

New Life in Christ Part V - 1 Peter 1:14-16

“To whom then will you liken God? Or what likeness will you compare with Him?” - Isaiah 40:18

“Holiness is the most sparkling jewel of His crown; it is the name by which God is known.” - Thomas Watson

- I. Understand what the Bible teaches about OUR HOLY GOD
 - A. Peter points his brethren to God an example and the standard of holiness
 - B. The Bible presents God as holy in all His attributes - Exodus 15:11; 1 Samuel 2:2; Psalm 99:9; Ezekiel 36:23; Psalm 60:6; Psalm 89:35; Ezekiel 28:22
 - C. The Bible presents all three members of the Trinity as holy - John 17:11; Luke 4:34; Titus 3:5
 - D. A Vision of God’s Holiness - Isaiah 6:1-7
 - E. There is Life in Christ - Rom. 8:10; 2 Cor. 5:21; 2 Tim. 1:10

- II. Understand the expectation that God has for us to be HIS HOLY PEOPLE
 - A. Holiness is to be understood as...
 1. Positional - completed by and imputed from Christ
 2. Practical - progression of holiness / sanctification
 - B. Understand Your Identity as God’s Holy People - Ephesians 4:17:24; 1 Corinthians 3:16-17; Romans 12:1-2; 2 Peter 3:11
 - C. Second - Utilize Your Provisions as God’s Holy People - 2 Peter 1:3; Psalm 19:11-13; Psalm 119:9-16; John 14:16-17; Galatians 5:16, 22-24; Romans 12:10; 1 Thessalonians 5:11; James 5:16; Galatians 6:2; Romans 14:19; 15:14