

3. Explain how *laziness* can be a form of dishonesty.
Defend your answer.

4. List and define the different ways a person can be dishonest
as specified in LEVITICUS 6:1-3.

5. Explain how it is possible to say something that is technically true
but simultaneously communicate something dishonest.

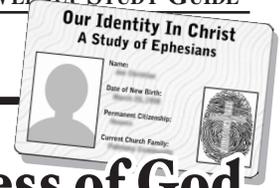
6. Explain the meaning and application of PROVERBS 26:18-19.

PERSONAL APPLICATION

How has God used this study on honesty
to direct your thoughts and actions?

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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Series: "Our Identity in Christ" — Ephesians #75

Created After the Likeness of God (Part 3a: In Your Behavior)

Introduction: EPHESIANS 4:17-32

The contrast between the behavior of
the *Old Self* and that of the *New Self*:

I. _____ in _____.

A. The behavior of the Old Self is characterized by

_____ in _____.

1. _____ comes _____. EXODUS 20:15

2. _____ to _____ what is _____
is _____. JAMES 5:4

3. _____ a _____ is
_____.

1 CORINTHIANS 4:2; PSALM 24:1; DEUTERONOMY 8:17-18; MALACHI 3:8

B. The behavior of the New Self is characterized by

_____.

1. _____! EPHESIANS 4:28

2. _____.

EPHESIANS 4:28; PROVERBS 12:11

3. _____ what _____. ROMANS 13:7

4. _____ for God's _____.

1 CORINTHIANS 6:19-20; EPHESIANS 4:28

II. _____ in _____.

A. The behavior of the Old Self is characterized by

_____ in _____.

1. _____ comes _____.

LEVITICUS 19:11; GALATIANS 6:3

2. A _____ - _____ is a _____.

ACTS 5:1-11; PROVERBS 12:5

3. _____ is _____

than _____.

PROVERBS 6:16-19

B. The behavior of the New Self is characterized by

_____.

1. God _____ that you _____

_____. EPHESIANS 4:25

2. God _____ —

_____ you.

TITUS 1:2; COLOSSIANS 3:9-10

3. The _____ for _____

is to _____. EPHESIANS 4:25

4. The standard for _____ - _____

_____ is to

_____.

PSALM 34:13; 1 PETER 2:1

Conclusion: Are you _____

to make your _____ a reflection

of _____?

STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. EPHESIANS 4:28 contrasts *honest work* with stealing.

Are there other types of “work” that may be inherently dishonest?

2. Many excuse trivial incidents of dishonesty in their own lives believing that these are inconsequential.

Explain how Jesus’ words in LUKE 16:10 apply here.