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Preteens



Step by Step

This series is designed to help students learn about the way God's Spirit can work to transform them into the character of Jesus. However, because middle schoolers think abstractly in this phase, understanding and connecting to the Holy Spirit of God may be challenging for them at first. It's important to break this concept down anytime you talk about it to help them grasp the fullness of God's Spirit in this series and beyond.

MEMORY VERSE

"But the fruit of the Spirit
is love, joy, peace, forbearance,
kindness, goodness, faithfulness,
23 gentleness and self-control.
Against such things there
is no law."
Galatians 5:22-3, NIV

Week One

John 10:10, Galatians 5:22-23a

God is doing more than we can see.

Week Two

Galatians 5:22-23a, Galatians 5:25, John 15:5

The Holy Spirit can change us.

Week Three

Galatians 5:22-23a, Galatians 2:20

Look for the Holy Spirit in you.

Week Four

Galatians 5:22-23a, Romans 8:5

Look for the Holy Spirit in others and the world.

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ENGAGE IN EVERYDAY MOMENTS TOGETHER



Morning Time

As your teen starts their day, share with your teen one way you saw them grow and mature this summer.



Meal Time

At a meal this week, share a story about a time when you thought something was over and/or hopeless, but then something happened to prove otherwise.



Drive Time

While on the go this week, ask: "What is something good that has happened this week? What is something not so good?"



Bed Time

Thank God for working in the life of you and your teen—even when you can't always see what He's doing.

DAILY DEVOTIONAL

To read the daily devotionals that go along with this series, download the <u>YouVersion Bible app</u> on iOS or Android, or visit Bible.com. Just search for **STEP BY STEP** in the Reading Plans section to get started. Then encourage your students to join you in reading the daily devos as you all walk through this series together!.