At the Core

Rediscovering the essential teachings of Christianity

"Misson Accomplished: What Jesus' death did for You"

Selected Scriptures

Energizing your faith in Christ to live biblical truth

1. Jesus' death on the cross: Reconciled you to God through the sacrifice of Christ.

"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."

Romans 5:10

"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."

Colossians 1:19-20



"Therefore remember that you, once Gentiles in the flesh—who are called Uncircumcision by what is called the Circumcision made in the flesh by hands—that at that time you 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. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ."

Ephesians 2:11-13

"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"

1 Peter 3:18



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2. Jesus' sacrifice on the cross:

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"In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace"

Ephesians 1:7

"For this is My blood of the new covenant, which is shed for many for the remission of sins."

Matthew 26:28

"In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins."

1 John 4:10



The scapegoat and the sacrificial lamb played crucial roles in the Day of Atonement, each serving to atone for the sins of the people.

The scapegoat, was sent into the wilderness to carry away the sins of the people, symbolizing the removal of sin.

The sacrificial lamb symbolized atonement for sin.

Jesus Christ did both by offering His own life to atone for the sins of humanity and took sins far away.

Jesus has been sacrificed and "scapegoated" for us.







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3. Jesus' atonement on the cross:

Broke the bondage of the sinful nature in the life of the believer.

"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."

Romans 6:4

"For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection, knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin. For he who has died has been freed from sin."

Romans 6:5-7



"Jesus answered them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, whoever commits sin is a slave of sin. And a slave does not abide in the house forever, but a son abides forever.

Therefore if the Son makes you free, you shall be free indeed."

John 8:34-36



"I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." Galatians 2:20



Biblical victory over your sinful nature looks like putting off and putting on:

"...if indeed you have heard Him and have been taught by Him, as the truth is in Jesus: that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that you put on the new man which was created according to God, in true righteousness and holiness."

Ephesians 4:21-24

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"But now you yourselves are to put off all these: anger, wrath, malice, blasphemy, filthy language out of your mouth. Do not lie to one another, since you have put off the old man with his deeds, and have put on the new man who is renewed in knowledge according to the image of Him who created him" Colossians 3:8-10

