

Sanctification

*1 Corinthians 6:9-11*

A. What is Sanctification?

* A Two-fold Meaning
  + We are Set Apart From Sin; Colossians 3:5-10
  + We are Set Apart To God; Colossians 3:12-17
  + It is not just what you Don’t do but Who you are for
  + You are not just Against sin but are ForJesus
  + An Old Testament illustration: Vessels for the Tabernacle;  
    1 Corinthians 6:19-20
* A Two-fold Process
  + Positional Sanctification: Instantaneous
  + Experiential Sanctification: Progressive
  + We need to become more like Jesus Every Day
  + Every day, Jesus is working to Perfect His image in you

B. How do we Get Sanctification?

* The Word of God; John 17:17
  + Individual study; Group study; Hebrews 10:24-25
* The Choices we make; Romans 8:12-14
* Make choices about going Christ’s way or the World’s way
* The Relationships in your life; Proverbs 27:17
* God places People in your life to help you become More like Him
* Through Suffering and Trials; Hebrews 12:7-11
* God is transforming you from Coal into a brilliant Diamond

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