

Pastor Paul's Newsletter
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The Value of the Blood of Jesus!

Jesus' blood has taken away the born-again Christian's sins so that God can treat them like they have never sinned. Let's look at some Scriptures in the Bible that show us how powerful the blood of Jesus is.

Romans 5:8-10 AMPC But God shows and clearly proves His [own] love for us by the fact that while we were still sinners, Christ (the Messiah, the Anointed One) died for us. [9] Therefore, since we are now justified (acquitted, made righteous, and brought into right relationship with God) by Christ's blood, how much more [certain is it that] we shall be saved by Him from the indignation and wrath of God. [10] For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, it is much more [certain], now that we are reconciled, that we shall be saved (daily delivered from sin's dominion) through His [resurrection] life.

In these Scriptures we see clearly that we are restored back to right relationship with God by the blood of Jesus. Always remember that God never wanted to punish us for our sin, and that is why Jesus came to be punished in our place. The born-again Christian should always remember that if they have faith in Jesus' blood remitting their sins, that they can now come boldly into His presence to receive help to live the life He wants them to live. I've seen many Christians have more faith in their sin than they have in Jesus' blood that remits their sin. It seems like they are so focused on their sins that now their sins have more power than the blood of Jesus to remove the sins. Now let's look at some Scriptures that bear this out.

Ephesians 1:5-7 KJV Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will, [6] To the praise of the glory of His grace, wherein He hath made us accepted in the Beloved. [7] In Whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace;

2:12-13 KJV That at that time ye were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope, and without God in the world: [13] But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ.

Colossians 1:13-14 KJV Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of His dear Son: [14] In Whom we have redemption through His blood, even the forgiveness of sins:

1:19-22 KJV For it pleased the Father that in Him should all fulness dwell; [20] And, having made peace through the blood of His cross, by Him to reconcile all things unto Himself; by Him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in Heaven. [21] And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now hath He reconciled [22] In the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unproveable in His sight:

I want you to read and study these next few verses, and we will teach on them next week.

Hebrews 9:11-28 NLT So Christ has now become the High Priest over all the good things that have come. He has entered that greater, more perfect Tabernacle in Heaven, which was not made by human hands and is not part of this created world. [12] With His own blood-not the blood of goats and calves-He entered the Most Holy Place once for all time and secured our redemption forever. [13] Under the old system, the blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer could cleanse people's bodies from ceremonial impurity. [14] Just think how much more the blood of Christ will purify our consciences from sinful deeds so that we can worship the living God. For by the power of the eternal Spirit, Christ offered Himself to God as a perfect sacrifice for our sins. [15] That is why He is the One who mediates a new covenant between God and people, so that all who are called can receive the eternal inheritance God has promised them. For Christ died to set them free from the penalty of the sins they had committed under that first covenant. [16] Now when someone leaves a will, it is necessary to prove that the person who made it is dead. [17] The will goes into effect only after the person's death. While the person who made it is still alive, the will cannot be put into effect. [18] That is why even the first covenant was put into effect with the blood of an animal. [19] For after Moses had read each of God's commandments to all the people, he took the blood of calves and goats, along with water, and sprinkled both the book of God's law and all the people, using hyssop branches and scarlet wool. [20] Then he said, "This blood confirms the covenant God has made with you." [21] And in the same way, he sprinkled blood on the Tabernacle and on everything used for worship. [22] In fact, according to the law of Moses, nearly everything was purified with blood. For without the shedding of blood, there is no forgiveness. [23] That is why the Tabernacle and everything in it, which were copies of things in Heaven, had to be purified by the blood of animals. But the real things in Heaven had to be purified with far better sacrifices than the blood of animals. [24] For Christ did not enter into a holy place made with human hands, which was only a copy of the true one in Heaven. He entered into Heaven itself to appear now

before God on our behalf. [25] And He did not enter Heaven to offer Himself again and again, like the high priest here on earth who enters the Most Holy Place year after year with the blood of an animal. [26] If that had been necessary, Christ would have had to die again and again, ever since the world began. But now, once for all time, He has appeared at the end of the age to remove sin by His own death as a sacrifice. [27] And just as each person is destined to die once and after that comes judgment, [28] so also Christ was offered once for all time as a sacrifice to take away the sins of many people. He will come again, not to deal with our sins, but to bring salvation to all who are eagerly waiting for Him.

Remember Jesus blotted out our sins with His blood.

Love you,
Pastor Paul

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday Zechariah 14

Tuesday Malachi 1

Wednesday Malachi 2

Thursday Malachi 3

Friday Malachi 4

Saturday Matthew 1

Sunday Matthew 2