

The Death of Jesus Christ

Luke 18:31-33

- Then He took the twelve aside and said to them, "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and all things that are written by the prophets concerning the Son of Man will be accomplished. For He will be delivered to the Gentiles and will be mocked and insulted and spit upon. They will scourge *Him* and kill Him. And the third day He will rise again."



Luke 18:34

- But **they understood none of these things**; this saying was hidden from them, and they did not know the things which were spoken.



John 12:27

- " Now My soul is troubled, and what shall I say? 'Father, save Me from this hour'? But for this purpose I came to this hour.



Zechariah 9:9

- " Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, **your King** is coming to you; He *is* just and having salvation, Lowly and riding on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey.



Isaiah 53:11

- He shall see the labor of His soul, *and* be satisfied. By His knowledge My righteous Servant shall justify many, For He shall bear their iniquities.



Hebrews 12:2

- looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of *our* faith, who for **the joy** that was set before Him **endured the cross**, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.



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Matthew 20:28

- "just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."



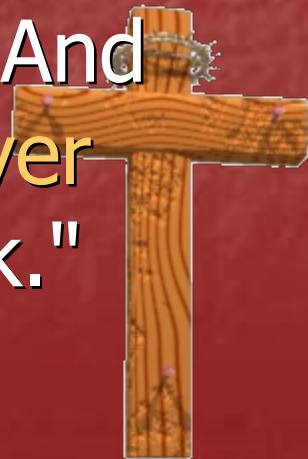
The Single Sacrifice

- **Hebrews 10:12** But this Man, after He had offered one sacrifice for sins forever, sat down at the right hand of God,



His Priestly Appointment

- **Hebrews 7:28** For the law appoints as high priests men who have weakness, but **the word of the oath**, which came after the law, **appoints the Son** who has been perfected forever.
- **Psalms 110:4** The LORD **has sworn** And will not relent, "**You are a priest forever** According to the order of Melchizedek."



A New Agreement

- **Matthew 26:27-28** Then He took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave *it* to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. For this is **My blood of the new covenant**, which is shed for many for the remission of sins.
- **Hebrews 12:24** to Jesus **the Mediator of the new covenant**, and to the blood of sprinkling that speaks better things than *that of Abel*.



Complete, Eternal Forgiveness

- **Colossians 1:14** in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.
- **Hebrews 9:12** Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption.



Reconciliation

- **Colossians 1:19-20** For it pleased *the Father that* in Him all the fullness should dwell, and **by Him to reconcile all things** to Himself, by Him, whether things on earth or things in heaven, **having made peace** through the blood of His cross.



Reconciliation

- **Romans 5:10-11** 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. And not only *that*, but we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom **we have now received the reconciliation.**



Cleansing from Sin

- **Revelation 1:5** and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead, and the ruler over the kings of the earth. To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood,
- **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.



Righteous Standing (Justification)

- **Romans 5:9** Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.
- **Galatians 2:21** "I do not set aside the grace of God; for if righteousness comes through the law, then Christ died in vain."



Sanctification

- **Hebrews 10:10** By that will we have been sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once *for all*.
- **Hebrews 13:12** Therefore Jesus also, that He might sanctify the people with His own blood, suffered outside the gate.
- **Hebrews 10:14** For by one offering He has perfected forever those who are being sanctified.



Eternal Life

- **John 6:47-48** "Most assuredly, I say to you, **he who believes in Me has everlasting life.** I am the bread of life.
- **John 6:51** "I am the living bread which came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, **he will live forever;** and the bread that I shall give is My flesh, which I shall give **for the life of the world."**



Eternal Salvation

- **1 Thessalonians 5:9** For God did not appoint us to wrath, but **to obtain salvation** through our Lord Jesus Christ,
- **Hebrews 5:9** And having been perfected, He became **the author of eternal salvation** to all who obey Him,



Effective Salvation

- **Hebrews 7:24-25** But He, because He continues forever, has an unchangeable priesthood. Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.



Eternal Inheritance

- **Hebrews 9:15** And for this reason He is the Mediator of the new covenant, by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions under the first covenant, that those who are called may receive the promise of the eternal inheritance.



Entrance to God's Presence

- **1 Peter 3:18** For Christ also suffered once for sins, the just for the unjust, **that He might bring us to God**, being put to death in the flesh but made alive by the Spirit,



Benefits Unavailable without Jesus' Death

- Effective, single sacrifice
- New Covenant
- Complete, eternal forgiveness
- Reconciliation
- Cleansing from sin
- Righteous standing (justification)
- Sanctification
- Eternal life
- Eternal salvation
- Effective salvation, advocacy
- Eternal inheritance
- Access to God's presence



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Jesus' Death Fulfilled Prophecies

- **1 Peter 1:10-11** Of this salvation **the prophets** have inquired and searched carefully, who **prophesied of the grace that would come to you**, searching what, or what manner of time, the Spirit of Christ who was in them was indicating when He **testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ and the glories that would follow.**



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- **Luke 24:46** Then He said to them, "Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day,
- **John 2:19** Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up."



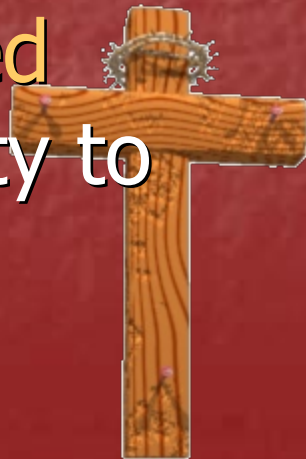
Triumph over Evil Powers

- **Hebrews 2:14** Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might **destroy him who had the power of death**, that is, the devil,
- **Colossians 2:15** Having **disarmed principalities and powers**, He made a public spectacle of them, **triumphing over them** in it [the cross].



Complete Victory over Death

- **Romans 6:9** knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, **dies no more**. **Death no longer has dominion over Him**.
- **2 Timothy 1:10** but [grace] has now been revealed by the appearing of our Savior Jesus Christ, **who has abolished death** and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel,



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- **Revelation 1:18** "I *am* He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death.
- **Revelation 21:4** "And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away."



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Tell about it

- **Luke 24:46-47** Then He said to them, "Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.



Treat others as you would treat Jesus

- **Romans 14:15** Yet if your brother is grieved because of *your* food, you are no longer walking in love. Do not destroy with your food the one for whom Christ died.
- **1 Corinthians 8:11** And because of your knowledge shall the weak brother perish, for whom Christ died?



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- **Acts 20:28** "Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd **the church of God which He purchased with His own blood.**



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- **1 Peter 1:18-19** knowing that **you were** not **redeemed** with corruptible things, *like* silver or gold, from your aimless conduct *received* by tradition from your fathers, but **with the precious blood of Christ**, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot.



Walk in love

- **Ephesians 5:1-2** Therefore be imitators of God as dear children. And **walk in love**, as **Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us**, an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling aroma.



Stay away from sin

- **1 Peter 4:1-2** Therefore, since Christ suffered for us in the flesh, **arm yourselves also with the same mind**, for he who has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin, that **he no longer should live the rest of *his* time in the flesh for the lusts of men**, but for the will of God.
- **Romans 13:14** But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and **make no provision for the flesh, to *fulfill its* lusts.**



Come near to God

- **Hebrews 10:19-22** Therefore, brethren, having boldness to **enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus**, by a **new and living way** which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh, and *having* a High Priest over the house of God, **let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith**, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.



Jesus' Death shows God's love

- **Romans 5:8** But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
- **John 3:16** "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.



A Costly Death

- **2 Corinthians 8:9** For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that **though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor**, that you through His poverty might become rich.
- **Hebrews 2:9** But we see Jesus, who was **made a little lower than the angels**, for the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor, that He, by the grace of God, might taste death for everyone.



A Costly Death

- **Philippians 2:6-8** who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, *and* coming in the likeness of men. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to *the point of* death, even the death of the cross.



A Costly Death

- **Hebrews 2:18** For in that He Himself has suffered, being tempted, He is able to aid those who are tempted.
- **Luke 22:44** And being in agony, He prayed more earnestly. Then His sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground.



A Costly Death

- **Hebrews 5:7-8** who, in the days of His flesh, when He had offered up prayers and supplications, with vehement cries and tears to Him who was able to save Him from death, and was heard because of His godly fear, though He was a Son, yet He learned obedience by the things which He suffered.



A Serious Warning

- **1 Corinthians 11:26-27** For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, **you proclaim the Lord's death** till He comes. Therefore whoever eats this bread or drinks *this* cup of the Lord **in an unworthy manner** will be **guilty of the body and blood of the Lord.**



Acts 13:38-39

- "Therefore let it be known to you, brethren, that **through this Man** is preached to you the **forgiveness of sins**; and by Him everyone who believes is **justified from all things from which you could not be justified by the law of Moses.**



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