

**Doctrinal Purity Will Lead to Godly Living**

**1 Timothy 6:6-10**

OT- Psalm 121

NT- Luke 12:22-34

1. While the false teachers were seeking financial gain, those concerned with right doctrine are seeking something \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Verse 5-6)

The “gain” Paul speaks here of being “great gain” is \_\_\_\_\_, not financial or physical.

a. What is godliness?

Godliness is the character or practice of conforming to what \_\_\_\_\_ Christ.

**1 Timothy 4:8**

b. What is contentment?

A feeling of \_\_\_\_\_ or happiness for what God has provided and not desiring more.

**Luke 12:30**

Right doctrine will lead to right \_\_\_\_\_.

Contentment must be \_\_\_\_\_.

**Phil 4:11-13, 1 Timothy 4:7**

2. The call to contentment reminds us of two critical points of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Verse 7)

**Job 1:21**

**Ecclesiastes 5:15**

This life is the context in which we are called to be content with \_\_\_\_\_ God gives, how \_\_\_\_\_ God gives and \_\_\_\_\_ God gives it.

3. The apostle Paul then gives us the \_\_\_\_\_ of contentment. (Vs 8)  
-Food and clothing (\_\_\_\_\_)

**Matthew 6:24**

**Matthew 6:25-26 (32)**

**Luke 12:19-21**

**Proverbs 27:20**

4. A lack of contentment is not something dealing primarily with possessions, but with \_\_\_\_\_. (verse 9)

The desire in our heart is \_\_\_\_\_.

The problem is our desire, not \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ecclesiastes 5:10**

The concern lies in what we all battle:

- \_\_\_\_\_ (feeds our thoughts),
- \_\_\_\_\_ (our desires),
- the \_\_\_\_\_ (holds out temptation)

**1 Timothy 6:4-5**

5. Desires of the heart will produce \_\_\_\_\_, both now and in eternity. (Verse 10)

a. When our desires lead us away from right doctrine, we are open to all sorts of \_\_\_\_\_, loss and \_\_\_\_\_.

b. Our training to be godly and content comes in the forms of saying “\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_”

**Titus 2:11-14**

We don't do this as often as we should for various reasons:

1. We think the problem is \_\_\_\_\_ of us.
2. It seems \_\_\_\_\_.
3. We don't really want to \_\_\_\_\_ what's there.

c. Be careful that your \_\_\_\_\_ (desire) doesn't carry you away from “the \_\_\_\_\_”.

Let us be content with the best of clothing:

CHRIST'S \_\_\_\_\_!

**Romans 13:14**