

FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT SCROLL 9

GENTLENESS — STRENGTH WITHOUT STRIFE

Witness: Isaac

Spirit Utterance

Gentleness is power restrained by wisdom.

Gentleness is strength governed by peace.

The gentle do not lack the ability to contend.

They possess the wisdom to know when not to.

The strongest river is not the one that crashes the loudest.

It is the one that continues to flow.

Kingdom Lesson

Many mistake gentleness for weakness.

The Kingdom teaches otherwise.

Gentleness is not surrender.

Gentleness is controlled strength.

Gentleness is the ability to carry authority without oppression.

Gentleness is the ability to carry truth without cruelty.

Gentleness is the ability to carry power without becoming consumed by it.

The gentle understand that not every battle must be fought.

First Stick Witnesses

Genesis 26:22

"And he removed from thence, and digged another well; and for that they strove not: and he called the name of it Rehoboth."

Numbers 12:3

"Now the man Moses was very meek, above all the men which were upon the face of the earth."

Proverbs 15:1

"A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger."

Matthew 11:29

"Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart."

 Second Stick Witnesses

Alma 37:34

"Learn in thy youth to keep the commandments of God."

Mosiah 3:19

"Become as a child, submissive, meek, humble, patient, full of love."

3 Nephi 12:5

"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth."

Ether 12:27

"If men come unto me I will show unto them their weakness."

 Kingdom Reflection

Isaac possessed the resources to fight.

He possessed the servants to resist.

He possessed the authority to contend.

Yet when disputes arose over the wells, Isaac repeatedly chose another path.

He moved.

He dug again.

He continued the work.

Others sought conflict.

Isaac sought peace.

His gentleness was not weakness.

His gentleness was confidence.

He trusted that what the Most High established could not be taken away by the striving of men.

The fruit appeared before the increase.

✂️ Mantle Connection

Gentleness strengthens every mantle.

The teacher must correct gently.

The watchman must warn gently.

The warrior must wield strength wisely.

The builder must lead without oppression.

The scribe must preserve truth without arrogance.

Without gentleness, the mantle becomes harsh.

Without gentleness, authority becomes intimidation.

Gentleness allows the mantle to serve rather than dominate.

The Kingdom advances through strength under control.

🏛️ Kingdom Witnesses

First Stick

- Isaac
- Moses
- Barnabas
- Yahshua HaMashiach

Second Stick

- King Benjamin
- Alma
- Nephi
- The People of Christ in 4 Nephi

🎯 Kingdom Challenge

This week, choose one situation where you could insist on your own way.


Then choose gentleness.

Listen longer.

Speak softer.

Respond slower.

Let wisdom guide strength.

 Chamber Seal

Gentleness is not the absence of strength.

Gentleness is strength governed by the Spirit.

The gentle do not surrender their power.

They place it under heavenly order.

For gentleness is the fruit that transforms authority into service,
and the mantle is strongest in the hands of those who know when peace is
greater than victory.

