Created To Bring God Pleasure Revelation 4:11

Revelation 4:8: The <u>four living creatures</u>, each having six wings, were <u>full of eyes around</u> and <u>within</u>. And they do not rest <u>day</u> or <u>night</u>, saying: "<u>Holy</u>, <u>Holy</u>, <u>Holy</u>, Lord God <u>Almighty</u>, <u>Who was and is and is to come</u>!"

Revelation 4:9: Whenever the <u>living creatures</u> give glory and <u>honor</u> and <u>thanks</u> to Him who <u>sits on the throne</u>, who <u>lives forever and ever</u>,

Revelation 4:10: The <u>twenty-four elders fall down</u> before <u>Him who sits on the throne</u> and <u>worship</u> Him who lives forever and ever, and <u>cast their crowns before the throne</u>, saying:

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One of the central <u>purposes</u> for why <u>you</u> exist is to bring God <u>pleasure!</u>

Jesus is our example!

Matthew 3:17: This is My <u>beloved Son</u>, in whom I am <u>well</u> <u>pleased</u>.

Matthew 17:5: This is My <u>beloved Son</u>, in whom I am <u>well</u> <u>pleased</u>. <u>Hear Him!</u>

In Christ

Romans 8:8: So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

- Justification (one time)
- Sanctification (The work of a lifetime!)

Have you been <u>justified</u>?

John 8:29: I always do those things that please Him.

2 Corinthians 5:9-10: Therefore we make it our <u>aim</u>, whether <u>present</u> or <u>absent</u>, to be <u>well pleasing</u> to Him. For we must all appear before the <u>judgment</u> (Bema) <u>seat</u> <u>of Christ</u>, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.

Colossians 1:10: That you may <u>walk</u> <u>worthy</u> of the Lord, <u>fully pleasing Him</u>, fruitful in every good work.

1 Thessalonians 2:4: ...we speak, <u>not as pleasing men</u>, but <u>God</u> who <u>tests our hearts</u>.

1 Thessalonians 4:1: Finally then, <u>brethren</u>, we <u>urge</u> and <u>exhort</u> in the Lord Jesus that you should <u>abound more</u> and <u>more</u>, just as you received from us <u>how you ought to walk</u> and <u>to please God.</u>

Philippians 2:12-13: Work out (sanctification) your own salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.

- Behavior
- Addictions
- People
- Family members

- Marriage
- Honesty or integrity
- Uprightness
- Something said, spoken, complained about...

Revelation 3:19: As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten. Therefore be zealous and <u>repent</u>.

- 1 John 1:7: But <u>if we walk in the light</u> as He is <u>in the light</u>, we have fellowship with <u>one another</u>, and the <u>blood</u> of Jesus Christ His Son <u>cleanses</u> us from <u>all sin</u>.
- **1 John 1:9:** If we <u>confess</u> our sins, He is faithful and just to <u>forgive us</u> <u>our</u> sins and to <u>cleanse us</u> from all unrighteousness. (Proverbs 28:13)
- James 5:16: <u>Confess your trespasses to one another</u>, and <u>pray for one another</u>, that you may be <u>healed</u>. The heartfelt continued prayer of a righteous man makes tremendous power available.
- 1 Corinthians 11:31: If we would <u>judge ourselves</u>, we would not be judged. (Chastened by God)

Matthew 5:23-24: Therefore if you bring your gift to the altar, and there remember that <u>your brother has</u> <u>something against you</u>, leave your gift there before the altar, and go your way. <u>First be reconciled to your brother</u>, and then come and offer your gift.

Hebrews 11:5: By faith Enoch was <u>taken</u> away so that he <u>did not see death</u>, and was not found, because God had <u>taken</u> him; for before he was <u>taken</u> he had this <u>testimony</u>, that <u>he pleased God</u>. (Gen 5:24)

Hebrews 13:15-16: Therefore by Him let us <u>continually</u> offer the <u>sacrifice</u> of (1) <u>praise to God</u>, that is, the <u>fruit</u> of our lips, giving thanks to His name. But <u>do not forget</u> (2) <u>to do good</u> and (3) <u>to share</u>, for with such <u>sacrifices</u> God is <u>well pleased</u>.

Hebrews 13:20-21: Now may the <u>God of peace</u> who brought up our Lord Jesus from the dead, that <u>great Shepherd</u> of the <u>sheep</u>, through the <u>blood</u> of the <u>everlasting covenant</u>, make you <u>complete</u> in <u>every good work</u> to <u>do His will</u>, <u>working in you</u> what is <u>well pleasing in His sight</u>, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.