

God's Will for My Life
1 Thessalonians 4:1-12
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God's will for us is... A Holy Life

- Justification means I am saved from the penalty of sin. (past)
- Sanctification means I am being saved from the practice/power of sin. (present)
- Glorification means I will be saved from the presence of sin. (future)

Sanctification is a Position: (*1 Cor 1:1-2*)

Sanctification is a Process. (*1 Thess 5:23*)

- Sanctification is a process whereby we are to become less and less of what we used to be and more and more of what God wants us to be.
- Sanctification is comprehensive.
- Sanctification is a progressive...
 - ...slow and steady walk
 - ...with a specific goal

Evidence of sanctification:

1. We are more aware and troubled by our sin.
2. We see the Fruit of the Spirit being lived out in our life.