

Worksheet #23 "The Beauty of Holiness"

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Clothed in Christ

- **Genesis 1:26, 27** Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness... So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.
- Genesis 2:25 And they were both naked, the man and his wife, and were not ashamed.
- **Psalm 104:1, 2** Bless the Lord, O my soul! O Lord my God, You are very great: You are clothed with honor and majesty, Who cover Yourself with light as with a garment, Who stretch out the heavens like a curtain.
- **Genesis 3:7** Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves coverings.
- Genesis 3:21 Also for Adam and his wife the Lord God made tunics of skin, and clothed them.
- Revelation 13:8 Jesus is "...the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world"
- **Galatians 3:27** For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

Apparently Adam and Eve's	_ character shone forth in	_ light.
Their remedy for nakedness was to	themselves with;	
God's remedy for their nakedness was to _	them in	

Partakers of the Divine Nature

- Romans 8:29 "...predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son"
- **2 Corinthians 3:18** But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.
- 2 Peter 1:2-4 Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord, as His divine
 power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by
 glory and virtue, by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you
 may be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.
- 1 John 3:2, 3 Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is. And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.
- 2 Peter 3:10-14 What manner of persons ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness, looking for and hastening the coming of the day of God? ...Therefore, beloved, looking forward to these things, be diligent to be found by Him in peace, without spot and blameless.

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The Beauty of Lucifer

- Ezekiel 28:12-13 "You were anointed as a guardian cherub, for so I ordained you..." (NIV)
- **Ezekiel 28:12-13** "You were the seal of perfection, Full of wisdom and perfect in beauty. You were in Eden, the garden of God; Every precious stone was your covering..."
 - Exodus 28:1-2, 40 "You shall make holy garments for Aaron your brother, for glory and for beauty."
 - Exodus 28:15-21 "You shall put settings of stones in it, four rows of stones... They shall be set in gold."
 - Exodus 28:36 "You shall also make a plate of pure gold and engrave on it...: HOLINESS TO THE LORD."
- Ezekiel 28:17 Your heart was lifted up because of your beauty; You corrupted your wisdom for the sake of your splendor; I cast you to the ground, I laid you before kings, That they might gaze at you."

The Beauty of Christ

- **Isaiah 53:2** He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, And as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; And when we see Him, There is no beauty that we should desire Him.
- **Philippians 2:5-7** Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus, who... made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men.



Revelation's Two "Women"

- **Revelation 12:1** Now a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a garland of twelve stars.
- **Revelation 17:4** The woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet, and adorned with gold and precious stones and pearls, having in her hand a golden cup full of abominations and the filthiness of her fornication. **Hosea 2:13**

Biblical Examples

- **Genesis 35:1-4** So they gave Jacob all the foreign gods which were in their hands, and the earrings which were in their ears; and Jacob hid them under the terebinth tree which was by Shechem.
- Exodus 32:1-6 So all the people broke off the golden earrings which were in their ears, and brought them to Aaron.
- **Exodus 33:1-6** "Now therefore, take off your ornaments, that I may know what to do to you." So the children of Israel stripped themselves of their ornaments by Mount Horeb.

Biblical Instruction

- 1 Peter 3:3-5 Do not let your adornment be merely outward--arranging the hair, wearing gold, or putting on fine apparel-- 4 rather let it be the hidden person of the heart, with the incorruptible beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is very precious in the sight of God.
- 1 Timothy 2:9, 10 in like manner also, that the women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with propriety and moderation, not with braided hair or gold or pearls or costly clothing, but, which is proper for women professing godliness, with good works.

The Beauty of Holiness

- Exodus 15:11 "Who is like You, O Lord... Who is like You, glorious in holiness?"
- Psalm 93 "The Lord reigns, He is clothed with majesty... Holiness adorns Your house, O Lord, forever."
- Psalm 29:2 Give unto the Lord the glory due to His name; Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.