

Gospel Assurance & Warnings

Recovering the Gospel Series

Lesson #8: “Purifying Self”

□ Read Chapter **eleven** and answer the following questions from pages 105-114.

Hebrews 12:14 ‘Pursue peace with all people, and holiness, without which no one will see the Lord.’

1. What should those who look for the second coming of Jesus Christ be marked by?
2. What two things does striving for holiness not accomplish?
3. What is the great mark of conversion discussed in this chapter?
4. List the two implications of the Greek word for ‘purifies’ being in the ‘present tense?’
5. “The believer’s _____ in holiness is overwhelmingly the result of _____ progressive work of providence and the believer’s day-to-day _____ for greater _____ through the Word of God, _____, and separation.”
6. What is meant by “the work of the sanctification is synergistic?”
7. Where does a Christian get their desire for holiness?

8. "... the genuine Christian will not only be _____ by _____ to God's work of sanctification in his _____ but he will also _____ participate in this _____ through the _____ provided him in the Scriptures."
9. List the four means of grace that lead to holiness of life?
10. What conclusion does one come to when a professing believer lacks desire and action for holiness?
11. What has been the fallout of a three-tiered view of humanity?
12. "There is no _____ thing as a Christian who _____ in a continuous or _____ state of carnality; there is _____ such thing as a Christian in whom _____ is not working effectually."
13. Why can Christians take comfort that they are not alone in the work of sanctification?