

**“How Can I ‘Be Perfect As God Is Perfect?’”**

**Matthew 5:48**

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**A Supremely Baptist Excuse:** “I’m just a \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.”

**The Big Point Of The Sermon On The Mount:** Jesus has not come to excuse our  
\_\_\_\_\_, but to open the door to something  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- Matthew 5:17-20, 21, 27, 31, 33, 28, 43.

**The Goal:** He became \_\_\_\_\_ so that we can become  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- Matthew 5:48.

**What That Looks Like:** At my core, I am a \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ guided by God’s own \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 6:6-7; Romans 8:9; 2 Corinthians 5:17; Galatians 6:15; Ephesians 4:23-24;  
Colossians 3:10.

**Where That Leads:** Expect \_\_\_\_\_ and  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 6:1-2; Romans 6:22; Romans 8:4; Romans 8:28-39.