

# BIBLE STUDY 101

## What Is Perfection

**G5046**

τέλειος

teleios

**Thayer Definition:**

- 1) brought to its end, finished
- 2) wanting nothing necessary to completeness
- 3) perfect
- 4) that which is perfect
  - 4a) consummate human integrity and virtue
  - 4b) of men
    - 4b1) full grown, adult, of full age, mature

**Part of Speech:** adjective

**A Related Word by Thayer's/Strong's Number:** from [G5056](#)

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Define perfect, as pertaining to the conscience (*Hebrews 9:9*)

What is eternal redemption (Hebrews 9:12)

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ἄφεσις

aphesis

**Thayer Definition:**

- 1) release from bondage or imprisonment
- 2) forgiveness or pardon, of sins (letting them go as if they had never been committed),  
remission of the penalty

**Part of Speech:** noun feminine

Based on these two segments of scripture, how would **you** define perfection?  
Compare Luke 6:27-36 with Matthew 5:38-48

Can you think of another word that would mean perfection/completeness?