



“Godliness”

Circumcised Hearts
Deuteronomy 10:12-22

Godliness refers to our:

I. Walk – “what does the Lord thy God require of thee” (vs. 12-13)

Our walk has a:

- A. Path** – “to walk in all His ways”
- B. Passion** – “serve the Lord thy God with all thy heart”
- C. Purpose** – “which I command thee this day for thy good”

II. Worship – “For the Lord your God is God of gods” (vs. 14-17)

Our worship of His:

- A. Lordship** – “the heavens and the heaven of heavens is the Lords”
- B. Love** – “Only the Lord had a delight in thy fathers to love them”
- C. Lawfulness** – “which regards not persons, nor takes reward”

III. Welcome – “ye were strangers in the land of Egypt” (vs. 18-22)

Our welcome to those who are:

- A. Disadvantaged** – “judgment of the of the fatherless and widow”
- B. Different** – “Love you therefore the stranger”
- C. Deity** – “the Lord thy God...to Him shall thou cleave”

Sentence Sermon

“Periodical godliness is perpetual hypocrisy.”
Charles Spurgeon”

Additional Verses

- **Deuteronomy 27:19**
- **I Timothy 4:7-8**
- **II Peter 1:7**
- **Hebrews 13:2**
- **Exodus 22:21-22**
- **Romans 2:28-29; 3:30**
- **Micah 6:8**
- **I Timothy 6:6-7**
- **II Peter 1:3**

Questions to Ponder

1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
3. Which one of the requirements found in verse 12 is hardest for you?
4. Why does God attach “with all thy heart and soul” to the requirements?
5. What is meant by “for your good” in verse 13?
6. What does it mean to circumcise your heart?
7. Why is it important that God does not take bribes?
8. Why does God care so much for widows and the fatherless?
9. Who would be considered a “stranger” in our daily lives?
10. What does it mean for us to cleave to the Lord?
11. Why should we swear by God’s name?
12. How does this passage’s description of godliness differ from many others?