

Standards for Spiritual Leaders

Leviticus 21 (Series: Grasping God's Holiness)

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4. Not to marry a prostitute or defiled woman (v. 7a)
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6. Because the priest is **holy** to his God (v. 7c-8)

F. Punishment for his daughter whoring herself (v. 9)

II. Instructions for the High Priest (v. 10-15)

C. Regarding the dead (v. 10-12)

3. Dress code not to copy pagan customs (v. 10)
4. Avoiding dead bodies and remaining in the sanctuary (v. 11-12)

D. Only to marry a virgin of **God's people**, Israel (v. 13-15)

III. Instructions to Aaron (High Priest) prohibiting **blemished** priests from access to God (v. 16-24)

E. Not to **approach** to offer the bread of his God (v. 17)

F. Not to **come near** to offer the Lord's food offerings (v. 21)

G. Allowed to eat the bread of his God (v. 22)

H. Not go through the veil or **approach** the altar (v. 23)

