



Be Controlled By the Spirit

Living as a Christian

In an Unchristian World

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“Navigate Wisely” Through All of Your Opportunities

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Resist the Temptation to “Cruise the Strip”

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²Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect. *Romans 12:2*

Operate “Under the Influence” of the Holy Spirit

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