

# CALVARY GOSPEL CHURCH CHRISTIAN DEVELOPMENT 301 HOLINESS AND CHRISTIAN LIVING



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### LESSON #

**1. Introduction.** This first lesson covers Calvary Gospel Church's 4 step plan for Christian growth, underscoring the need in each Christians life to allow God's character through the fruit of the Spirit to develop in us.

**2. The Attitudes of Holiness.** This lesson is about developing the proper attitudes toward God and our fellow man. A correct attitude relative to God and holiness will establish in our hearts a foundation for further growth.

**3. The Principals of Holiness.** This lesson will establish a broad base of scriptural principals to help us understand why God places such emphasis upon both inward and outward holiness in our lives. Our God is a God of principal.

**4. The Temple of God.** In this lesson we begin to concentrate on the more outward facets of holiness. Our bodies are the temple of the Holy Spirit and this lesson will establish that God is concerned about the outward man as well as what goes on inside of our hearts.

**5. The Tongue.** The scriptures tell us that what is in the heart of man will show up in the mouth. We will deal with some of the difficulties we as humans have in controlling our tongues as well as how to remedy the associated problems.

**6. The Eye.** One of the major paths to the mind is through the eye. Satan knows that we are very much influenced by what we see. This lesson points out how very exposed we are when we are not aware of his many devices that are being used to try to destroy our walk with God. This lesson also offers scriptural solutions to help us overcome.

**7. Holiness in Adornment.** This is probably the most misunderstood position on holiness the Church has taken a stand on. This lesson will help us understand why God has led us to de-emphasize our outward appearance, quite unlike the world, and instead to place emphasis on the things that God values.

**8. Holy Amusements.** There are many distractions in the world today and this lesson will help us gain a proper balance in a world that is totally lopsided. God's desire is that the Church has a right perspective on all of our activities and that we learn to be temperate.

Recommended Reading: In Search of Holiness, David Bernard; and any other apostolic author.