Cultivating A Heart Like Jesus

“A Pure Heart”

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Proverbs 4:23

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Introduction:
A. Everybody knows that you _______ what you _______.
   1. Let’s imagine that our _______ are like ______________.
   2. Let’s imagine that our ___________ are like ___________.
   3. Shouldn’t we be ___________ about the _______ we allow into the
greenhouses of our hearts?

B. Consider it from a different angle - suppose you agree to _________
   _______ for someone.
   1. Shouldn’t you be careful about who you _______ into the ______?

I. Jesus Had a Pure Heart.
   A. He carefully __________ the gateway of His ________.

   B. Many thoughts were denied ___________ into His ________.

II. How to Have A Pure Heart.
   A. __________ for One. (Ps. 51:10)

   B. __________ and __________. (Mt. 12:43-45; 5:29-30; Phil. 4:8; 2
Cor. 10:3-5; Eph. 6:17)

Conclusion:
A. Our hearts are like a __________ and our thoughts are like ________.

B. We must __________ the ____________ of our hearts.

C. The more ___________ we are about the ________, the more delighted
we will be with the ________.