with people.

## The Purpose of Walking Worthy of Our Calling

4. So we will preserve the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ephesians 1:2-9, 3:6, 2:21,22, 3:6, 4:16; Colossians 2:19; 1 Corinthians 12:12; 1 Thessalonians 4:17.**

**Ephesians 4:3-6 (NASB)**

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5. \_\_\_\_\_ of our calling \_\_\_\_\_ us into the one body that \_\_\_\_\_ to the world.