

*Christian Life Assembly*  
**Counter-Culture Pt. 2: How to Respond to an Ungodly Culture?**  
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**Recognize who you are in Christ: *Chosen, Royalty, Holy, Special, Called...***

*But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation. His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light.*

-1 Peter 2:9

- **Do not be afraid of this world**

*You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.*

- 1 John 4:4 NKJV

- **Keep yourself Pure**

*Dear friends, I urge you, as foreigners and exiles, to abstain from sinful desires, which wage war against your soul.*

- 1 Peter 2:11 NIV

**Act like a follower of Christ**

- **Be compassionate**

- **Speak the truth**

*And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.*

- John 8:32 NLT

*He is especially hard on those who follow their own twisted sexual desires.*

- 2 Peter 2:10 NLT

- **Do not condemn others—Be Humble** (John 8:3-11)

*Therefore you are inexcusable, O man, whoever you are who judge, for in whatever you judge another you condemn yourself; for you who judge practice the same things.*

- Romans 2:1 NKJV

- **Do not condone sin**

**Honor God with your life**

*Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.*

- 1 Peter 2:12 NIV

- **Do not whine or argue**

*Do everything without complaining and arguing, so that no one can criticize you. Live clean, innocent lives as children of God, shining like bright lights in a world full of crooked and perverse people.*

- Philippians 2:14-15 NLT

- **Do not be Rebellious**

*Submit yourselves for the Lord's sake to every human authority: whether to the emperor, as the supreme authority.*

- 1 Peter 2:13 NIV

- **Honor God first and Respect human authority**