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Bible Study Interactive Worksheets

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Lesson: "Consecration & Holiness!"

Main Scripture (s): _____

Main Theme: *"Holiness and consecration are not optional extras for Christians – they are the very essence of our Christian identity."*

A. INTRODUCTION: THE CALL TO BE SET APART

1. Consecration is the call to be set apart, _____, _____ and exclusively used for _____.
2. It is the act of giving ourselves _____ to God, His _____, His _____ and His _____; and separating from _____.
3. **Separation from sin:** _____ from _____ living, _____ desires, and _____.
4. **Dedication to God:** Offering _____ part of our lives. Our thoughts, desires, time, and resources to His _____.
5. Consecration is an _____ process, a continual _____ and daily _____.
6. Consecration allows God's _____ and _____ to be displayed through us.
7. Holiness – in our context – is to possess the the _____ of God. (1 Peter 1:16)
8. Holiness puts us in alignment with God's _____.
9. Both Holiness and Consecration must **not** be seen as _____. (Hebrews 12:14)
10. What they are **not**? _____.

B. OUTWARD EXPRESSION VS. INWARD TRANSFORMATION

1. Consecration requires us to move beyond _____ and into true _____.
2. God does **not** transform us from the _____ - _____ but he does so from the _____ - _____.
3. Outward religion provides _____.
4. Consecration is **not** about avoiding sin _____ but cultivating _____ in _____.
5. **Why do we resist inward change and embrace outward expression?**
 - It feels _____ to perform than transform.
 - Outward acts are in _____. Inward transformation requires _____.
 - Outward holiness brings _____ gratification and _____ validation. It makes us feel _____ without the _____ of real _____.
 - Inward transformation requires us to stop _____ behind _____.

6. Why do we need transformation?

- When God transforms the _____, _____ loses its grip.
- A transformed life gives us authentic _____.
- Outward expressions are _____ but inward transformation _____ us through trials and temptations.

Application Exercise

- **Reflection Journal:** Write down 2–3 areas where you may rely on outward expression rather than true transformation (e.g., church attendance, public service, religious language). Ask: *Has this area been truly surrendered to God's Spirit?*
- **Prayer Focus:** Invite God to expose any “performances” in your life and to begin the deeper work of inward renewal.
- **Action Step:** This week, commit to one practice of inward devotion (extended prayer, fasting, private worship, Scripture meditation) that no one else sees, as an offering of consecration to God.

Key Takeaway

Outward holiness without inward change is empty religion. True consecration begins when we allow God to transform our hearts, renew our minds, and shape us into the image of Christ.