



# **Theme: Holy Living**

**Text: 1 Peter 2: 1-12**

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# What is Holiness?

Holiness, is derived from the Greek word **"hagios,"** which means **being set apart, sanctified, and dedicated to serving and fulfilling God's will.**



**Living:**

**implies our way of life or  
activities embarked on daily.**



# Why Should We Be Holy?

1. Because God is holy. (1 Peter 1:15-16, Genesis 1:26-29)
2. It is the only way to have a quality relationship with God. (Isaiah 6:1-5, Revelation 4:6)
3. God has commanded us to be holy. (Ephesians 1:4, Leviticus 20:7)



# What Makes Us Unholy? (1 Peter 2:1-2 NLT)

## - Evil behavior

1. Deceit
2. Hypocrisy
3. Jealousy
4. Unkind speech



# Benefits of Holy Living

1. The presence of God.
2. The grace of God
3. The love of God
4. The favour of God.
5. Eternity with God



# How to Live a Holy Life

1. Repentance (**Acts 3:19 NIV**)
2. Renewal of mind (**Romans 12:2 NIV**)
3. Fellowship with other believers



# How to Live a Holy Life

4. Love for the work of God
5. Identifying and choosing good and mature Christians as mentors
6. Prayer, Scripture reading, and meditation.