

Characteristics of a Narcissistic Spirit with Bible Verses

1. A narcissistic spirit can't apologize

- Proverbs 28:13 – *"People who conceal their sins will not prosper, but if they confess and turn from them, they will receive mercy."*

2. They might say "I'm sorry, but..."

- James 1:19 – *"Understand this, my dear brothers and sisters: You must all be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to get angry."*

3. A narcissistic spirit is unteachable / doesn't listen / thinks they know it all

- Proverbs 12:15 – *"Fools think their own way is right, but the wise listen to others."*
- Proverbs 18:2 – *"Fools have no interest in understanding; they only want to air their own opinions."*

4. They never shut up / talk excessively

- Proverbs 10:19 – *"When words are many, sin is not absent, but he who holds his tongue is wise."*

5. A narcissistic spirit is arrogant

- Proverbs 16:18 – *"Pride goes before destruction, and haughtiness before a fall."*

6. Suspicious of people's intentions

- 1 Corinthians 13:5 – *"Love does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged."*

7. A victim spirit

- Philippians 2:14 – *"Do everything without complaining and arguing."*

8. Cold-hearted

- Ezekiel 36:26 – *"I will give you a new heart, and I will put a new spirit in you. I will take out your stony, stubborn heart and give you a tender, responsive heart."*

9. Blames others for all of its problems / never takes responsibility

- Galatians 6:5 – *"For each one should carry their own load."*

10. Entitled spirit

- 2 Thessalonians 3:10 – *"For even when we were with you, we gave you this rule: 'If a man will not work, he shall not eat.'"*

11. Consumed with self (self-seeking, self-centered)

- Philippians 2:3 – *"Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves."*

12. Lucifer spirit (I, I, I; I will be like the Most High)

- Isaiah 14:12-14 – *"How you have fallen from heaven, O morning star, son of the dawn! You have been cast down to the earth..."*

13. Doesn't empathize

- Romans 12:15 – *"Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn."*

14. Neglecting family while helping others

- 1 Timothy 5:8 – *"But those who won't care for their relatives, especially those in their own household, have denied the true faith. Such people are worse than unbelievers."*

15. Unforgiving / wants others punished

- Matthew 6:14-15 – *"If you forgive those who sin against you, your heavenly Father will forgive you. But if you refuse to forgive others, your Father will not forgive your sins."*

16. Attracted to nurturers

- Proverbs 11:22 – *"Like a gold ring in a pig's snout is a beautiful woman who shows no discretion."* (symbolizing misalignment of character)

17. They don't have boundaries

- Galatians 6:7 – *"Don't be misled—you cannot mock the justice of God. You will always harvest what you plant."*

18. Disrespectful / unkind

- Ephesians 4:29 – *"Don't use foul or abusive language. Let everything you say be good and helpful..."*

19. Rebellious (I'll do what I want)

- 1 Samuel 15:23 – *"Rebellion is like the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as bad as worshiping idols."*

20. Belittles others

- James 4:11 – *"Don't speak evil against each other, dear brothers and sisters."*

21. Envious, jealous, covetousness

- James 3:16 – *"For wherever there is jealousy and selfish ambition, there you will find disorder and evil of every kind."*

22. Rage / wrath

- Proverbs 14:29 – *"Those who are patient have great understanding, but one who is quick-tempered displays folly."*

23. Intimidates, bullies, threatens

- Proverbs 3:31 – *"Do not envy violent people or choose any of their ways."*

24. Reacts when they don't get their way

- Galatians 5:22-23 – *"But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control."*

25. Divides families

- Mark 3:25 – *"If a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand."*

26. Religion & legalism

- Matthew 23:27-28 – *"They are like whitewashed tombs, which look beautiful on the outside but on the inside are full of dead people's bones and all sorts of impurity."*

27. Judgmental / critical / condemning

- Matthew 7:1-2 – *"Do not judge others, and you will not be judged."*

28. Nothing is ever good enough

- Ecclesiastes 4:4 – *"And I saw that all labor and all achievement spring from one person's envy of another."*

29. Destroys kingdom connections

- Romans 16:17 – *"Now I urge you, brothers and sisters, to watch out for those who cause divisions and put obstacles in your way that are contrary to the teaching you have learned."*

30. Suicidal spirit (contemplates or inflicts suicide)

- Psalm 34:18 – *"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted; he rescues those whose spirits are crushed."*

31. Narcissism as Jezebel and Leviathan spirit

- Revelation 2:20 – *"But I have this against you: You tolerate that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophet. By her teaching she misleads my servants into sexual immorality and the eating of food sacrificed to idols."*
- Job 41:1 – *"Can you catch Leviathan with a fishhook or tie down its tongue with a rope?"*

32. Abuse

- Psalm 11:5 – *"The Lord examines both the righteous and the wicked; he hates those who love violence."*

33. Neglect

- James 1:27 – *"Pure and genuine religion in the sight of God the Father means caring for orphans and widows in their distress."*

34. Idolatry

- Exodus 20:3 – *"You must not have any other god but me."*

35. Witchcraft

- Galatians 5:19-21 – *"When you follow the desires of your sinful nature, the results are very clear: sexual immorality, impurity, lustful pleasures, idolatry, sorcery..."*