

Life in the Son

Love not the World- Girls Session

I Jn. 2:15-17 Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world:

The lust of the flesh

The lust of the eyes

The pride of life

Is not of the Father but is of the world. And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever

I. **God has a plan**

A. Be holy because I am holy

I Pet. 1:13-16

Matt. 5:8

1. Man is fearfully and wonderfully made

Ps. 139:13-16

Deut. 6:5

2. God made man upright

Ecc. 7:29

B. God's word guides man to holiness

Rom. 1:16-17

Eph 3:16-20

Is. 55:8-11

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C. The unholy are without excuse

Rom. 1:20-22

D. God wants man to see the unseen

2 Cor. 4:18

2 Cor. 5:1-7

II. God tests man

A. He searches the heart and tests the mind

1 Pet. 1:6-9

Ps. 11:4-7

B. Man must bring every thought captive

1 Cor. 3:16-17

Heb. 4:12-13

C. Examples of God's tests:

1. Israel- Deut 8:2

2. Moses - Heb. 11:24-27

3. Jesus- compare 1 Jn. 2:15-17 to Mt. 4:1-10

a. Lust of the flesh: He was starving v. 3

b. Pride of life: throw yourself off; He will catch you v. 6

c. Lust of the eyes: You can have it all v. 9

*One sin may involve other sins.

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III. Man must choose

- A. God pleads with man to be holy

Eph. 4:25-32

Eph. 5:1-7

Col. 3:5-8

Rev. 21:8

- B. Satan pleads with man to be profane

Profane-_____

1. Esau tried to change the permanent agreement he made with Jacob

Heb. 12:15-17

2. The rich man tried to change his profane life

Lk. 16:19-31

3. Satan has many servants

1 Pet. 5:8

Eph 6:12

IV. The unseen will be seen

- A. Set your minds on things above Col 3:1-4

- B. The bride is arrayed in fine linen clean and bright, for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints Rev. 19:7-8

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1 Pet. 4:1-2 Therefore, since Christ suffered for us in the flesh, arm yourselves also with the same mind, for he who has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin, that he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh for the lusts of men, but for the will of God.

Don't get the bride's dress dirty!

Revelation 19:7-8