

Take Time To Be Holy Introduction To Holiness



SUMMARY OF THE PENTATEUCH

Genesis: The need for salvation arises and the plan is initiated through Abraham's family

Exodus: Abraham's family becomes the great nation of Israel and God makes His covenant with them

Leviticus: God requires Israel to be a holy nation

Numbers: Though Israel fails to live up to God's requirements, He still brings them into the promised land by His grace

Deuteronomy: Israel is exhorted to keep all of God's laws in the future in order to be a holy nation



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Leviticus 11:44-45

For I am the Lord your God. You shall therefore consecrate yourselves, and you shall be holy; for I am holy. Neither shall you defile yourselves with any creeping thing that creeps on the earth. For I am the Lord who brings you up out of the land of Egypt, to be your God. You shall therefore be holy, for I am holy.



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1 John 1:5-7

This is the message which we have heard from Him and declare to you, that God is light and in Him is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with Him, and walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.



1 Thessalonians 4:1-8

Finally then, brethren, we urge and exhort in the Lord Jesus that you should abound more and more, just as you received from us how you ought to walk and to please God; for you know what commandments we gave you through the Lord Jesus. For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you should abstain from sexual immorality; that each of you should know how to possess his own vessel in *sanctification* and honor, not in passion of lust, like the Gentiles who do not know God; that no one should take advantage of and defraud his brother in this matter, because the Lord is the avenger of all such, as we also forewarned you and testified. For God did not call us to uncleanness, but in *holiness*. Therefore he who rejects this does not reject man, but God, who has also given us His Holy Spirit.

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God Has Called Us To Be Holy

We Are To Be "Set Apart" From Sin 1 Peter 1:13-16; 2:9-10; Hebrews 12:14

We Are To Be "Set Apart" For God

1 Corinthians 6:18-20; Matthew 5:13-16; 1 Peter 2:9-12

Examples Of Holiness In Practice 1 Peter 3:1-12; 4:1-5



Will You Begin Being Holy Today?

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