

4. The Bible indicates certain **places** (e.g. JOSHUA 5:15), **objects** (e.g. 1 KINGS 8:4) and **days** (e.g. EXODUS 31:14) are *holy*. In such contexts, what does *holy* mean?

5. What source of motivation for *holy* living is identified in 2 PETER 3:11?

6. What is meant by *keeping a short list of sins*, and how does this pertain to *holiness*?

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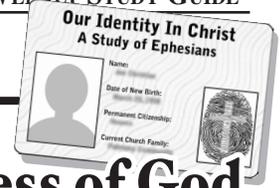
## PERSONAL APPLICATION

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1. What *contamination* needs to be addressed in your devotional life?
2. What plan will you make to pursue a goal of *holiness*?

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.

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# Created After the Likeness of God

## (Part 4c: In Your Goals)

Introduction: EPHESIANS 4:17-32

- I. The Old Self is characterized by selfish goals.
- II. The New Self is characterized by righteousness and holiness.

- A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of every believer should be \_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. Your New Self must \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ in your \_\_\_\_\_.
1. You are \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_ holiness).
    - a. You are \_\_\_\_\_ God.  
EPHESIANS 1:1; 1 PETER 2:9
    - b. You are \_\_\_\_\_ because of \_\_\_\_\_.  
2 TIMOTHY 1:9
  2. You are to \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_ holiness).

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## STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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a. \_\_\_\_\_ holiness is the \_\_\_\_\_  
of \_\_\_\_\_ holiness. 1 PETER 1:15–16

b. \_\_\_\_\_ holiness requires \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_. 2 CORINTHIANS 6:14–7:1

3. Real \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_.

a. God desires \_\_\_\_\_.

EPHESIANS 4:24; MARK 7:6; 2 TIMOTHY 3:1–5;

COLOSSIANS 2:20–23; 1 PETER 2:9

b. The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
is \_\_\_\_\_. EPHESIANS 4:24; JOHN 14:6; COLOSSIANS 1:21–22

4. You are to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

a. Holiness implies a  
\_\_\_\_\_ life that is  
\_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_.

1 PETER 3:15; PSALM 51:10; 19:7–10; 139:23–24

b. A holy \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
inevitably \_\_\_\_\_  
in \_\_\_\_\_.

EPHESIANS 4:24; COLOSSIANS 3:12–13; ROMANS 12:1

Conclusion: Make it your \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
because \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_. 1 PETER 1:15–16

1. What is the difference between *positional holiness*  
and *practical holiness*?

2. Many religions (especially Judaism) emphasize *holiness*  
as essential to a right relationship with God.  
What criteria determine *true holiness*? Defend your answer.

3. The Bible contains verses about **God's holiness** (e.g. ISAIAH 6:3) as  
well as verses about the *holiness* of God's **people** (e.g. EPHESIANS 1:4).  
(a) How are these different, and (b) how are they the same?