

## SALVATION

### BAPTISM

**Rom 6:3-5** — Or do you not know that as many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? Therefore *we were buried with Him through baptism into death*, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even *so we also should walk in newness of life*. For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly WE ALSO SHALL BE IN THE LIKENESS OF HIS RESURRECTION.

**Mark 16:15-16** — And He said to them, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. HE WHO BELIEVES AND IS BAPTIZED WILL BE SAVED...”

**Acts 2:38** — Then Peter said to them, “REPENT, *and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission (forgiveness) of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.*

**1 Pet 3:20-21** — ...the longsuffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water. There is also an antitype *which now saves us, namely baptism...*

### BELIEVE

**Acts 16:30-31** — And he brought them out and said, “Sirs, what must I do to be saved?” So they said, “*Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved, you and your household.*”

**John 3:15, 16, 18, 36** — “*...whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.*

He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. *He who believes in the Son has everlasting life; and he who does not believe the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him.*”

**John 5:24; 6:40, 47** — “Most assuredly, I say to you, *he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life. And this is the will of Him who sent Me, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him may have everlasting life; AND I WILL RAISE HIM UP AT THE LAST DAY. Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me has everlasting life.*”

**John 11:25-26** — Jesus said to her, “*I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die....*”

**John 17:3** — “*And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.*”

**Rom 6:23** — For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Rom 10:9-13** — *...if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes to righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made to salvation. For the Scripture says, “Whoever believes on Him will not be put to shame.” For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek, for the same Lord over all is rich to all who call upon Him. For whoever calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.*”

**Eph 2:8** — For *by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God.*

**Titus 3:7** — that having been *justified by His grace we should become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.*

### COMMANDMENTS

**Mat 7:21-23** — “Not everyone who says to Me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ shall enter the kingdom of heaven, BUT HE WHO DOES THE WILL OF MY FATHER IN HEAVEN. Many will say to Me in that day, ‘Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?’ *And then I will declare to them, ‘I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice LAWLESSNESS!’*”

**Mat 19:16-17** — Now behold, one came and said to Him, “*Good Teacher, what good thing shall I do that I may have eternal life?*” So He said to him, “Why do you call Me good? No one is good but One, that is, God. But IF YOU WANT TO ENTER INTO LIFE, KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS.” (also: Mark 10:17-19.)

**John 12:50** — “And I know that *His command is everlasting life....*”

**1 Cor 6:9** — *Do you not know that the unrighteous will NOT inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived....*

**1 Pet 4:18** — Now “IF THE RIGHTEOUS ONE IS SCARCELY SAVED, WHERE WILL THE UNGODLY AND THE SINNER APPEAR?”

**Rev 22:14** — *Blessed are those who DO HIS COMMANDMENTS, that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city.*

## CONVERTED

**Mat 18:1-4** — At that time the disciples came to Jesus, saying, “Who then is greatest in the kingdom of heaven?” And Jesus called a little child to Him, set him in the midst of them, and said, “Assuredly, I say to you, UNLESS YOU ARE CONVERTED AND BECOME AS LITTLE CHILDREN, YOU WILL BY NO MEANS ENTER THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN. *Therefore whoever humbles himself as this little child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.*”

## DO EVIL? NO WAY!

**John 5:28-29** — “Do not marvel at this; for the hour is coming in which all who are in the graves will hear His voice and come forth—THOSE WHO HAVE DONE GOOD, TO THE RESURRECTION OF LIFE, *and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.*”

**Mat 7:19** — “*Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire.*”

**Mat 7:23** — “And then I will declare to them, ‘I NEVER KNEW YOU; DEPART FROM ME, YOU WHO PRACTICE LAWLESSNESS!’”

**1 Cor 6:9-10** — NLT — DON'T YOU KNOW THAT THOSE WHO DO WRONG WILL HAVE NO SHARE IN THE KINGDOM OF GOD? Don't fool yourselves. Those who indulge in sexual sin, who are idol worshipers, adulterers, male prostitutes, homosexuals, thieves, greedy people, drunkards, abusers, and swindlers—*none of these will have a share in the Kingdom of God.*

**Gal 5:19-21** — NLT — When you follow the desires of your sinful nature, your lives will produce these evil results: sexual immorality, impure thoughts, eagerness for lustful pleasure, idolatry, participation in demonic activi-

ties, hostility, quarreling, jealousy, outbursts of anger, selfish ambition, divisions, the feeling that everyone is wrong except those in your own little group, envy, drunkenness, wild parties, and other kinds of sin. Let me tell you again, as I have before, that ANYONE LIVING THAT SORT OF LIFE WILL NOT INHERIT THE KINGDOM OF GOD.

**Eph 5:5** — WEB — KNOW THIS FOR SURE, *that no sexually immoral person, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God.*

**Heb 10:26-29** — *For if we sin willfully after we have received the knowledge of the truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins, but a certain fearful expectation of judgment, and fiery indignation which will devour the adversaries. Anyone who has rejected Moses' law dies without mercy on the testimony of two or three witnesses. Of how much worse punishment, do you suppose, will he be thought worthy who has trampled the Son of God underfoot, counted the blood of the covenant by which he was sanctified a common thing, and insulted the Spirit of grace?*

**1 John 3:15** — WHOEVER HATES HIS BROTHER IS A MURDERER, *and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him.*

**Rev 21:8** — “But the cowardly, unbelieving, abominable, murderers, sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars *shall have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death.*”

**Rev 21:27** — BUT THERE SHALL BY NO MEANS ENTER IT [THE NEW JERUSALEM] *anything that defiles, or causes an abomination or a lie, but only those who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.*

**Rev 22:15** — But outside [the New Jerusalem] are dogs and sorcerers and sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and whoever loves and practices a lie.

**Rom 8:13** — FOR IF YOU LIVE ACCORDING TO THE FLESH YOU WILL DIE; *but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live.*

**Gal 5:24** — And those who are [truly] Christ's *have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.*

### DO GOD'S WILL

**Mat 7:21**— “Not everyone who says to Me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the WILL of My Father in heaven.”

**Mark 3:35** — “For whoever does the WILL of God is My brother and My sister and mother.”

**Heb 10:36** — For you have need of endurance, so that after you have done the WILL of God, you may receive the promise.

**1 John 2:17** — And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the WILL of God abides forever.

### DO GOOD / OBEY GOD

**John 5:25-29** — “Most assuredly, I say to you, the hour is coming, and now is, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God; and those who hear will live.... *those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.*

**Rom 11:21-22** — For if God did not spare the natural branches, He may not spare you either. Therefore consider the goodness and severity of God: On those who fell, sever-

ity; *but toward you, goodness, if you continue in His goodness. Otherwise you also will be cut off.*

**2 Cor 5:9-10** — Therefore we make it our aim, whether present or absent, to be well pleasing to Him. *For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.*

**Gal 6:8** — For HE WHO SOWS TO HIS FLESH WILL OF THE FLESH REAP CORRUPTION, *but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life.*

**Phil 2:12-13** — Therefore, my beloved, as you have always OBEYED, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, *work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; for is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.*

**James 1:12** — *Blessed is the man who endures temptation; for when he has been proved, he will receive the crown of life which the Lord has promised to those who love Him.*

**Heb 5:9** — And having been perfected, He became the author of ETERNAL SALVATION *to all who obey Him.*

**Heb 12:14** — PURSUE PEACE WITH ALL MEN, AND HOLINESS, *without which no one will see the Lord.*

**2 Pet 1:5-10** — But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge, to knowledge self-control, to self-control perseverance, to perseverance godliness, to godliness brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness love.... THEREFORE, BRETHREN, BE EVEN MORE DILIGENT TO MAKE YOUR CALLING AND ELECTION SURE, *for if you do these things you will never stumble.*

**1 Tim 2:15** — Nevertheless she [women] will be saved in childbearing *if they continue in faith, love, and holiness, with self-control.*

**1 John 1:7** — But *IF we walk in the light* as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.

**1 John 3:15** — Whoever HATES his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has *eternal life* abiding in him.

**ENDURE: HOLD FAST!**

**Mark 13:13** — “And you will be hated by all men for My name’s sake. But HE WHO ENDURES (BEARS PATIENTLY) TO THE END SHALL BE SAVED.”

**Luke 8:15** — “But the ones [seeds] that fell on the good ground are those who, having heard the word with a noble and good heart, *keep it and bear fruit with patience (endurance).*

**1 Cor 15:1-2** — Moreover, brethren, I declare to you the gospel which I preached to you, which also you received and in which you stand, by which also YOU ARE SAVED, IF YOU HOLD FAST that word which I preached to you— unless you believed in vain.

**Heb 3:14** — For we have become partakers of Christ *IF we hold the beginning of our confidence steadfast to the end.*

**Heb 10:38-39** — “Now the just shall live by faith; *but if anyone draws back, My soul has no pleasure in him.*” But we are not of those who draw back to perdition (destruction), but of those who believe to the saving of the soul.

**Rev 2:10** — “...BE FAITHFUL UNTIL DEATH, *and I will give*



*you the crown of life.”*

**Rev 3:11** — “Behold, I come quickly! HOLD FAST WHAT YOU HAVE, *that no one may take your crown.*”

### **FOLLOW CHRIST**

**John 10:7-9, 27-29** — Then Jesus said to them again, “Most assuredly, I say to you, I AM THE DOOR OF THE SHEEP.... IF ANYONE ENTERS BY ME, HE WILL BE SAVED, and will go in and out and find pasture. *My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand. My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of My Father’s hand.*”

### **FRUITS / WORKS**

**Mat 7:19** — “Every tree that does not BEAR GOOD FRUIT is cut down and thrown into the fire.”

**Mat 13:18-23** — “Therefore hear the parable of the sower: When anyone hears the word of the kingdom, and does not understand it, then the wicked one comes and snatches away what was sown in his heart. This is he who received seed by the wayside. But he who received the seed on stony places, this is he who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; yet he has no root in himself, but endures only for a while. For when tribulation or persecution arises because of the word, immediately he stumbles. Now he who received seed among the thorns is he who hears the word, and the cares of this world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and he becomes unfruitful. But he who received seed on the good ground is he who hears the word and understands it, *who indeed bears fruit* and produces: some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.” [also: Luke 8:11-15].

**Luke 3:9** — “And even now the ax is laid to the root of the trees. Therefore every tree which does not BEAR GOOD FRUIT is cut down and thrown into the fire.”

**Luke 13:9** — “And if it BEARS FRUIT, well. But if not, after that you can cut it down.”

**James 2:14, 24** — WHAT DOES IT PROFIT, MY BRETHREN, IF SOMEONE SAYS HE HAS FAITH BUT DOES NOT HAVE WORKS? *Can faith save him?* You see then that a MAN IS JUSTIFIED BY WORKS, *and not by faith only.*

**Rev 2:26** — “And he who overcomes, and *keeps My works until the end*, to him I will give power over the nations.”

**Mat 25:31-46** — “When the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then He will sit on the throne of His glory. All the nations will be gathered before Him, and He will separate them one from another, as a shepherd divides his sheep from the goats. And He will set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left. Then the King will say to those on His right hand, ‘Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me.’ Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink? When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You? Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?’ And the King will answer and say to them, ‘*Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.*’ Then He will also say to those on the left hand, ‘Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels:

‘for I was hungry and you gave Me no food; I was thirsty and you gave Me no drink; I was a stranger and you did not take Me in, naked and you did not clothe Me, sick and in prison and you did not visit Me.’ Then they also will answer Him, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see You hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to You?’ Then He will answer them, saying, ‘*Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.*’ AND THESE WILL GO AWAY INTO EVERLASTING PUNISHMENT, BUT THE RIGHTEOUS INTO ETERNAL LIFE.”

### Lay Down Life

**Mark 8:35** — “For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but *whoever loses his life for My sake and the gospel’s will save it.*”

**Mark 10:29-30** — So Jesus answered and said, “Assuredly, I say to you, *there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My sake and the gospel’s, who shall not receive a hundredfold now in this time—houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions—and in the age to come, eternal life.*”

**John 12:25** — “He who loves his life will lose it, and *he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life.*”

### Love

**Luke 10:25-28** — And behold, a certain lawyer stood up and tested Him, saying, “TEACHER, WHAT SHALL I DO TO INHERIT ETERNAL LIFE?” He said to him, “What is written in the law? What is your reading of it?” So he answered and said, “‘*You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind,*’ and ‘*your neighbor as yourself.*’” And He

said to him, “You have answered rightly; do this and you will live.”

**1 Cor 13:1-3** — Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I have become as sounding brass or a clanging cymbal. And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, but *have not love, I am nothing*. And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, but *have not love, it profits me nothing*.

### OBEY GOSPEL

**Rom 10:16** — But they have not all *obeyed the gospel*. For Isaiah says, “Lord, who has believed our report?”

**Mat 13:23** — “But he who received seed on the good ground *is he who hears the word [the gospel] and understands it*, who indeed BEARS FRUIT and produces: Some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.”

**1 Cor 15:1-2** — Moreover, brethren, I declare to you the GOSPEL which I preached to you, which also you received and in which you stand, by which also *you are saved if you hold fast* that word which I preached to you—unless you believed in vain.

**2 Thes 1:6-8** — ...it is a righteous thing with God to repay with tribulation those who trouble you, and to give you who are troubled rest with us when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty angels, in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God, and on those who do not OBEY THE GOSPEL of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**1 Pet 4:17** — For the time has come for judgment to begin

at the house of God; and if it begins with us first, what will be the end of those who do not OBEY THE GOSPEL of God?

### **Of the Jews**

**John 4:22** — “You worship what you do not know; we know what we worship, for SALVATION IS OF THE JEWS.

### **OVERCOME**

**Rev 2:7** — “He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who OVERCOMES I will give to eat from the tree of life, which is in the midst of the Paradise of God.”

**Rev 2:11** — “...He who OVERCOMES shall not be hurt by the second death.”

**Rev 2:17** — “...To him who OVERCOMES I will give some of the hidden manna to eat. And I will give him a white stone, and on the stone a new name written which no one knows except him who receives it.”

**Rev 2:26-28** — “And he who OVERCOMES, and keeps My works until the end, to him I will give power over the nations—‘He shall rule them with a rod of iron; as the potter’s vessels shall be broken to pieces’—as I also have received from My Father; and I will give him the morning star.”

**Rev 3:5** — “He who OVERCOMES shall be clothed in white garments, and I will not blot out his name from the Book of Life; but I will confess his name before My Father and before His angels.”

**Rev 3:12** — “He who OVERCOMES, I will make him a pillar in the temple of My God, and he shall go out no more. And I will write on him the name of My God and the name of

the city of My God, the New Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from My God. And I will write on him My new name.”

**Rev 3:21** — “To him who OVERCOMES I will grant to sit with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with My Father on His throne.”

**Rev 21:7** — “He who OVERCOMES shall inherit all things, and I will be his God and he shall be My son.”

### REPENT

**Luke 13:3 & 5** — “...unless you REPENT you will all likewise perish.”

**Acts 2:38** — Then Peter said to them, “REPENT, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.”

**2 Cor 7:9-10** — Now I rejoice, not that you were made sorry, but that your sorrow led to REPENTANCE. For you were made sorry in a godly manner, that you might suffer loss from us in nothing. For godly sorrow produces REPENTANCE to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death.

### SAVED BY CHRIST’S LIFE

**Rom 5:10** — For if when we were enemies *we were RECONCILED to God through the DEATH of His Son*, much more, having been reconciled, *we shall be SAVED by His LIFE*.

### SAVED NOW? NO WAY!

**1 Tim 4:16** — Take heed to yourself and to the doctrine. CONTINUE IN THEM, for in doing this you will save

both yourself and those who hear you.

**Mark 13:13** — “...But HE WHO ENDURES (BEARS PATIENTLY) TO THE END SHALL BE SAVED.”

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### SAVIORS

**Obadiah 1:21** — Then *saviors* shall come to Mount Zion to judge the mountains of Esau, and the kingdom shall be the Lord's.

*See also: Commandments; Law; Works; Ten Commandments; Faith Only?*