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# DELANEY CONNECTION

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## Wednesday Night PRAYER SERVICE

### DOCTRINE OF SANCTIFICATION

1. **Sanctification**- The process whereby God is molding and making us into the image of Jesus Christ.

#### 2. Sanctification in the Bible.

A) Sanctify- set apart

John 17:17-19 "Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth."

B) Holy- set apart from that which is unholy.

Hebrews 7:26 "For it was indeed fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, innocent, unstained, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens."

C) Saint- one who has been set apart unto God.

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

#### 3. Features of Sanctification.

A) Sanctification has a definite beginning the moment someone has been regenerated.

B) Sanctification increases as we mature in our faith.

C) Sanctification is never complete in this life on earth.

#### 4. Aspects of the believer's sanctification.

A) Positional Sanctification

Ephesians 4:22-24 "To put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness."

B) Experiential Sanctification

● Freedom from becoming like the World.

Romans 12:2 "Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect."

● Freedom from sin's control in daily life.

Romans 6:14 "For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace."

● Growth in Grace and Knowledge.

2 Peter 3:18 "But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen."

#### 5. Ultimate Sanctification

1 John 3:2 "Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is."

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- The Reason For Hope by Billy Graham

- Waiting on God by Charles Stanley

- Dreams and Visions by Tom Doyle

- Growing Slowly Wise by David Roper

- Let Prayer Change Your Life by Becky Tirabassi

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