

PARTICIPATION IN YOUR SANCTIFICATION

(2 Peter 1:4-11)

We Must Participate in Our Own Spiritual Growth

I. God has granted us the \_\_\_\_\_ of becoming \_\_\_\_\_ of the divine nature.

1. We \_\_\_\_\_.

2. We \_\_\_\_\_.

II. God has granted us the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the divine nature.

1. We need to be \_\_\_\_\_ in our pursuit of \_\_\_\_\_.

- Moral Excellence -
- Knowledge -
- Self-control -
- Perseverance -
- Godliness -
- Brotherly Kindness -
- Love -

2. We can be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

3. We can have \_\_\_\_\_.

**Group Discussion Questions**

(Read the passage together as a group before discussing the questions)

1. What does it mean to “become partakers of the divine nature”? How does this impact the way that you understand your life in Christ?
2. How important is it that we pursue the qualities mentioned in the passage? What happens when we do not do our part in supplying these qualities in our lives?
3. What is the prerequisite for usefulness and fruitfulness? What does this look like in our lives practically speaking?
4. What is assurance tied to in this passage? How does this work in real life?
5. What stood out to you from the text or message that you would like to explore further? What will you do to apply this message this week?