

## CHARACTER QUALITIES

- **Adaptable** Able to adjust without difficulty to new and unexpected conditions.
  - Phil 4:6
- **Agreeable** Willing or ready to agree or consent.
- **Alertness** Ability to know and do the right thing based on what is taking place.
  - Mark 14:38
- **Amiability** Having a kindly or attractive disposition; friendly; pleasing.
  - Micah 6:8
- **Aspiration** Ardent desire after what is great and good.
  - Phil. 4:8
- **Assured** Certain; convinced; not doubting or doubtful.
  - Matt. 7:24; Phil. 4:13
- **Attentiveness** Paying or giving attention; intent; observant.
  - Prov. 22:17-19; Phil. 2:3-4; Heb. 2:1
- **Availability** Capable of being used – “always there when you need ‘em”.
  - Acts 20:35; Phil. 2:20-21
- **Boldness** Daring; courageous; brave; confident; speaks out.
  - Ps. 138:3; Acts 4:29; Eph. 3:11-12; Phil 1:20
- **Bravery** To encounter with courage and fortitude.
  - Ps. 31:3; Ps. 31:24
- **Cautiousness** Knowing when to do the right thing at the right time.
  - Prov. 19:2
- **Compassion** Sympathetic emotion created by misfortunes of another with a desire to help.
  - Ps. 103:13; Col. 3:12; 1 John 3:17
- **Confidence** Certain; self-reliant; has assurance.
  - Ps. 71:5; Prov. 14:26; 2 Cor. 3:4-5; Heb. 4:16; Heb. 10:35-36
- **Considerate** Regard for others’ circumstances or feelings.
  - Eph. 4:32; Phil. 2:4; Heb. 10:24-25
- **Contentment** Satisfaction with what one has and circumstances or feelings.
  - Phil. 4:7, 11; 1 Tim. 6:8
- **Cooperative** To work together as a group for a common goal.
  - Rom. 12:3-5
- **Courage** Ability to encounter danger or difficulties with firmness and without fear.
  - Deut. 31:6; 2 Chron. 15:7; Ps. 27:14; Ps. 31:24
- **Creativity** Imaginative; gives rise to new things and ideas.
  - Rom. 12:2
- **Decisiveness** Able to make a prompt decision when faced with time limits.
  - James 1:5
- **Dedicated** Given wholly to a purpose, goal, or thing; devoted.
  - Phil. 3:14; Col. 3:23-24
- **Deference** Being respectful to others; treating them as persons of great worth.
  - Rom. 14:21
- **Dependability** Reliability; trustworthy; rest with confidence in.
  - Ps. 15:4; Ps. 62:6, 7; Luke 16:10
- **Desire** To wish or long for a person, thing, or goal.

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- Determination Firm resolution; settled purpose; a vision that is adhered to at all costs.
  - Luke 22:42; 1 Cor. 9:24; Heb. 12:1-3
- Diligence Steady application; constant effort; to accomplish what is undertaken.
  - Jer. 29:13; Col. 3:23; Heb. 6:11-12
- Discernment Power to discriminate between good and evil; insight based on scripture.
  - 1 Sam. 16:7; Ps. 119:65-66; Prov. 17:27
- Discipline State of order maintained by training and strict self-control.
  - Gal. 5:22-23; 1 Tim. 4:7; 2 Tim. 1:7
- Discretion The ability to make sound, tactful judgments.
  - Prov. 22:3
- Earnestness Serious in intention, purpose, or effort, characterized by depth.
  - Prov. 23:23
- Endurance A continuing or bearing-up under pain or distress without yielding.
  - Gal. 6:9; Heb. 12:1
- Enthusiasm A keen and active interest; ardent zeal in pursuit of something.
  - Prov. 15:13; Romans 12:11; 1 Pet. 3:13
- Expressiveness Full of expression, vividly representing the feeling to be conveyed.
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- Fairness Honest; open; frank; impartial or unbiased.
  - Luke 6:31
- Faith Trust in a person or thing; loyalty to a person, promise, or commitment.
  - 1 Tim. 1:12; Heb. 11:1
- Firm Steadfast and unwavering; showing determination.
  - Eph. 6:14
- Flexibility Capable of adapting or modifying.
  - Col. 3:2
- Forgiveness Inclined to overlook offenses; to cease to feel resentment against.
  - Eph. 4:32
- Fortitude Strength of mind. Able to face danger or bear pain with courage.
  - 1 Chron. 29:20
- Friendly Inclined to approve, help, or support.
  - Ps. 41:1-2; Prov. 17:17; John 15:13
- Generosity Free and unselfish in giving.
  - Prov. 22:9; 2 Cor. 9:6
- Gentleness Kindly; mild, not severe.
  - Matt. 5:5; Gal. 5:22-23; Col. 3:12; 1 Thess. 2:7; 1 Pet. 3:4
- Giving To commit or offer oneself to be used or helpful.
  - Matt. 22:37-39; 2 Cor. 9:7
- Good-natured Natural mildness and kindness of disposition.
  - Col. 4:6
- Goodness Virtue or integrity; kindness.
  - Gal. 5:22
- Gratefulness Thankfulness of kindness shown or benefits received.
  - 1 Cor. 4:7; Eph. 5:20; 1 Thess. 5:18
- Honesty Free from deceit; integrity; honorable intentions, principles and actions.
  - Matt. 5:18
- Honorable Worthy of being honored; motivated by principles of honor; consistent.
  - Matt. 5:6
- Hospitality Cheerfully shares with others each day; food, shelter; smiles, encouragement.
  - Heb. 13:2

- Humility Not proud or arrogant; modest and submissive to authority.
  - Ps. 10:17; Prov. 22:4; James 4:6; 1 Pet. 5:6
- Imaginative Being able to create new things or ideas consistent with reality.
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- Initiative Power or ability to take the lead or originate action.
  - 1 Chron. 29:20; Rom. 12:21
- Integrity Unimpaired moral principles; honest; soundness; whole and undivided.
  - Prov. 10:9; Prov. 20:7
- Intent Fixed with earnest attention on some purpose or thought.
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- Joyfulness Gladness or delight; causing satisfaction and happiness.
  - Prov. 15:13; Prov. 17:22a; John 15:11; James 1:2-3
- Kindness Good; helpful; friendly.
  - Micah 6:8; Eph. 4:32
- Leadership Ability to lead or guide.
  - Ex. 18:21; Matt. 20:26; Romans 12:1-2
- Listener To give close attention in order to hear; to pay attention to.
  - Prov. 4:1; Mark 4:24; James 1:19
- Love Giving to others' needs without seeking something in return.
  - 1 Cor. 13:3
- Loyalty Faithful to one's obligations, commitments, and leaders.
  - Matt. 25:21; John 15:13; Rom. 12:9-10
- Meekness Mild of temper; gentle; not easily provoked or irritated.
  - Ps. 62:5; Gal. 5:22-23; 1 Cor. 13:4-5
- Obedience Act of complying with rules and standards imposed by one in authority
  - 1 Kings 8:61; 2 Cor. 10:5
- Open-minded Having a mind open to new arguments or ideas; unprejudiced.
  - Prov. 22:17
- Orderliness Preparing and organizing to minimize confusion and maximize productivity
  - 1 Cor. 14:40
- Patience Bearing pain or trial without complaining; waiting with calmness; not hasty.
  - Prov. 14:29; Prov. 17:27; Rom. 5:3-4; 2 Tim. 4:2
- Perseverance The act or habit of persistence in anything undertaken.
  - Rom. 5:3-4
- Persistence Steady continuance of a course; tenacious or purpose.
  - Hosea 6:3; Eph. 6:14
- Persuasiveness Having the power to influence, move, or prevail; convince to take action.
  - 1 Tim. 4:12; 2 Tim. 2:24
- Pleasing Giving pleasure or satisfaction; agreeable; gratifying.
  - Ps. 104:34; 2 Cor. 5:9
- Practical Mindful of results, usefulness, advantages/disadvantages, matter-of-fact.
- Punctuality Showing that I value other people and their time.
  - Eccl. 3:1
- Purposefulness Having an objective to be reached or accomplished.
- Respectfulness Regard; high consideration and courtesy.
  - 1 Pet. 2:13; 1 Pet. 2:17
- Resoluteness Having a fixed purpose; determined; steadfast; firm.
  - Prov. 4:25-27; 1 Cor. 15:58; Gal. 6:9-10

- Resourcefulness Wise use of that which others might overlook or discard.
  - Luke 16:10
- Responsibility Accountable for performance or discharge of duty.
  - Rom. 14:19; Phil. 4:13; 1 Pet. 4:10
- Reverence An attitude of deep respect and esteem mingled with affection.
  - Prov. 1:7; Prov. 23:17; 1 Pet. 5:5
- Security Freedom from apprehension; confidence of safety; freedom from danger
  - Ps. 16:8-9; Prov. 10:9; John 6:27
- Self-control Control of one's actions or feelings.
  - Gal. 5:22-25
- Self-starter One who applies his/her efforts without instruction, urging, or direction.
  
- Sensitivity Having feelings easily excited; readily and acutely affected.
  - Rom. 12:15; Col. 3:12
- Sincerity Freedom from hypocrisy; truthfulness; genuineness.
  - Prov. 3:3; James 3:17; Heb. 10:22; 1 Pet. 1:22
- Steadfast Fixed, firm, or constant in resolution; not fickle or wavering.
  - Prov. 4:25; Prov. 12:27b; Prov. 21:5; 1 Cor. 15:58
- Tactful Skill in doing or saying exactly what is required.
  - Prov. 25:11, Eph 4:15
- Tenacious Holding fast, keeping a firm hold; "stick-to-it-tiveness"; tough.
  - Prov. 4:25, 26-27; Prov. 12:27b; Gal. 6:9
- Thankful Expressive of gratitude; grateful; appreciative.
  - Eph. 5:20; 1 Thess. 5:18
- Thoroughness Finishing a task that has been started down to the last detail.
  - Prov. 18:5
- Thriftiness Controlling my desire to spend more, so that I might have more for others.
  - Luke 16:11
- Tolerance Acceptance of others; realizing that we are all different, and maturing.
  - Phil. 2:2
- Trustworthy Worthy of trust or confidence; reliable.
  - Isaiah 6:4; Matt. 25:21; Heb. 2:13
- Truthfulness Conformity to fact or reality; honesty by nature.
  - Prov. 10:9; Eph. 4:25
- Unselfish Not unduly attached to one's own interests or welfare; generous.
  - Matt. 20:26-28; Phil. 2:3-5
- Virtue Moral excellence or goodness; praise-worthy.
  - Prov. 19:20; Phil. 4:8; 1 Pet. 1:5
- Wisdom Having sound judgment; common sense; extensive knowledge; discerning.
  - Prov. 1:7; Prov. 9:10; Prov. 15:20a; Eph. 5:15-17; James 3:17