

## DAILY READING: PURITY

Purity means to be clean and without sin. As a follower of Jesus, I am meant to live a life of purity – a life without sin. I can only be made pure by submitting (*giving complete power*) to Jesus. Nothing I can do will make me pure. No one else can make me pure or take my purity from me. If I just look pure on the outside, I am faking it. It is not okay to hide my sins. That is not good enough. My heart must be made clean. I am purified from the inside out. It is because Jesus lives in me that I can be transformed and live a life of purity. I am helped by reading the Bible, praying, admitting my sins and living in obedience to God. But it is by the power of His Spirit in me that I am made pure and can live a life of purity.

### DAILY STUDY: PURITY

**DAY 1:** Purity in Him – Hebrews 10:22 (page 1216); 1 John 3:3 (page 1241); Ezekiel 36:25-27 (page 832)

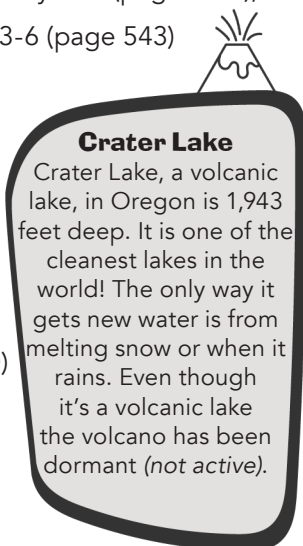
**DAY 2:** Purity as an Example – 1 Timothy 4:12 (page 1192); Titus 1:15-16 (page 1202); Psalm 24:3-6 (page 543)

**DAY 3:** Not Being Corrupted (to change from good to bad in manners or actions) –

2 Corinthians 6:6-7 (page 1147); James 1:27 (page 1222)

**DAY 4:** Treat Others – Titus 2:14 (page 1203); 1 Peter 2:9 (page 1230)

**DAY 5:** Leadership Quality – 1 Timothy 5:22 (page 1195); Philippians 4:8 (page 1173)



**DAY 6:** Purity in Wisdom – James 3:17 (page 1224); James 4:8 (page 1225)

**DAY 7:** Pure in Heart – Matthew 5:8 (page 944); Mark 7:20-23 (page 985)

**Take time to learn the memory verse and have fun doing the activity.**

## ACTIVITY: Frame a Prayer

God is the only One who can purify you by the power of His Spirit and His Word. Make this frame and clip on a Bible verse as a reminder of the call to purity. You can memorize the Bible verses and make it your daily prayer.

### YOU WILL NEED:

- 9 Popsicle sticks
- Glue
- Markers or paint
- Binder clip
- Paper
- Pen or pencil
- Magnet with a sticky side
- Paint brushes (optional)

### STEPS:

1. Lay 7 Popsicle sticks side-by-side horizontally/lengthwise.
2. Glue two Popsicle sticks vertically (*opposite direction*) on the edges of the others to hold the frame together.
3. Paint or color the frame.
4. Stick a magnet to the back.
5. Write one of the verses on a square piece of paper, small enough to clip to your frame. There are two Bible verses to choose from below.
6. Attach the binder clip to the top edge of the frame to hold the Bible verse to the frame.

**Matthew 5:8 "God blesses those whose hearts are pure, for they will see God."**

**Psalm 51:10 "Create in me a clean heart, O God. Renew a loyal spirit in me."**

### MEMORY VERSE:

2 Corinthians 6:6  
"We prove ourselves by our purity, our understanding, our patience, our kindness, by the Holy Spirit within us, and by our sincere love."  
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