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# Why Should I Be 'Holy'?

*1 Peter 1:14-1:16 "as obedient children, not conforming yourselves to the former lusts, as in your ignorance; <sup>15</sup>but as He who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct."*

*2 Corinthians 5:17 "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new."*

Two words often used but misunderstood:

(a) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) \_\_\_\_\_

*(John 17:17, 1 Peter 1:15, Hebrews 8:2, Romans 6:6-7)*

As God's Children We Live Holy Lives Because \_\_\_\_\_

1. **HOLINESS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

Holiness is the result of God's work of sanctification. *(1 Peter 1:2)*

2. **HOLINESS IS A** \_\_\_\_\_ **IN CHRIST**

God has *made* you holy. *(1 Corinthians 1:30, 6:11)*

3. **HOLINESS IS A** \_\_\_\_\_

Holiness is a continual process of growth and maturity in our daily lives.

*(Ephesians 2:4-6, 2 Peter 3:18)*

4. **HOLINESS IS A MATTER OF** \_\_\_\_\_

*(1 Peter 1:14, Philippians 2:12-13, Romans 6:1-2)*

We cooperate with God – we obey Him as He works in us.