

MADE HOLY – with Christ – 3 **“The God who Separates”**

God is a consuming fire. (Deuteronomy. 4:24 / 9:3 / Hebrews 12:29)

That unquenchable fire is His holiness.

Holy (Hebrew: qadosh Greek: hagiozo)

- a sacred space or thing
- consecration / hallowed
- to consecrate / sanctify / set apart
- to separate (Greek: Aphorizo) from and purify for God's purpose

[The God who separates] – Makes us Holy!

God separates us from the world for His glory. (presence; purposes)

- 2 Thessalonians 1:4-10 (NKJV)
 - His presence is a blessing to believers (John 3:16-17 -KJV)
 - His presence is destruction to unbelievers (John 3:18-21- KJV)

Ex. – The Sun

- Life and death depend on your relationship to it.
- Ex. Cockroach (creature of darkness)

[Examples of Separation]

1. Divides light from dark.
 - Genesis 1:1-4 (NKJV)
2. Divides the plagues of Egypt.
 - Exodus 8:21-23 (NKJV) – flies
 - Exodus 9:4 – livestock
 - Exodus 9:26 – hail
 - Exodus 10:22-23 – darkness
 - Exodus 12:23 – first born / Passover
 - Exodus 12:38 – mixed multitude
3. Divides the Red Sea.
 - Exodus 14:21-30 (NKJV)
 - Blessing to Israel
 - Destruction to Egyptians