The Overlooked God #4 – Walking With The Spirit Ps. 51:11, 1 Thes. 5:19, Eph. 5:18 November 17, 2013

Consider the following lists adapted from Henry & Melvin Blackaby's book Experiencing the Spirit

Signs of a vibrant spiritual life:

- To be aware of and obedient to the Spirit's voice
- To have faith to take God at His Word
- To have hope that looks beyond the circumstances to the future
- To have love for every person for whom Christ died
- To be alive to an existence of an unseen spiritual world
- To seek first the kingdom of God

Signs of a weak or non-existent spiritual life:

- To be unresponsive and insensitive to the living God
- To grow sceptical about faith, disillusioned about hope, and cynical about love
- To feel the struggle between good and evil is not worth the fight
- To find your spiritual zeal and joy smothered by the dreariness of life
- To lose the excitement of walking by faith and attempting the impossible
- To stop caring about the body of Christ and be apathetic toward the church
- To be insensitive to those heading into eternity without a relationship with God
- To find prayer useless and not worth the effort
- 1. Where do you find yourself through these lists?
 - a. What might a next step be for you to grow further in tune with the Holy Spirit?

Scripture Memory

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