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SESSION TWO:

“Holiness”

1 Peter 1:13-25

SESSION TWO TEACHING NOTES

Four Commands...

1. **Be** _____ (verse 13)

2. **Be** _____ (verses 14-16)

3. **Be** _____ (verses 17-21)

4. **Be** _____ (verses 22-25)

SESSION TWO GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

GETTING STARTED

- Think of your life before you were born again. How is it different now? How is your spiritual life different from 5 or 10 years ago?

DIGGING DEEPER

1. Read 1 Thessalonians 4:3-7 and 2 Corinthians 7:1. How would you describe a “holy” Christian life?
2. The phrase “preparing your minds for action” is literally translated as “gird up the loins of your mind for action.” Read Exodus 12:11; Job 38:3; 1 Kings 18:46; and 2 Kings 4:29. How does this phrase help you understand how to prepare your mind for action? Why is it necessary?
3. What does it mean to “fear” God? Why should God be feared? What are right ways and wrong ways we “fear” God? Read the following verses for help: Proverbs 1:7; Proverbs 8:13; Ecclesiastes 12:13; Job 28:28; Proverbs 14:26; Psalms 25:14; Acts 10:35
4. What does it look like to “love one another earnestly from a pure heart?” Give examples in your own life of how you have received this kind of love and given this kind of love.

TAKING ACTION

- What are some ways that you can demonstrate love towards fellow members around your table?
- Choose one of the commands – 1) Be hopeful, 2) Be holy, 3) Be fearful, or 4) Be loving – that you will focus on this week. What is one thing that you will commit to doing this week that will demonstrate your grateful obedience to that command?

SESSION TWO GROUP PRAYER

