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Ephesians 2:10

For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Three Stages Of Sanctification

- 1. At conversion
- 2. Throughout our lives
- 3. At the consummation of all things

3 Typical Reactions To Spiritual Purification

- 1. Embrace it
- 2. Ignore it
- 3. Avoid it

Paul's Reminder In Romans 7

- 1. I don't do what I ought to do
- 2. I do what I don't want to do

Titus 3:1-8

Remind the people to be subject to rulers and authorities, to be obedient, to be ready to do whatever is good, to slander no one, to be peaceable and considerate, and always to be gentle toward everyone. At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another. But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit,

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whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life. This is a trustworthy saying. And I want you to stress these things, so that those who have trusted in God may be careful to devote themselves to doing what is good. These things are excellent and profitable for everyone.

Titus 3:3

At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another.

List Of What We Are Saved From

- 1. Being foolish
- 2. Being disobedient
- 3. Being deceived
- 4. Being enslaved by lust
- 5. Living in malice and envy
- 6. Being hated and hating others

Titus 3:4-5

But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit

Matthew 24:1-6

Jesus left the temple and was walking away when his disciples came up to him to call his attention to its buildings. "Do you see all these things?" he asked. "Truly I tell you, not one stone here will be left on another; every one will be thrown down." As Jesus was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to him privately. "Tell us," they said, "when will this happen, and what will be the sign of your coming and of the end of the age?" Jesus answered: "Watch out that no one deceives you. For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am the Messiah,' and will deceive many. 6 You will hear of wars and rumors of wars, but see to it that you are not alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come.

2 Thessalonians 2:13

But we ought always to thank God for you, brothers and sisters loved by the Lord, because God chose you as first fruits to be saved through the sanctifying work of the Spirit and through belief in the truth.

1 Peter 1:1-2

To God's elect, exiles scattered throughout the provinces of Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia and Bithynia, who have been chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through the sanctifying work of the Spirit, to be obedient to Jesus Christ and sprinkled with his blood: Grace and peace be yours in abundance.

10 Things The Holy Spirit Does For Us As Individuals

1. He convicts us of sin

1. John 16:8-When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment:

2. He dwells in us

2. John 14:16-17- And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever 17 the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

3. He seals us

3. Ephesians 1:13-And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit,

4. He teaches us

4. John 14:26- But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you.

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5. He guides us in truth

5. John 16:13-But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.

6. He bears fruit through us

6. Galatians 5:22-23-But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

7. He Comforts us

7. John 16:7- But very truly I tell you, it is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you.

8. He equips us with spiritual gifts

8. 1 Corinthians 12:4-7-There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. 5 There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. 6 There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work.7 Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good.

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9. He fills us

9. Ephesians 5:18-Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit,

10.He empowers us

10.Acts 1:8-But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

LEGALISTIC REMORSE SAYS,

"I BROKE GOD'S RULES,"

WHILE REAL REPENTANCE SAYS,

"I BROKE GOD'S HEART."

Tim Keller

LIVE IN SUCH A WAY THAT THOSE WHO KNOW YOU, BUT DON'T KNOW GOD, **WILL COME TO KNOW GOD** BECAUSE THEY KNOW YOU.

