

Holiness

An Old Testament and a New Testament Perspective

		<u>HOLY</u> (set apart; consecrated; whole)	<u>COMMON</u>
NEW TESTAMENT		<p>God Himself</p> <p>The <u>position</u> and <u>destiny</u> of every person who, by faith, has entered into a relationship with God through Christ: "wholeness"</p>	<p><u>CLEAN</u> ("fit for worship")</p> <p><u>Clean for ceremonial and legal purposes:</u> In a state that was literally healthy or that denoted or symbolized good health (not bleeding, not having recently given birth, free of blood or from bodily discharges, not carnivorous, etc.), per Mosaic Law; distinctive from other nations, adhering to Mosaic Law</p> <p><u>Clean in God's eyes:</u> An Israelite with a repentant heart (with regard to sin), a love for God's laws as a means to becoming "set apart" from other nations for His glory, and faith in God Himself</p>
		<p>God Himself</p> <p>The <u>position</u> and <u>destiny</u> of every person who entered into a covenant relationship with God by faith and on the basis of His provision: "wholeness"</p>	<p><u>UNCLEAN</u></p> <p>Death or all that symbolized or hinted at death (loss of blood, bad health, carnivorous animals, etc.)</p> <p>Gentiles and all who were "like the other nations"</p>
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