

Sharing the Message of Salvation



The Eternal God Made Us and Loves Us

God _____ all things. (*Gen. 1:1; Acts 17:24*)

God is _____. (*Isa. 6:3*)

God is the _____ of the Bible. (*2 Tim. 3:16; 2 Pet. 1:20, 21*)

God _____ you and me. (*Jer. 31:3; John 3:16*.)

[Link: “But there is one thing that keeps you apart from God. That is sin.”]



All People are Sinners and Need Salvation

The Bible declares that we have _____. (*Rom. 3:23; Isa. 53:6; Rom. 3:10*)

We _____ many sinful things. (*Ps. 58:3*)

We are born with the “_____ - _____” to sin. (*Ps. 51:5*)

Sin _____ us from God now and forever. (*Rom. 6:23; Isa. 59:2*)

Only God can save us from sin’s _____. (*Titus 3:5; Eph. 2:8, 9*)

[Link: “God has a wonderful plan so you and I don’t have to be punished for our sins.”]



God Provides Salvation through Jesus Christ

Who is Jesus?

Jesus is _____. (*Colossians 2:9, 1 John 5:20, Matthew 16:16*)

Jesus was a _____ man. (*Heb. 4:15; 2 Cor. 5:21*)

What did Jesus do?

Jesus willingly _____ to take our punishment for sin, was _____ and _____ again and was seen. (*1 Cor. 15:3–5a; Heb. 9:22b; Rev. 1:5b; 1 John 1:7b*)

Jesus has a position of high honor in _____ with God the Father where He rules as King over all. (*Phil. 2:9*)

What does Jesus offer?

Salvation—a _____ paid for by the _____ and _____ of the Lord Jesus Christ. (*Eph. 2:8; Rom. 6:23*)

[Link: “And now because of what the Lord Jesus did for you, you can have your sins forgiven.”]



Salvation Must Be Appropriated

The Lord Jesus Christ must be received personally for salvation.

God’s _____ is to come.

God says:

“...to all who did receive him, who **believed** in his name”. (*John 1:12*)

“...whoever **believes** in him...” (*John 3:15, 16*)

“...**Believe** in the Lord Jesus...” (*Acts 16:31*)

“Everyone who **calls** [believes] on the name of the Lord...” (*Rom. 10:13*)

Man’s response is _____.

He must:

Recognize and agree with God that he is a sinner and cannot save himself.

Put his complete trust in Jesus by believing the Lord Jesus died on the cross and was buried and rose again to take the punishment for sin.

Respond to God’s gift of salvation, being willing to turn from sin to God. (*Acts 3:19*)

Assurance of salvation must be based on the Word of God.

[Link: “When you become God’s child, you can get to know Him better.”]



The new believer can begin to grow

in his new life as God’s child.

Read 2 Peter 3:18:

To grow in grace means that God works in you to change you so you can live in a way that honors Him. To grow in knowledge is to learn more about God – Who He is and what He is like. God the Holy Spirit is the one who will help you grow in grace and knowledge.

G - Go to church; R - Read the Bible and pray; O - Obey God; W - Witness to others