

“Separation Anxiety”
Getting a Handle on Holiness
Acts 26

Our Sanctification is made of:

I. Indignation – “to do many things contrary” (vs. 1-11)

Indignation = to see Jesus as unworthy

➤ *We live life on our terms of:*

A. Religion – “*I lived a Pharisee*”

B. Rejection – “*contrary to the name of Jesus*”

II. Intervention – “a light from heaven” (vs. 12-15)

➤ We need to be rescued by His :

A. Initiation – “*a light from heaven*”

B. Illumination – “*above the brightness of the sun*”

C. Individualization – “*saying..., Saul, Saul...*”

III. Induction – “appeared...for this purpose” (vs. 16-18)
formal installation in an office

➤ *We are separated to be a :*

A. Servant – “*to make me a minister*”

B. Spectator – “*to make me a ...witness*”

C. Shiner – “*to make me...to open their eyes*”
Sight Giver

IV. Investment–“words of truth and soberness”(vs. 19-32)

➤ *We contribute to the process by using :*

A. Follow-through – “*I was not disobedient*”

B. Faith – “*believest thou the prophets?*”

Involves: Truth and Time

C. Freedom- “*might have been set at liberty*”