Purity  Lesson 91

06/11/12 Monday Meeting:
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Introduction

Let's begin this lesson by discovering the definition of purity:

**Purity** – the quality or state of being pure: free from anything of a different, inferior, or contaminating kind; free from extraneous matter; unmodified by an admixture; simple or homogeneous; unmixed; free from foreign or inappropriate elements; clear; free from blemishes; spotless.

**Synonyms:** unmixed, unadulterated, unalloyed, uncontaminated, untainted, unstained, undefiled, untarnished, immaculate, unpolluted, uncorrupted. Clean, modest, virtuous, undefiled.

I think purity from the human perspective means the original state or quality of a human being before the introduction of anything unclean, it effectively would be the quality or state we were in before Adam and Eve introduced sin in the world. And then it seems like after that, well, everything went downhill.

Many of our experiences affect our state of purity do they not? We have had to endure bullying in the schoolyard, physical and verbal assaults over a lifetime, why we even are bombarded with inappropriate language spewed forth over the airwaves not to mention sights as well. As we pass through this thing we call life we pick up much that is polluted, defiled, just quite simply tarnished. Even some of the things taught in churches have become tainted.

Our churches have become polluted by the admixing of foreign beliefs into what our Lord and Savior has taught us. We have in fact dropped much of what He established. But the Lord is teaching us to be different from the cultural norm! He is teaching us to return to His ways. He has taught us about the three spots, the three blemishes on today’s church, He has taught us about His calendar and much more. And He continues to teach us. (See http://www.takehisheart.com/churchwithoutspotorwrinkle.htm for more information on the three spots.)
This week He said, I AM revealing things unknown to My Beloved - purity and holiness. Yes, this week the Lord is teaching us about purity and holiness.

No Concept of Purity

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We humans are layered individuals. These layers that make us up, that make us who we are, cover everything from our life experiences, to our thoughts, actions, motives and more. Some may refer to it as a compilation but no matter how you refer to it or think of it, the Lord says that we are to be pure.

Now I think on our own this could prove to be quite difficult, I mean who could forget those hurtful things of the past that have come to affect our present but with the Lord’s help we can. With the Lord’s help we can forgive and move on. Currently, the Lord wants to give you a new concept of purity. He is asking that we broaden our ideas of purity by thinking of purity in all things (actions, thoughts, motives and deeds).

Purity in All

I believe, however, that we must understand the problem before we can understand the solution. Our Lord Jesus will help us understand the problem through these verses:

Matthew 9:1-8 So He got into a boat, crossed over, and came to His own city. Then behold, they brought to Him, a paralytic lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith. He said to the paralytic, “Son, be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you.” And at once some of the scribes said within themselves, “This Man blasphemes!” But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, “Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, ‘Your sins are forgiven you’, or to say, ‘Arise and walk’? But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins”—then He said to the paralytic, “Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house.” And he arose and departed to his house. Now when the multitudes saw it, they marveled and glorified God, who had given such power to men.

The Lord knows our thoughts. He knows what motivates us. You see He can read our hearts.

Hebrews 4:12-13 See, the Word of God is alive! It is at work and is sharper than any double-edged sword—it cuts right through to where soul meets spirit and joints meet marrow, and it is quick to judge the inner reflections and attitudes of the heart. Before God, nothing created is hidden, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of him to who we must render an account. CJB

Is there purity in your deeds and actions? Are your thoughts and motives acceptable? Do you have purity in all? Is there evil in your heart?
Matthew 15:10-20 When He had called the multitude to Himself, He said to them, "Hear and understand: Not what goes into the mouth defiles a man; but what comes out of the mouth, this defiles a man."

Then His disciples came and said to Him, "Do You know that the Pharisees were offended when they heard this saying?" But He answered and said, "Every plant which My heavenly Father has not planted will be uprooted. Let them alone. They are blind leaders of the blind. And if the blind leads the blind, both will fall into a ditch."

Then Peter answered and said to Him, "Explain this parable to us." So Jesus said, "Are you also still without understanding? Do you not yet understand that whatever enters the mouth goes into the stomach and is eliminated? But those things which proceed out of the mouth come from the heart, and they defile a man. For out of the heart proceed evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies. These are the things which defile a man, but to eat with unwashed hands does not defile a man."

In the verses above the Lord speaks of our hearts. He understands that this is the true area to be cleaned and purified. He understands that it is from the heart that evil proceeds. This week He said, Most have no concept of purity: purity of thought, purity of deed, purity of action, purity of motive, purity in all. Words spoken contain these - think on this.

What are the “these” He was speaking of? I believe He is saying that our words reveal our thoughts, our motives, our heart. It is much like what Jesus stated, those things which proceed out of the mouth come from the heart, and they defile a man. You see our thoughts, deeds, actions, motives these all originate in our hearts. Subsequently, the words we choose to speak reveal what is in our hearts, what is motivating us. Are your words pure and holy or are they evil, tainted, and impure? Words spoken contain these - think on this. I hear your thoughts - think on this. I see the truth of motive - think on this.

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Nothing is hidden from the Lord. He knows our heart. If we can get our heart right, then we will be on the road to becoming the person the Lord would have us to be. But these are not the only words we received that relate to purity and the heart. The Lord also said:

06/01/12
DP - Cleanse your heart be clean from sin, focus your mind on Me, learn to walk after My ways. Noah's Ark, as it was in the days of Noah, the day's are the same. World of wickedness, be detached from the world flee from it. Use My Word to cover you be immersed in My Word.

06/04/12
SN - Do what I say, Tell the truth in all matters, Cleanse your heart, I will do the same for you.

You can see that getting our hearts right should be a top priority for us. It will help us forgive. It will help us be filled with the fruits of the spirit as opposed to the filth of the enemy. This is a refinement of our person, of us as an individual human being who interacts with others. The Lord wants us pure, clean and holy for these interactions.

My Beloved

Up to now we have spoken of purifying ourselves individually but the Lord also wants the Corporate Bride to be clean, pure and holy. The Lord wants to manifest himself fully in His
Corporate Bride. Power with purpose will be given to the Bride so that she can accomplish that which needs to be done but she must be clean, pure and holy. Yes, when she enters into Him she must be clean, pure and holy just as the High Priest had to be clean, pure and holy when he entered into Him in the Tent of Meeting.

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The Lord just spoke of a power unknown to the world. It is a power that is reserved for His Bride but as stated she must be pure, clean and holy. Individually and corporately. She is to be set apart for her Lord Jesus.

The Lord further clarifies the cleanliness of the Bride on the Take His Heart website at: http://www.takehisheart.com/pdf/holyofholiespurpose.pdf

The Lord has been dealing with us about holiness, perfection, and being clean as a corporate group just like the High Priest had to be clean/purified when he entered the Holy of Holies. Individually is one thing, but corporately is quite another, adding one more dimension to what has to occur. This is the main reason the Lord told us what He is asking us to do as a corporate body is hard! Let me give you part of a picture from what the Lord has been revealing to me concerning being clean, purity of action, and purpose in Him in a Holy of Holies atmosphere:

The High Priest had to be clean to go into the Holy of Holies because they were entering into Jesus. The Lord told me they actually came into Him! Those Priests had a specific job to do in the Holy of Holies and that job was for the Lord and for the nation of Israel. That job had to do with legalities; it was the legal way to accomplish on earth the particular purposes of God at that time. Redemption, forgiveness of sin, and atonement for mankind is only in Jesus. That is why atonement had to occur, according to instruction, actually in Jesus in the Holy of Holies! The Holy of Holies was a pure place where Jesus could dwell.

Just as the High Priest had a specific job to do in the Holy of Holies in Jesus, for Him and man, the Wife of Christ has a specific job to do in Jesus, for Him and man. Only the Lord knows what all the job entails but it's there waiting to be done. It has to do with end times!

The Lord has been showing us that He wants to manifest Himself fully in His corporate married Bride as She meets in Him. It is not the Holy Spirit but the Lord Himself. This is partly why He has been showing us the Holy of Holies so we could understand how clean we have to be as individuals and as a corporate body for us to be in Him and for Him to be in us. This cleanliness is according to the Lord's idea of cleanliness, not man's idea. The Lord is bringing forth (all over the world) this idea of "being clean" in His body of believers in this particular window of time.

Yes, we need to be pure and holy. We need to become personally refined but corporately refined as well. We must be of one accord, be of like mind with the Lord. This is what He has been and continues to have us work on. You probably remember these words from:

06/02/12
CT - Be of one accord; be of like mind. Cleanse yourself. Do what is right. What has light to do with darkness. My Bride will be pure and holy just as I AM. She will be pure and holy because we are one, because we are united in marriage. The two become one, this is how
she is pure and holy. Cleanse yourself. Get rid of rebellion (You can’t have it your way) and be apart of the Bride.

Self is rebellion. Cleanse yourself. Do what is right! Follow His ways. Get rid of all that is tainted. Get rid of foreign ideas that have been mixed in with His ways. Get rid of the traditions of men. Get rid of the three spots. Clean yourself up personally and then corporately as well.

**Do Not be Discouraged Be Encouraged**

Of course part of cleaning yourself up is discovering that you are doing something wrong. But this should not discourage us. After all when we learn something new whether it is at work or at home we more than likely have to try several times before we get it right. For example, who can forget the first time you tried riding a bicycle. There were quite a few scrapes and scratches acquired before mastering it I bet. Learning balance took time. It was not automatic. My dad ran right beside me. He was there for me but I still managed to get those scrapes and scratches.

I think the process we go through for our purification is much like this. It more than likely will not happen immediately. We are probably going to fall down, and get some scrapes and scratches but the Lord is right there beside us. He is encouraging us forward. We just have to pick ourselves up and try it again in much the same way we tried a second, third and even fourth time when learning to ride our bikes.

The Lord guides and encourages us through the words He gives. He is right beside us but we are the ones who have to make the move. We are the ones who have to act, to change, to grow. We are the ones who have to proceed as we have been taught.

This week the Lord said, *I AM revealing areas that need purification. Walk in all purity. Do not be discouraged be encouraged. One must first see their true condition to see their true need. We cannot learn from our mistakes if no one ever tells us we are making a mistake. We must see our true condition to correct it. Remember, the Lord is not being critical, He is being honest. Just as He said, I Love in pure truth. The truth, My truth, will set captives free. Yes, we will be set free if we follow His example, His procedures, His commandments and in the process we will learn how to become refined.*

In school you were taught mathematics. You were taught that 1+1=2. The teacher would demonstrate the relationship between quantities expressed through figures. And the teacher would demonstrate the correct procedures for arriving at the solution. If you came up with the wrong solution the teacher would demonstrate the correct procedure once again. You were in school, you were learning.

What we must realize today is that we are still in school. We are still learning but now instead of learning about math; now we are learning about the Lord. We are learning about Brideship. We are learning about refinement and purity. We are learning about becoming holy just as He is holy. And we are learning to not becoming discouraged by correction but instead to persevere.

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JC - **Glorify Me in all you do, over and over. Never grow tired of bringing Me the glory. Prepare as though time is running out. Stay focused. Return to the preparation if the**
path is lost or winding. Perseverance results in purer refinement. One cannot be refined enough. And in all...glorify Me. (glorify=praise, rejoice)

Yes, we must follow the examples given by the Lord being obedient students, continuing to learn, continuing to grow, continuing on down the path of refinement, purity and holiness. This is what pleases Him.

**1 Peter 1:13-2:5**  Therefore gird up the loins of your mind, be sober, and rest your hope fully upon the grace that is to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ; as obedient children, not conforming yourselves to the former lusts, as in your ignorance; but as He who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, because it is written, "Be holy, for I am holy."

And if you call on the Father, who without partiality judges according to each one's work, conduct yourselves throughout the time of your stay here in fear; knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, like silver or gold, from your aimless conduct received by tradition from your fathers, but with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot. He indeed was foreordained before the foundation of the world, but was manifest in these last times for you who through Him believe in God, who raised Him from the dead and gave Him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

**Since you have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit in sincere love of the brethren, love one another fervently with a pure heart, having been born again, not of corruptible seed but incorruptible, through the word of God which lives and abides forever,** because "All flesh is as grass, And all the glory of man as the flower of the grass. The grass withers, and its flower falls away, But the word of the Lord endures forever."

Now this is the word which by the gospel was preached to you. Therefore, laying aside all malice, all deceit, hypocrisy, envy, and all evil speaking, as newborn babes, desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby, if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is gracious. Coming to Him as to a living stone, rejected indeed by men, but chosen by God and precious, you also as living stones, are being built up a spiritual house, a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

The Lord continues to teach us through His words. He teaches us through the bible, through dreams, vision, through words received. He has said that there is more to be improved upon but that we must not be discouraged. We are living stone being sculpted into a spiritual house.

We cannot afford to forget that He is with us. He is guiding us. He has asked us to keep our focus on Him, to be pure and holy, to work on not only our personal refinement but our corporate refinement as well. And here are some additional words relating to purity that He has said this month:

**06/05/12**
DP - I AM HE who is with you guiding you, intense purification is taking place. Keep focused allow it to take it's course. Be thou diligent, the diligent will prove successful in this journey. Be like minded with your brother's and sister's. All being brought to pass that I have spoken. Clean vessel, be pure, undefiled, holy, fit for My use. My time is now in My saints be one with Me.

**06/10/12**

SN - Flee from all evil, Abstain from working unrighteousness, (Anything specific Lord), Do unto others as you would have them do unto you, This is the golden rule because time and again order begets things unseen.

These words above reminded me of those from 06/11/12 that stated: Most have no concept of purity: purity of thought, purity of deed, purity of action, purity of motive, purity in all. Words spoken contain these - think on this. In my mind this is very similar to the thought behind the “Golden Rule” that states: Do unto others as you would have others do unto you. However, when most people are thinking about the golden rule they are thinking that it is saying something like, do not do to others what you would not want them to do to you. But how about going the next step and look at it as if it is saying, be a blessing to others just as you would like for them to be a blessing to you. Do unto others as you would have others do unto you. This is the purity of spirit the Lord would like for us to have!

Remove Uncleanliness

Now the final step I would like to discuss in regards to being pure, clean, and holy, or in other words becoming refined is this: We cannot be pure, clean or holy without removing that which is tainted.

01/28/12 CT - Unbind the cords that tie you to the world; not from My creation but from the harmful things of man. Rightly judge. You know what is good and what is evil. Remove darkness.

That’s right we must remove that which is unclean. We must remove outside influences, worldly influences, influences that on the surface may appear to be of the Lord but ultimately are not (like the traditions of men). We must use righteous judgment to rid ourselves of the impurities. Yes, we must discard the traditions of men and grab a hold of what the Lord has set forth. It is just as Jesus said,

John 7:24
Judge not according to the appearance, but judge righteous judgment.

But in order to do this, in order to make a righteous judgment, we must first have knowledge of the Lord. What I am saying is in effect how can we execute righteous judgment if we do not know the Lords ways.

Jeremiah 23:18
For who hath stood in the counsel of the Lord, and hath perceived and heard his word? who hath marked his word and heard it?

In the verse above God is talking about standing in His counsel, which is the key element required to make sound judgments and be successful. It's the best way to get understanding. The more you stand in God's counsel the more you learn of God's ways and thoughts. You are then more able to make judgments based on God's will, not man's. (You can find more on righteous judgment at: http://www.takehisheart.com/insightsjohn1.htm)

On 07/11/2010 The Lord said this: Fruits of the Spirit should be apparent in your life (love, joy, peace, faith, gentleness, kindness etc.). But this doesn’t mean you allow the enemy in.
Use righteous judgement; but in order to understand righteous judgment you must know me and my ways. That’s why reading and studying is so important. Detection. Know the ways of the enemy and his snares so that you do not fall for them. Keep me close. Havoc ensues in his presence; as well as confusion and despair, all that is opposite of me. My protections are real as you know. You will have the opportunity to be a guide to these protections. Knowledge is a must. Ignorance is not bliss. Knowledge of me learned from my books is what’s important more than wealth or power or authority. Nothing you gain from man (wealth, power, authority) is real or lasting. My kingdom endures forever. This is the place to be.

And then on 08/08/10 the Lord said, Why does the world neglect me and what I have set forth? Are you neglecting what the Lord has set forth? Are you clean, pure and holy? Do you have room for improvement like myself? Remember we are cleaning ourselves both individually and corporately. It is a process that takes time. We are having to relearn that which has been lost over time. This is why it is important for us to start working on it now. The enemy knows how to make the world desirable to us. Just look at how his trickery worked on Eve. The Lord is letting us know, however, that it is time to remove that which is unclean. It is time to remove outside influences.

06/12/12
FJ - Calm yourself. They are making witchcraft fashionable. Come out from among them and be ye separate. Have no evil thing in thee. No pleasure in it. Violence and nudity is not becoming. What say you? (Yes Lord I will not watch it)
   Terror is coming. He who speaks evil does evil. (I’m done Lord) Face it! Magnify Me. Turn away from the forward tongue. Greed, selfishness has no place in my kingdom. Let the Lord sustain you. My bride is Radiant. Evil cannot contain her.

06/13/12
BT – There are double agents. You cannot just read one word. You have to read the word in aggregate.

You can see that these words are not new. The Lord has cautioned us about a whole variety of matters from self to the powerful influence of the enemy in the world. He has even offered up righteous judgment. But this should not discourage you because the Lord is present with us. He has been and continues to teach us about purity verses friendship with the world. He is teaching us to be cautious. He is letting us know that it is time to sever the cords that tie us to the world. It is time to stop neglecting what the Lord has set forth. A line has been drawn, it is time to do what is right.

James 4:4 Adulterers and adulteresses! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Whoever therefore wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God.

And finally from the book of Daniel the Lord speaks very clearly of the times we are in, of the End of Days:

Daniel 12:1-10 "At that time Michael shall stand up, The great prince who stands watch over the sons of your people; And there shall be a time of trouble, Such as never was since there was a nation, Even to that time. And at that time your people shall be delivered, Every one who is found written in the book. And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, Some to everlasting life, Some to shame and everlasting contempt.
Those who are wise shall shine Like the brightness of the firmament, And those who turn many to righteousness like the stars forever and ever.

"But you, Daniel, shut up the words, and seal the book until the time of the end; many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall increase." Then I, Daniel, looked; and there stood two others, one on this riverbank and the other on that riverbank. And one said to the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the river, "How long shall the fulfillment of these wonders be?" Then I heard the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the river, when he held up his right hand and his left hand to heaven, and swore by Him who lives forever, that it shall be for a time, times, and half a time; and when the power of the holy people has been completely shattered, all these things shall be finished.

Although I heard, I did not understand. Then I said, "My lord, what shall be the end of these things?" And he said, "Go your way, Daniel, for the words are closed up and sealed till the time of the end. Many shall be purified, made white, and refined, but the wicked shall do wickedly; and none of the wicked shall understand, but the wise shall understand.

Summation

This week the Lord said:

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As we go forth let us be mindful of our thoughts, our motives, our actions and our deeds. Let us be the people the Lord would have us to be. Let us make it our goal to be pleasing to Him.

May the Lord Bless and Keep You,
Cindy

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