21 -- DIVISION -- MATURITY IN HOLINESS -- (DEC. 27-31)

27. I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling in Christ Jesus. Let us, therefore as many as be perfect be thus minded. -- Philippians 3:14, 15.

Perfect, yet pressing onward and upward and heavenward! Perfect, yet reaching unto those things which are before! Perfect, yet not perfect in the sense of having attained all that I may obtain in this life and in the life to come.

28. That ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will . . . and increasing in the knowledge of God. -- Colossians 1:9, 10.

Filled -- Yet increasing!

29. Having escaped the corruption that is in the world . . . add. -- II Peter 1:4-8.

Clean from corruption yet growing in virtue, knowledge, temperance, patience, godliness, brotherly-kindness and charity.

30. Grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. -- II Peter 3:18.

Without spot and blameless -- prepared to meet judgment in peace -- yet growing.

31. Looking for and hasting onto the coming of the day of God. -- II Peter 3:12.

In all holy conversation and godliness, yet pressing toward heavenly perfection.

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