



## DISCOVERY THREE

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**You can experience purity.**  
**"Purity—an Idea Whose Time Has Come"**

#### Review:

##### Week One: Of Purposes and Promises

Two Great Assignments  
Live by the Great Commandment  
Fulfill the Great Commission  
Two Great Promises  
I will come for you  
I will come to you

##### Week Two: You Have a Guide

He is One who comes alongside to help  
He is our teacher  
He testifies to us about Jesus Christ  
He is our Guide

##### Week Three: You Can Accept Love

God loves you, loves you, loves you  
God's love transforms you  
God loves through you

#### Matthew 5:8

**"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God."**

#### 1. Is it possible to have a pure heart?

- a. Only those with a \_\_\_\_\_ heart may stand in His holy place!

**Psalm 24:3-5** – "Who may ascend the hill of the LORD?  
Who may stand in his holy place?  
He who has clean hands and *a pure heart*,  
who does not lift up his soul to an idol  
or swear by what is false.  
He will receive blessing from the LORD  
and vindication from God his Savior."

- b. \_\_\_\_\_ prayed for a pure heart.

**Psalm 51:10** – "Create in me a *pure heart*, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."

- c. The goal of the \_\_\_\_\_ is a pure heart.

**1 Timothy 1:5** – "The goal of this command is love, which comes from a *pure heart* and a good conscience and a sincere faith."

- d. There are those who call on the Lord out of a pure \_\_\_\_\_.

**2 Timothy 2:22** – "Flee the evil desires of youth, and pursue righteousness, faith, love and peace, along with those who call on the Lord *out of a pure heart*."

- e. The \_\_\_\_\_ speaks of those who have a pure heart.

**1 Peter 1:22** – "Now that you have purified yourselves by obeying the truth so that you have sincere love for your brothers, love one another deeply, from the heart."

#### 2. So what is a pure heart?

**1 Timothy 1:5** (The Message) – "The whole point of what we're urging is simply love—*love uncontaminated by self-interest and counterfeit faith, a life open to God*."

- a. Uncontaminated by \_\_\_\_\_ - interest

- b. A life \_\_\_\_\_ to God

- c. To will \_\_\_\_\_ thing (Søren Kierkegaard)

**James 4:8** – "Come near to God and He will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

- d. \_\_\_\_\_ is our example.

**Philippians 2:5** (The Message) – "Think of yourselves the way Christ Jesus thought of Himself."