

# Holy, Holy, Holy

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**1 Samuel 2:2 “There is no one holy like Yahweh; Indeed, there is no one besides You, Nor is there any rock like our God.”**



## The Perfection & Beauty of God’s Holiness

- 1 Peter 1:16
- 1 John 1:5
- Habakkuk 1:12-13
  
- God is called the Holy One – He is the sum of all moral excellence. He is absolute purity, unsullied even by the shadow of sin, the absence of any ability to sin and any hint of desire to sin = Beauty = Perfection
  
- Revelation 4:8
- Psalm 29:2
- Psalm 96:9



Where is the perfection/beauty of holiness AND the ugliness of sin seen? The Cross

- Psalm 5:5
- Nahum 1:2
- Romans 5:8
- Isaiah 6:1-5
- Psalm 145:17

## What is our Relationship to His Holiness?

Sin says:

- It's not really a sin. It's ok, it's really not that bad.
- What is sin in someone else, is not sin in you.
- It is one sin only, and this time only.
- It is only a little one. Romans 6:23
- It's in secret, no one will see it. Proverbs 4:23
- I promise you will gain by this sin.
- Others are doing it, why can't I?
- Romans 6:19

## How can we pursue holiness in our lives today?

- Remember one of the reasons that we have been saved. Ephesians 1:3-4
- Are we a check-list follower or an examine-your-heart follower?
- What are we striving for?
- Are we sitting on the fence or all in?
- What is our heart attitude toward God? He's my buddy, warm fuzzy daddy OR He IS Inexpressible Holiness and Perfection, the Creator of the universe?
- Psalm 30:4
- Exodus 15:11

Psalm 119:131-133 What ARE you "out of breath" striving for?

Where does our strength come from?

- 2 Corinthians 12:10
- Psalm 145:17-19
- Psalm 10:17

Keep pedaling! To stop is to drop! 

There is great joy in striving to be holy. It is a joyful process!

- Romans 14:17
- 2 Corinthians 3:18