



Achieving Holiness While Living In A Fallen World I Peter 1:13-16

If we are going to achieve holiness while living in a fallen world we must be:

I. Mentally focused – Vs 13

Most anything in life we endeavor to do takes a certain amount of mental focus.

In verse 13 Peter gives us three things to do:

1. Prepare the mind for action. 2 Cor. 10:5 we are told to bring every thought into captive.
2. We are to keep sober in spirit. The word sober means to be balanced, steady, self-restrained.
3. Fix our hope completely on the grace brought to us at the revelation of Jesus.

II. We must have a pattern of behavior that is pure – Vs. 14-15

We are not to be conform to this world. Rom. 12:2

Children of God have a new pattern of life to follow. 2 Cor. 5:17

III. We must follow the right example – Vs 15-16

We are called to be like our Heavenly Father.

He is holy, and we are called to be holy. To be holy means to be set apart.

People will disappoint you, God will not.

We are called to be perfecting holiness as we live our lives. 2 Cor. 7:1

If we are going to live a life that is pleasing to God, we must be:

Mentally Focused.

Have a pattern of behavior that is pure.

Follow the right example.