

Concentration on Sanctification

1 Thessalonians 3:13 - 4:3

Excel –

Until we have arrived in God's _____... we have not arrived in _____
sanctification...which is why we must _____ in sanctification.

The Holiness of God – Exodus 15:11

The _____ characteristic of God is holiness.

Holiness – _____

God is _____ from and exalted above all His creatures,
and He is _____ from all moral evil and sin. (Thiessen - Lectures)

Holiness is that self-affirmed quality of God which embodies the totality of His _____
and sets Him apart from all that is created and mundane (both in being and in character.) -Roy Beacham

God's holiness in _____ is demonstrated by His majesty which is too great and too extreme
to be expressed in words.

God's holiness in _____ finds expression in His purity which cannot be marred.

1. Because God is holy, He _____ sin.
2. Because God is holy, there is a _____ between God and the sinner.
3. Because God is holy, man must _____ God in holiness, and the only way to do that
is through being _____ the blood of Jesus.
4. Because God is holy, we must approach Him with _____

Sanctification –

Introduction: Sanctification is a _____ work that _____ throughout our _____ lives.

It is a work in which GOD and man _____, each playing distinct roles.

It is a progressive work of God and man that makes us more and more _____ and _____ Christ in our actual lives

Stage 1: Sanctification at _____ 1 Cor 6:11, Gal 5:17

Sanctification has a definite _____ and _____ at regeneration.

#1 – *we will never be able to say – I am completely free* _____

#2 – *we can never say – _____ has defeated me, I give up*

Stage 2: Sanctification _____ Rom 6:19, Eph 4:22-24, 2 Cor 3:18

Sanctification _____ and increases throughout life - progressive sanctification.

Sanctification is the progressive work of God and man. We are to _____ the holiness of God in our lives, knowing that _____ us into the image of Christ.

Stage 3: Sanctification _____ 1 John 3:2, Phil 3:21

Perfect sanctification _____ !