

Lesson 06 Guarding the Gates

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Check your Guide or quarterly!

FTWTF means:
Find The Word That Fits

Power Point
We respond to God's love when we dedicate ourselves entirely to Him.

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Power Text

Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body" 1 Corinthians 6:19, 20 NIV



- "I see," the young man responded. Thinking of ways to apply the principle was almost like playing a game. "I have watched the priests chase stray ____ away from the gates. I guess it would be important to guard the gates of the Temple. What would that be like for my body temple?"
- FTWTF - Title
- As John watched the young man climb up from the Jordan river bed toward his home, he thanked God for the straight path the Spirit had into another ____ temple.
- FTWTF - Power Text
- "Yes," John nodded, "cleanliness is important. That could include how you take care of your body inside & out, couldn't it? The ____ you eat, the thoughts you allow to stay in your head."
- The young man had come that evening looking very serious. Now he looked relieved & enthusiastic. The prophet Isaiah had predicted that John was going to "prepare the way for the Lord, make straight ____ for him."
- "... Imagine that you are a special place for the Spirit of God, that you are a tabernacle or a _____. What do you think that principle would tell you about how to take care of yourself?"
- John the Baptist stood beside the Jordan River. It was evening, & the people who had been around him all day were finally on their way _____.
- "Exactly," John smiled broadly. "If you dedicate your entire self to God, & then ask Him to always live in you, you will know how to make the choices that He would have you make for your own lifestyle. When you have a choice to make, you can just think about your body temple & its _____. God will give you the wisdom to know how to take care of that temple & what to let in those _____."
- "The principle is this," John started slowly, staring into the calm _____ of the Jordan where the young man had been baptized. "Your body, your heart, your mind-you have given all of yourself to God now..."
- FTWTF - Power Point
- [Tuesday's lesson] Read 2 Corinthians 6:16 & 7:1. These verses are very similar to your _____ text.
- [Thursday's lesson] Based on what you have learned this week, write out God's plan to improve the treatment of your _____ temple.