

On Being Holy

A Study of 1 Peter 1:14-16

1 Peter 1:14 As obedient children, do not be conformed to the former lusts *which were yours* in your ignorance, **15** but like the Holy One who called you, be holy yourselves also in all *your* behavior; **16** because it is written, "YOU SHALL BE HOLY, FOR I AM HOLY."

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Big Idea:

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For Reflection & Discussion

1. What have you been pouring yourself into recently?
2. According to 1 Peter 1:14-16, what is the path to holiness? Does this differ from what you thought previously? How so?
3. In pursuing holiness, what is your part and what is God's part?
4. What is the danger of viewing holiness as nothing more than sin control?
5. How do you know if you're becoming holier?
6. If you were to pour yourself completely into a relationship with another person, what specific things might that involve? How does this correspond with pouring yourself into a relationship with Jesus?
7. How might Christmas be different this year based on what you've learned from 1 Peter 1:14-16?
8. Here are some related Scriptures for further reading and reflection:
John 15:5; Romans 12:2; 2 Corinthians 3:18; Ephesians 2:1-3; 4:22-24;
Colossians 3:9-10; 1 Peter 4:1-2.

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