



## DEVELOPING A PURE HEART

The Grinch: Enlarging My Heart – Part 1

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### Memory Verse

*“Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life” -Proverbs 4:23*

### MY HEART: **The Center of my Being**

Proverbs 27:19; Psalm 51:10

### HOW GOD DEVELOPS A PURE HEART WITHIN ME

- **Admit that my heart is impure.**  
(Proverbs 20:9; Romans 3:23; Romans 6:23a; Matthew 5:8)
  
- **Believe that God can purify my heart.**  
(Romans 6:23b; I John 1:9; Isaiah 1:18)
  
- **Commit my heart to God.**  
(Romans 3:22; Revelation 3:20; Psalm 24:3-4)

# The GRINCH

Enlarging My Heart



## THE SELF-DIRECTED LIFE

- SELF is on the throne
- Interests are directed by self, resulting in discord, frustration
- Christ is outside the life



## THE SELF-DIRECTED CHRISTIAN LIFE

- Self is on the throne
- Christ dethroned and not allowed to direct the life
- Interests are directed by self, often resulting in discord and frustration



## THE CHRIST-DIRECTED LIFE

- CHRIST is on the throne
- Self is yielding to Christ
- Interests are directed by Christ, resulting in harmony with God's plan