

# Holiness is Good For Your House

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## LAST WEEK'S PRACTICE.

The practice of the week was to continue removing your sins and distractions that prevent you from fulfilling God's purpose in your life. And notice and write what God is doing in your life through the pruning that you identified last week

- Would anyone like to share how it has helped you to identify what pruning is what God is doing in your life?
- Does anyone have a short story or anecdote about what God did and is doing in your life?

## SUMMARY.

Many times we see holiness as something impossible to achieve or that is boring, or that is simply not interesting. But this Sunday we saw that holiness is something that is in our own benefit. It is in our greatest interest that we seek holiness.

- What did the Holy Spirit speak to you (or got your attention) about Sunday's teaching?

## 1 Peter 1:14-16

- What can be one of the consequences of not being holy?
- Why do you think that normally there is not so much talk about "Being holy as God is Holy"?

## PRACTICE AS A COMMUNITY.

### 1. First.

- Divide into pairs or trios, same as last week

### 2. Second.

- In the couples, read the different types of pruning (to remember them) and remember which one they said last week is what God is doing with you

### Cinco Clases de Podas. (*Five Types of Pruning*)

1. **Poda de limpieza:** Para sacar las ramas secas y muertas. (*Cleaning pruning: To remove dry and dead branches.*)
2. **Poda de formación:** Para lograr que el árbol tenga una forma en específico. (*Formation pruning: To make the tree have a specific shape*)
3. **Poda de copa:** Para que el árbol pueda seguir creciendo y no se caiga (*Crown pruning: So that the tree can continue to grow and does not fall*)

4. **Poda de árboles frutales:** Para dar menos frutos pero muchos mejores. (*Pruning of fruit trees: To give fewer fruits but much better*)
5. **Poda de rejuvenecimiento:** De adentro hacía afuera, cuando un árbol ha sido descuidado por mucho tiempo. (*Rejuvenation pruning: From the inside out, when a tree has been neglected for a long time.*)

3. **Third.**

- Now talk about what you said last week that you were going to do so that God could continue to work in you
- Share about whether or not you did, and how you can continue to be involved in what God is doing

4. **Fourth.**

- Now in the couples read the three points on holiness
- Then talk about how you can continue to do your part to let God do the pruning in your life and to begin to seek holiness as a lifestyle

**Holiness is Good For Your House**

1. Holiness should be a lifestyle
2. Holiness provides me with God's purpose in my life
3. The Holy Spirit is the sanctifying agent

**This week's practice**

- To keep praying, and writing about the pruning that God is doing with you and what you are noticing that he is doing
- And do the practices or practice that you said to let God continue pruning your life and to seek holiness as a lifestyle

**BEFORE FINISHING**

- What do you think is the biggest obstacle to carrying out what you said you are going to do?
- What can you do to make sure that you do what you said you're going to do and that it doesn't just stay as a forgotten idea?