

Series: The Life of Christ in the Psalms

Psalm 1: - 41:

## **“Characteristics of the Godly”**

**(What God Expects and Inspects)**

**Psalm 15:1-6**

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**Bring it Home / Introduction:** A whole-hearted description of a holy man or woman who walks in integrity before God and before others.

### **1. Two Honest Questions from a Holy God. (What God Expects) Psalm 15:1**

- Who may abide in Your Tabernacle? – Who may approach God?
- Who may dwell in Your holy hill? – Who may abide with God?

### **2. Five Honest Answers from Holy Men, (Women). (What God Inspects) Psalm 15:2-6**

#### **1.) My Character Must be Holy. (V.2a,b) – My Character Matters to God.**

- He pursues blamelessness.
- He practices righteousness.

#### **2.) My Conversation Must be Holy. (V.2c-3a) – My Relationships Matter to God.**

- He speaks truth.
- He suppresses slander.

#### **3.) My Contacts Must be Holy. (V.3b-4b) – My Friendships Matter to God.**

- He restrains himself from sin.
- He refrains from slurs.
- He rejects reprobates.
- He reveres believers.

#### **4.) My Contracts Must be Holy. (V.4c-5b) – My Business Ethics Matter to God.**

- He stands on the Word.
- He suffers for his word.

#### **5.) My Commitment Must be Holy. (V.5c) – My Word Matters to God.**

- He seeks intimacy with God.
- He proves loyalty to God.

**Take it Home / Moment of Decision:**