THREE ASPECTS OF SANCTIFICATION

Definition

When

Description

Who

What

Sin Condition

JUSTIFICATION Positional Sanctification We are Set Apart to God In the Past - a One-Time Event A Judicial Act of God Entirely God's Work God declares sinful man POSITIONALLY RIGHTEOUS in His Sight - a Saint! Separated from the PENALTY of sin

SANCTIFICATION Progressive Sanctification We are becoming Set Free from Sin In the Present - a Lifelong Event A Daily Conflict Roles for Holy Spirit and Man Empowered by the Holy Spirit, the believer IS BECOMING more and more LIKE CHRIST Separated from the POWER of sin

GLORIFICATION Perfected Sanctification We are Made PURE! In the Future - an Eternal Event A Promise Sealed by the Holy Spirit Entirely God's Work At death or the rapture, the child of God is FULLY CONFORMED to the IMAGE OF CHRIST Separated from the PRESENCE of sin

