

Day 1 – Holiness Is Not Contagious

Scripture: Haggai 2:11-13

Reflection:

The Lord asked the priests two questions to teach His people that holiness cannot be transferred. You can't "catch" holiness by being near godly people or holy places. A clean heart comes only through personal faith and obedience. We cannot borrow someone else's devotion or ride on another's relationship with God.

Illustration:

Sadly we can't magically absorb the information from a textbook or study guide. The information is not contagious. The ones that do well on tests are those that make the decision and put forth the effort to study and learn the material. In much the same way we will not develop Godly traits and a holy lifestyle by accident.

Application:

Ask God to help you pursue personal holiness today. Start today developing habits of praying, reading Scripture, and focusing on making right decisions.