



How your _____ in Christ is worked out:

1. God is who He says He is
2. You are who God says you are
3. God has a purpose and plan for you
4. God will equip and strengthen you to carry out what He's called and created you to do

1. _____, **You Are a Saint who has Been Sanctified**

- "Church" means _____ out people
- "Sanctified" means to be set apart for a _____ and is in the past tense meaning it has happened positionally – 1 Corinthians 6:11, Hebrews 10:10
- "Saint" is the _____ form of "sanctified"
- The Bible teaches if you're saved, you're a _____

4 differences between Catholic and biblical sainthood:

- Catholics say you have to perform a _____ – the Bible teaches we are saints through the miracle of regeneration
- Catholics believe in a _____ of saints – the Bible teaches there is no hierarchy, everyone who is saved is a saint
- Catholics believe you have to _____ your way to sainthood – the Bible teaches that you become a saint by trusting the One who has done it all for you
- Catholics believe you have to be _____ to be a saint – the Bible teaches that your status as saint is bestowed not when you die but when you are born again – Romans 1:7, Ephesians 1:1, Philippians 1:1

2. _____, You Are a Sinner Being Sanctified

- Sanctification is a past reality and a present _____ – Hebrews 10:14, 2 Timothy 1:9
- We are saints in position but must work out our sanctification in _____ Philippians 2:12-13, 1 Peter 1:15-16
- The Corinthian church was not progressing in sanctification and _____ instead 1 Corinthians 1:8,10

Pursuits of sanctification that fall short:

- _____ – the Pharisees
- _____ – the Sadducees
- _____ – the Zealots
- _____ – the Essenes

Pathway to sanctification:

1. _____ your sinful state – 1 Timothy 1:15
2. _____ for your sanctification process – Psalm 139:23-24
3. _____ close to God – James 4:8
4. _____ in the word of God – John 17:17, 2 Timothy 2:21
5. _____ what is right – James 1:27, Romans 6:19
6. _____ in the Spirit – 1 Peter 1:1-2, Galatians 5:16
7. _____ on your future hope – 1 Thessalonians 5:23

Remember: we become sinners by being born, we become saints by being born again.

You are a sinner by birth, you are a saint by rebirth.

Now walk in a manner worthy of the sainthood you've received through Christ.