

The Christian Life is a Wonderful Gift
2 Peter 1:3-4

Salvation and sanctification are due to the _____ of God alone.

We are saved and sanctified only by the _____ of the Godhead.

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God uses His Word as the means of revealing His Christ, who _____ unbelievers and makes believers _____.

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2 Peter 1:19-21

2 Tim 3:15-17

Salvation is due to the _____ of God alone, for the _____ of God alone.

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Ephesians 1:3-4

Progressive sanctification will always result in two wonderful realities.

1. The divine nature will be increasingly formed in believers through the _____ of God as revealed in His Word.

2 Peter 1:4

The promises of God to those who are called and redeemed are rooted in Christ and continued growth into the His _____ day by day, until the final consummation in the presence of _____.

**Ephesians 1:7–10
John 17:17**

- 2. The sinful desire which holds people captive to the world is being increasingly _____ of its power.**

2 Peter 1:4

This escape is found only by grace, through faith in Christ, who gives the believer _____ from slavery to sin.

John 8:31-36

The life of the believer is that of continued freedom from slavery to sin and its corrupting grip, through _____ in Christ.

Ephesians 4:20-24

Only those who have faith in Christ for salvation, truly have the power from God to participate in the _____ nature, until we are _____ with Christ in heaven.

Romans 8:29–30