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## Scriptural References and Comment Notes

# 10-071-52

## LIVING TO PLEASE GOD (RSV)

:00-4:15 General comments on the usual structure of Paul's writings. First – doctrinal, and then practical application. Belief and behavior joined. Examples Romans, Ephesians, and now in 1 Thessalonians at chapter 4.

4:15 1 Thessalonians 4:1-3 Teaching. Moving in the will of God.

7:50 1 Thessalonians 1:3a For this is the will of God, your sanctification: Teaching on the meaning of “sanctification” – to become holy. God’s most emphasized attribute is his holiness.

9:45 Isaiah 6:1-5 Holy, holy, holy is the Lord. Reference Matthew 5:48 Jesus said - You, therefore, must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

11:25 1 Corinthians 1:2 To the church of God which is at Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints..... Teaching on the distinction between intrinsic righteousness and imputed righteousness.

13:15 1 Thessalonians 4:3b-8 that you abstain from unchastity; (sexual immorality). Teaching.

14:00 1 Thessalonians 4:4 “Honor” Teaching.  
“Holiness” Teaching on relationship with spouse.

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21:10 1 Thessalonians 4:5 Teaching on Christian sexual activity.

24:45 1 Thessalonians 4:6 Teaching. Reference 1 Corinthians 6:9-11 A partial list of those behaviors, that if not cleansed and repented of, will prevent entry into the kingdom of God. Reference 1 Corinthians 6:13-19 The body is the temple of the Holy Spirit and as such it is to be used in a way that glorifies the will and the purpose of God.

28:00 1 Thessalonians 4:7-8 For God has not called us for uncleanness, but in holiness. 8 Therefore whoever disregards this, disregards not man but God, who gives his Holy Spirit to you. Teaching on the works of the flesh, which includes sins not of a sexual nature alone. Galatians 5:19-21 Teaching on yielding to the flesh. Teaching on sanctification and holiness. Peace and joy are found in the purpose of God.

36:30 1 Thessalonians 4:9-12 Teaching. How to live quietly. How to mind your own affairs and what that means. What it means to work with your hands.

1Th. 4:1 Finally, brethren, we beseech and exhort you in the Lord Jesus, that as you learned from us how you ought to live and to please God, just as you are doing, you do so more and more. 2 For you know what instructions we gave you through the Lord Jesus. 3 For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you abstain from unchastity;

Is. 6:1 In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and his train filled the temple. 2 Above him stood the seraphim; each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. 3 And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory." 4 And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. 5 And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

Matt. 5:48 You, therefore, must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

1Cor. 1:2 To the church of God which is at Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours:

1Th. 4:3 For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you abstain from unchastity; 4 that each one of you know how to take a wife for himself in holiness and honor, 5 not in the passion of lust like heathen who do not know God; 6 that no man transgress, and wrong his brother in this matter, because the Lord is an avenger in all these things, as we solemnly forewarned you. 7 For God has not called us for uncleanness, but in holiness. 8 Therefore whoever disregards this, disregards not man but God, who gives his Holy Spirit to you.

1Cor. 6:9 Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived; neither the immoral, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor sexual perverts, 10 nor thieves, nor the greedy, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor robbers will inherit the kingdom of God. 11 And such were some of you. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and in the Spirit of our God.

1Cor. 6:12 “All things are lawful for me,” but not all things are helpful. “All things are lawful for me,” but I will not be enslaved by anything. 13 “Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food” — and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is not meant for immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. 14 And God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by his power. 15 Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! 16 Do you not know that he who joins himself to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, “The two shall become one flesh.” 17 But he who is united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. 18 Shun immorality. Every other sin which a man commits is outside the body; but the immoral man sins against his own body. 19 Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God? You are not your own;

1Th. 4:7 For God has not called us for uncleanness, but in holiness. 8 Therefore whoever disregards this, disregards not man but God, who gives his Holy Spirit to you.

Gal. 5:19 Now the works of the flesh are plain: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, 20 idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, anger, selfishness, dissension, party spirit, 21 envy, drunkenness, carousing, and the like. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God.

1Th. 4:9 But concerning love of the brethren you have no need to have any one write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another; 10 and indeed you do love all the brethren throughout Macedonia. But we exhort you, brethren, to do so more and more, 11 to aspire to live quietly, to mind your own affairs, and to work with your hands, as we charged you; 12 so that you may command the respect of outsiders, and be dependent on nobody.