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# Made Whole







# Whole Connection

# Completely Whole

When God Sanctifies me, the proses might  
be difficult but the result is joy.

# Joy of Sanctification

God the Father knew you and chose you long ago, and **his Spirit has made you holy**. As a result, you have **obeyed** him and have been cleansed **by the blood of Jesus Christ**. May God give you more and more grace and peace. All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Pet 1:2-8 NLT

# Joy of Sanctification

It is by his great **mercy** that we have been **born again**, because God raised Jesus Christ from the dead. Now we live with great expectation, and we have a priceless inheritance—an inheritance that is kept in heaven for you, pure and undefiled, beyond the reach of change and decay.

1 Pet 1:2-8 NLT



# Joy of Sanctification

And through your faith, God is protecting you by his power until you receive this salvation, which is ready to be revealed on the last day for all to see. So be truly glad. There is wonderful **joy ahead**, even though you must endure many trials for a little while.

1 Pet 1:2-8 NLT

# Joy of Sanctification

These trials will show that your faith is genuine. It is being tested as fire tests and purifies gold—though your faith is far more precious than mere gold. So when your faith remains strong through many trials, it will bring you much praise and glory and honor on the day when Jesus Christ is revealed to the whole world.

1 Pet 1:2-8 NLT

# Joy of Sanctification

You love him even though you have never seen him.  
Though you do not see him now, you trust him; and you  
rejoice with a glorious, **inexpressible joy**.

1 Pet 1:2-8 NLT



# Whole in the Spirit



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And I will put my Spirit in you  
so that you will follow my  
decrees and be careful to  
obey my regulations.

Eze 36:27 NLT

# Whole in the Spirit

Surely you must know that people who practice evil cannot possess God's kingdom realm. Stop being deceived! People who continue to engage in sexual immorality, idolatry, adultery, sexual perversion, homosexuality,

1 Cor 6:9-11 TPT



# Whole in the Spirit

fraud, greed, drunkenness,  
verbal abuse, or extortion—  
these will not inherit God's  
kingdom realm. It's true that  
some of you once lived in  
those lifestyles,

1 Cor 6:9-11 TPT

# Whole in the Spirit

but now you have been  
purified from sin, **made holy**,  
and given a perfect standing  
before God—all because of  
the power of the name of  
the Lord Jesus, the Messiah,  
and through our **union with  
the Spirit of our God.**

1 Cor 6:9-11 TPT

# Sanctify


- to set something apart for God's special use and purpose.
- to be holy
- God's work of making us more like Jesus



# Whole in the Spirit

So all of us who have had that veil removed can see and reflect the glory of the Lord. And the Lord—who is the **Spirit—makes us more and more like him** as we are changed **into his glorious image.**

2 Cor 3:18 NLT

A person wearing a dark shirt and a brown leather apron is sanding a wooden chair with a sanding block. The scene is set in a workshop with various tools and materials visible in the background. A strong light source from the left creates a bright beam of light that illuminates the dust particles in the air, highlighting the person's hands and the chair. The text "The work of the Spirit" is overlaid on the right side of the image in a large, orange, serif font.

# The work of the Spirit

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But you are not controlled by your sinful nature. **You are controlled by the Spirit** if you have the Spirit of God living in you. (And remember that those who do not have the Spirit of Christ living in them do not belong to him at all.)

Rom 8:9-11 NLT

# The work of the Spirit

And Christ lives within you,  
so even though your body  
will die because of sin, the  
**Spirit gives you life because  
you have been made right  
with God.**

Rom 8:9-11 NLT

# The work of the Spirit

But the **Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives:** love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

Gal 5:22-25 NLT



# The work of the Spirit

Those who belong to Christ Jesus have nailed the passions and desires of their sinful nature to his cross and crucified them there. Since we are living by the Spirit, **let us follow the Spirit's leading in every part of our lives.**

Gal 5:22-25 NLT

# The work of the Spirit

The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you. And just as God raised Christ Jesus from the dead, **he will give life** to your mortal bodies by this same Spirit living within you.

Rom 8:9-11 NLT

# The work of the Spirit

**By his divine power, God  
has given us everything we  
need for living a godly life.**

We have received all of this  
by coming to know him, the  
one who called us to himself  
by means of his marvelous  
glory and excellence.

2 Pet 1:3 NLT

A wooden chair with a hand resting on a small wooden table next to it, with a beam of light shining through the scene.

# Whole in the Spirit

So I say, let the Holy Spirit guide your lives. Then you won't be doing what your sinful nature craves.

Gal 5:16 NLT