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We are called to be different!

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There's a reward that's connected to  
being different.

Being different is the call of all believers.

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## Leviticus 19:2<sub>NLT</sub>

Give the following instructions to the entire community of Israel. You must be holy because I, the LORD your God, am holy.

## Romans 12:2<sub>NLT</sub>

Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.

# 1 Peter 2:9<sup>ESV</sup>

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

## 1 Peter 2:11-12<sub>NLT</sub>

Dear friends, I warn you as “temporary residents and foreigners” to keep away from worldly desires that wage war against your very souls. <sup>12</sup> Be careful to live properly among your unbelieving neighbors. Then even if they accuse you of doing wrong, they will see your honorable behavior, and they will give honor to God when he judges the world.

## Deuteronomy 4:5-8<sub>NLT</sub>

Look, I now teach you these decrees and regulations just as the LORD my God commanded me, so that you may obey them in the land you are about to enter and occupy. <sup>6</sup> Obey them completely, and you will display your wisdom and intelligence among the surrounding nations. When they hear all these decrees, they will exclaim, 'How wise and prudent are the people of this great nation!' <sup>7</sup> For what great nation has a god as near to them as the LORD our God is near to us whenever we call on him? <sup>8</sup> And what great nation has decrees and regulations as righteous and fair as this body of instructions that I am giving you today?

Joshua 3:5<sup>ESV</sup>

Then Joshua said to the people, “Consecrate yourselves, for tomorrow the LORD will do wonders among you.”

Consecration is the act of setting apart something or someone as holy...

Dedicated exclusively to God's purposes.

Consecration is an  
intentional lifestyle.

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Praise precedes increase.

Trusting God means I have to take my hands off it and allow Him to work.

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A consecrated life is both a personal and communal agreement to reorder time, desire, and attention towards God.

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