

## The Holiness of God

### *God's holiness is expressed in three persons.*

- ◆ God = holy: Isa. 40:25, 43:15, Hos. 11:9, Rev. 15:4
- ◆ Jesus = holy: Rev. 3:7, Mk. 1:24, Lk. 1:35, Acts 4:27
- ◆ God's Spirit = holy: Lk. 1:35, Rom. 5:5, I Cor. 12:3
- ◆ Unique holiness triad in Isa. 6:1-3, Rev. 4:8

### *God's holiness makes Him totally unique.*

- ◆ Holy (*qadosh*) = cut off / separate. Something dedicated for a special vs. a common usage, Ex. 3:5, 19:6, 20:8.
- ◆ Transcendence is the idea—God is totally unique and majestically supreme over His creation.

### *God's holiness means He is pure and seeks purity.*

- ◆ No hint of ethical stain, I Jn. 1:5, Hab. 1:13, Js. 1:13.0
- ◆ Holiness causes God to promote holiness.

### *How God's holiness should impact us:*

- ◆ We should respond with . . .  
Ps. 99:2,5,9, Rev. 1:16, 15:4b
- ◆ We should respond with . . .  
II Cor. 7:1, Rev. 15:4a, I Pt. 1:17
- ◆ We should respond with . . .  
Lv. 11:44, 20:7,8, I Pt. 1:15ff.,2:4ff., II Cor. 7:1, Matt. 5:48

