SEPARATED UNTO THE LORD



NUMBERS 6:1-21

I. The vow of a Nazarite is "a vow of separation unto the LORD" (v.1-4).



 In what sense did I make a vow of separation unto my wife?

 How does our separation unto our wife/husband reveal the Nazarite purpose? II. The vow of a Nazarite separated from anything that would defile (v.3-8).



- How careful did a Nazarite need to be to stay separated unto the LORD?
- What specific defiling situations do we need to carefully avoid?
- How can we do a better job of being separated unto the LORD?

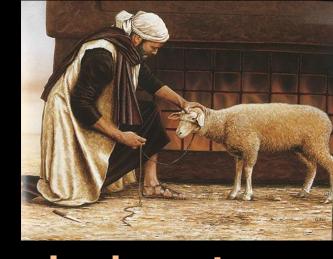
Vow required a sacrificial renewal of it (Numbers 6:9-12).



 How much does it cost to renew your vow of separation unto the LORD?

 Why is deciding to quit keeping your vow not even an option?

 What is so bad about influencing others to break their vows? (Amos 2:11-12) IV. The conclusion of the vow required three sacrifices (v.13-17).



 Why would the Nazarite need a burnt offering and a sin offering?

What should we learn from the fellowship offering?

V. The ending of the Nazarite vow includes extra giving (v.18-21).



 Why would you want to give more to God because of a time of devotion to Him?

 How is your relationship to God affecting your giving?

Call to Action: To purposely separate ourselves unto the LORD.



- How are you doing with your vow to separate yourself to your wife/husband?
- What specific things do you need to be separating yourself from?
- What are you doing to separate yourself unto the LORD?
- How will your increased devotion to God affect the ones you love?

-How can we help?