

# Reverence Illustrated

- Hebrews 11:32-40 -

- A. Have you heard someone say, “\_\_\_\_\_ think you’re the only people going to heaven”? That statement should illustrate who we are. Not a boastful or egotistical declaration, but by what you do in your life.
- B. Will people be led to take God more \_\_\_\_\_ or less seriously because of you?
- C. Those in \_\_\_\_\_ lived reverently and it was said of them, “(of whom the world was not worthy)” (**Heb 11:38**). It was because they hoped for what came from heaven (**v.13-16**)

## 1. Three \_\_\_\_\_

- A. \_\_\_\_\_ He was not fairly treated, but in all he experienced, the Bible says, “\_\_\_\_\_ was with \_\_\_\_\_” (**Gen 39:3,21,23**).
  - 1. Pharaoh notice it (\_\_\_\_\_)
  - 2. Joseph revered God showing us there is **ONE** reason for not yielding to \_\_\_\_\_ (**v.39**).
- B. \_\_\_\_\_ God was interested in his heart (**1 Sam 16:7**) He was not \_\_\_\_\_ (**Ps 51**), but we can learn he was “a man after my \_\_\_\_\_, who shall do all my \_\_\_\_\_” (**Acts 13:22**)...
  - 1. His reverence illustrated in \_\_\_\_\_
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ He was able to thrive in a wicked world and keep his purity and reverence for God (**Dan 1:8**)...
  - 1. He declares his reverence for God in \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Matthew 5:13-16. The godliest among men are the \_\_\_\_\_ of society.
- B. Unless we \_\_\_\_\_ righteousness, hold it, love it, and live it, who will??

## 3. The \_\_\_\_\_ the Unworthiness, the More \_\_\_\_\_ Need for \_\_\_\_\_ .

- A. **Matt 5:16** - \_\_\_\_\_ - **1 Pet 2:12;3:16** - \_\_\_\_\_
- B. **2 Tim 1:8** - This is not the time to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Be driven to pursue God...
- D. Be worthy - reflecting God and the gospel (**Eph 4:1,2**)