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Series on 1

God's Will for Your Sexual Purity 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8

Introduction

Big Idea: Your Sexual Purity Is Not Only <u>Pleasing</u> To God, It Is <u>Demanded</u> By God.

1. You Should Live to Please God (1,2)

2. It is God's Will that You Be Sanctified (3-6)

3 Demands for Sexual Purity

- 1) God demands that you abstain from sexual immorality (3)
- 2) God demands that you <u>control</u> your body & passions (4-5)
- 3) God demands that you treat others with <u>honor</u> & <u>respect</u> (6)

3. Reasons Why You Should Strive for Sexual Purity (6b-8)

- 1) Because God <u>disciplines</u> those who practice immorality(6b)
- 2) Because God has <u>called</u> you to live differently (7)
- 3) Because to <u>reject</u> this command is to <u>reject</u> God (8)

4. How You can be Sexually Pure (8b)

Application