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GOING DEEPER // A CULTURAL REVOLUTION // 1 THESSALONIANS 4:1-8

What in today's culture has pushed Christians to not persist in their faith? Does this please or displease God? How can we please God?

What is the first thing that comes to mind when you think of uncleanliness and cleanliness?

"How we handle our sexual life can either affirm or contradict what we believe about God."

Tim Keller

We learned that to please God means to separate ourselves from culture and the rest of the world. This is done in many ways, one being our sexuality. What about this is hard, easy, or impactful within your own life?

If God brought the first sexual revolution to earth, which is antithetical to our culture, how do we continually persist in this revolution?

"It is a continuing change worked by God in us, freeing us from sinful habits and forming in us Christlike affections, dispositions, and virtues. It does not mean that sin is instantly eradicated, but it is also more than a counteraction, in which sin is merely restrained or repressed without being progressively destroyed. Sanctification is a real transformation, not just the appearance of one."

Nathan Bingham

From what we have learned in 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8, what tools will you utilize as you continue to pursue Christ?

What are the three ways that we pursue holiness (cleanliness) in Christ?

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- 2.
- 3.

SERMON OUTLINE

Baby Motivation (verses 1-2)

God's Holy Will (verses 3-7)

Our Response (verse 8)

**GENERAL
NOTES**

