



## The Christian Life is like:

### 1. A WALKER: STAY ON THE RIGHT TRACK!

"... as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him..." *Colossians 2:6*

### 2. A TREE: DIG DEEP TO GROW TALL!

"rooted and built up in him...." *Colossians 2:7*

"He is like a tree planted by the rivers of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does shall prosper." *Psalms 1:3*

### 3. A STUDENT: APPLY WHAT YOU'VE LEARNED!

"rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving." *Colossians 2:7*

"...the word is very near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart so you may obey it." *Deuteronomy 30:14*

### 4. A FOUNTAIN: LET HIS LIFE OVERFLOW!

"...just as you were taught, abounding (or overflowing) in thanksgiving." *Colossians 2:7*

"Jesus said, 'Out of the OVERFLOW of the heart, the mouth speaks.'" *Matthew 12:34*

"give thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ." *Ephesians 5:20*

### 5. A SOLDIER: DON'T GET AMBUSHED BY THE LIE!

*Colossians 2:8*

(1) The lie: "See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ." *Colossians 2:8*

(2) The truth: "For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have been filled in him, who is the head of all rule and authority."

*Colossians 2:9-10*

Jesus said, "I've come that they might have life and live it to the fullest!"  
*John 10:10*