

Sermon Notes February 11 2024

**A Life Pleasing to God**

1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

1 Peter 1:15-16 "Be \_\_\_\_\_ as I am holy"

When can a person be without sin?

Romans 5:12 *"For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many."*

We were created with the \_\_\_\_\_ to sin.

Once sin came to be, we are now \_\_\_\_\_ to sin.

A Christian has the ability \_\_\_\_\_ to sin.

When you finally get to heaven, you will be \_\_\_\_\_ to sin.

Vs. 1 *"as you received from us how you ought to walk and to \_\_\_\_\_, just as you are doing that you do so more and more."*

A Moral Riddle: Why do we expect more \_\_\_\_\_ out of human beings than can ever be realized in this life?

Vs. 3 Paul first focuses on their \_\_\_\_\_ (to become more like Christ)

by abstaining from \_\_\_\_\_ immorality.

Vs. 4 The Christ follower is to \_\_\_\_\_ his own body.

Vs. 5 The world becomes \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_.

Vs. 6 *" the Lord is an \_\_\_\_\_ in all these things, as we told you beforehand and solemnly warned you."*

1 Peter 2:9 *"But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own \_\_\_\_\_ people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light"*

Peculiar = \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

Vs. 7 We were chosen not to be \_\_\_\_\_ but to be transformed

and be holy by the indwelling of the \_\_\_\_\_.

Vs. 8 Do not \_\_\_\_\_ God.

Vs. 9-10 Love others \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

Vs. 11-12. *“aspire to live \_\_\_\_\_, and to mind your own affairs, and to work with your hands, as we instructed you, so that you may walk properly before outsiders and be dependent on no one.”*

Mind your own \_\_\_\_\_.

Treat others the way \_\_\_\_\_ to be treated.