

**What Is Holiness?
– Volume 2 –
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**Holiness Outworked
4420**

Proclamation: Psalm 19:12–14

I. Outworked Holiness

- A. Vision – key to self-discipline (Prov. 29:18)
- B. Pursue holiness (Heb. 12:14)

II. Deal With Sin

- A. Palm Sunday to Good Friday – *God will never compromise with sin* – From popularity to total rejection
- B. The moment of truth – do not **play a role** (Ps. 51:6) – Your inner life must *harmonize* with your outer life – possible sins:
 - 1. Abuse of a child
 - 2. Broken marriage vows
 - 3. Wrong dealing with money
 - 4. Pornography
 - 5. Gluttony
- C. Confess Sin – God is not committed to forgive sins that we are not willing to confess (1 John 1:9)
- D. Walk in the light – **fellowship** – continual *cleansing* (1 John 1:7)
- E. The **light** is the Word of God (Ps. 119:105)
- F. Enter into the **promises** of **Scripture** – spiritual gifts are not a substitute for Scripture (2 Pet. 1:3–4)

III. Holiness Is Not Optional

- A. Without holiness no one will see the Lord (Heb. 12:14)
- B. Because of the *price* paid for our *redemption* (1 Pet. 1:13–19)
- C. Paul's example and challenge (2 Cor. 6:17–7:1)

**The Purpose of God's Discipline
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Proclamation: Proverbs 19:23

I. The Purpose Of Discipline

- A. Two wrong reactions: (Heb. 12:5–6)
 - 1. Despise
 - 2. Be discouraged
- B. Chastening is **evidence** that we really are **God's children** (Heb. 12:7–8)
- C. Be in **subjection** – it is the way to life (Heb. 12:9)
- D. **Purpose**: to make us partakers of God's holiness (Heb. 12:10)
- E. **Fruit**: for those who are trained gymnastically (Heb. 12:11)
- F. **Straighten up**: no room for *self-pity* (Heb. 12:12–13)
- G. **Pursue peace** – holiness (Heb. 12:14, comp. Rom. 12:18)

II. Significance Of The Lord's Supper

- A. Accountable for the body and blood of the Lord (1 Cor. 11:27–31) – Partaking unworthily leads to chastening by the Lord in the form of weakness, sickness, untimely death
- B. Three possibilities:
 - 1. Judge ourselves and repent
 - 2. Be chastened by the Lord and repent
 - 3. Fail to repent and be condemned with the world

Treat Your Body As God's Temple

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Proclamation: Confession for Overcomers*

I. God's Temple?

- A. You [plural] are God's temple (1 Cor. 3:19)
- B. Your body [singular] is God's temple (1 Cor. 6:19)
- C. Moses heard a **voice**, he knew God was there as a **person** (Num. 7:8–9) – So it is when the Holy Spirit speaks in a new tongue from within our body

II. Our Response to God's Saving Grace

- A. Present your body (Rom. 12:1–2)
- B. Be renewed in your mind
 - 1. **NOT**: What can I get? – **BUT**: How can I glorify God?
 - 2. We are **stewards** – accountable to God for our use

III. The Temple Of God

- A. If it were a material temple, we would:
 - 1. Keep it clean, well maintained
 - 2. Every part functioning properly
 - 3. No dirty or broken windows, no clogged toilets
 - 4. Furniture properly arranged
- B. Eat and drink to the glory of God (1 Cor. 10:31)
- C. Flesh and Holy Spirit are in opposition (Gal. 5:17)

- D. Fruit includes self-control (Gal. 5:22–23; 2 Tim. 1:7)
- E. Paul’s Personal Testimony (1 Cor. 9:24–27)
- F. Eat no animal fat (Lev. 7:22–27)
- G. Causes of heart disease: smoking – heredity – obesity – diet – exercise – stress

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Appropriate Response: Worship 4423

Proclamation: John 4:23–24

I. Appropriate Response

- A. Seraphim (burning creatures) (Is. 6:1–3)
 - 1. Covered faces and feet = worship
Flew = service
 - 2. Four wings for *worship*
Two wings for *service*
 - 3. Worship: a posture of the body
- B. Proclamation of **holiness** leads to **worship** – a posture of the **body** (Rev. 4:8–10; 5:8, 11)
- C. God is seeking **worshippers** (John 4:23–24)
- D. In the **beauty of holiness** (1 Chron. 16:29; Ps. 29:2; 96:9)

II. A Posture Of The Body

- A. Bow head (Ex. 4:31)
- B. Lift up hands (Ps. 28:2; 63:4; 119:48; 134:2; 1 Tim. 2:8)
- C. Bow the body (Ps. 22:29; 72:9; Is. 45:23; 2 Chron. 26:26–29)
- D. Kneel
 - 1. Solomon (2 Chron. 6:13)
 - 2. Daniel (Dan. 6:10)
 - 3. Paul (Eph. 3:14)
- E. Fall prostrate
 - 1. Abraham (Gen. 17:3)
 - 2. All Israel (Lev. 9:24)
 - 3. Moses and Aaron (Num. 20:6)
 - 4. Joshua (Josh. 5:14)
 - 5. All Israel (1 Kings 18:39)
 - 6. Ezekiel (Ezek. 1:28; 43:3)

III. Access To God’s Presence

- A. Gates with **thanksgiving**; courts with **praise** (Ps. 100:4)
- B. Progression: Thanksgiving, Praise, Worship (bow down) – then **hear God’s voice** (Ps. 95:1–7)