

A Plea for Purity – 1 Thessalonians 4:1-5

I. An Exhortation (v. 1-2)

1. The encouragement to Christians is to _____ rightly and to _____ God.
2. Paul delivered the commandments of God through the _____.
3. All Scripture is given by ___ N ___ R ___ N of God, and helps the Christian to be ___ M ___ L ___ for every good work. (2 Timothy 3:16–17)

II. A Plea for Purity (v. 3)

4. To abstain from sexual immorality is the _____ of God.
 - a. If we want a relationship with Jesus, we must do God's _____. (Mark 3:35)
5. Christians are sanctified or S ___ A ___ R ___ from the world.
6. Christians are to set their minds be on things _____. (Colossians 3:1–3)
7. 2 Corinthians 6:17–18 states that we should come out and _____ from the world and do not touch things that are _____.
8. Jesus taught that sexual immorality is not only committed physically, but also in the _____. (Matthew 5:28)
9. Intimate relations with anyone other than one's spouse is sexual _____. (1 Cor. 6:15-18)
10. The use of pornography is a sin against the B ___ ___ which is a member of Christ. (1 Corinthians 6:15)
11. The church is to be presented to God _____ and without _____. (Eph. 5:24–27)

III. You Know Better (v. 4-5)

12. Each Christian should _____ how to control their own body.
13. We are to hold our bodies in ___ N ___ F ___ T ___ and ___ N ___.
14. The Christian's body is not for sexual immorality but for the _____. (1 Cor. 6:13–14)
15. We were bought at a _____, the sacrifice of Christ. Therefore, we are to _____ God in our bodies which belong to God. (1 Corinthians 6:19–20)