



Saved By The

Grace of God



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Opening Verse

8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:

9 Not of works, lest any man should boast.

10 For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them.

– **Ephesians 2:8-10**



What is Grace?

- II.* good will, loving-kindness, favour
 - A.* of the merciful kindness by which God, exerting his holy influence upon souls, turns them to Christ, keeps, strengthens, increases them in Christian faith, knowledge, affection, and kindles them to the exercise of the Christian virtues
- III.* what is due to grace
 - A.* the spiritual condition of one governed by the power of divine grace
 - B.* the token or proof of grace, benefit
 - i.* a gift of grace
 - ii.* benefit, bounty



Faith

What is THROUGH Faith?

Jesus Christ the Son of God is the door way to salvation. We must believe in Him and His work on the cross.

9 I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.

John 10:9



Jesus Christ the Son of God



Not of Yourselves

Old Covenant

The Day of Atonement which was once every year they had to sacrifice animals for the forgiveness of sins.

Leviticus 16

Law/works



New Covenant

We do not need to sacrifice animals because Jesus Christ is the sacrificial lamb of God. His death, burial, and resurrection was the atonement for our sins.

Faith



Before Faith It Was The Works of the Mosaic Law

22 But the scripture has imprisoned all things under the power of sin, so that what was promised through the *faith of Jesus Christ* might be given to those who believe.

23 Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed.

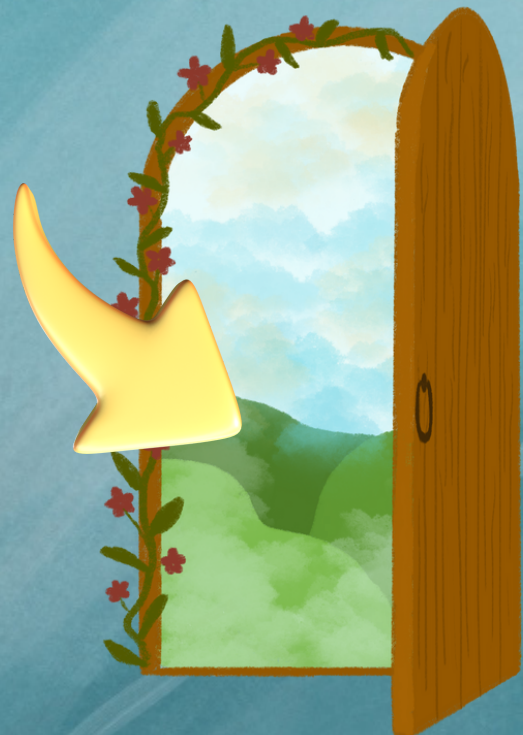
– Galatians 3:22-23

Not of Works

Faith



Repent



Believe in Jesus



Confess



Baptized

Love Jesus



Obey Law of Christ

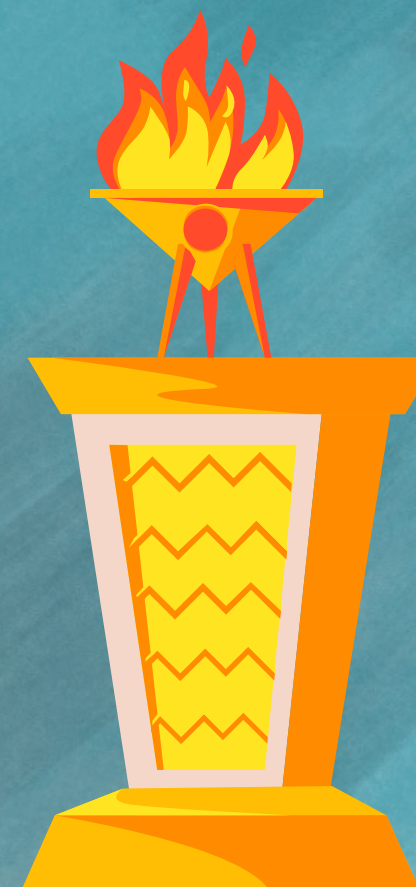
WORKS



Circumcised



Confess sins



Law of Moses

What is Necessary for Salvation?

- Repent
- Believe
- Confess
- Baptized
- Love Jesus (Obey Him)



Jesus & Paul on Confession

32 Whosoever therefore **shall confess** *me before men*, him *will I confess* also *before my Father* which is in heaven.

33 But whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father which is in heaven.

Matthew 10:32-33 KJV

9 That if thou **shalt confess** with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and **shalt believe** in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

10 For with the heart **man believeth unto righteousness**; and **with the mouth confession is made unto salvation**.

Romans 10:9-10 KJV

Apostle John on Confession

14 And we have seen and do testify that **the Father** sent **the Son** to be the Saviour of the world.

15 Whosoever **shall confess** that ***Jesus is the Son of God,*** **God dwelleth in him,** and he in God.

1 John 4:14-15 KJV

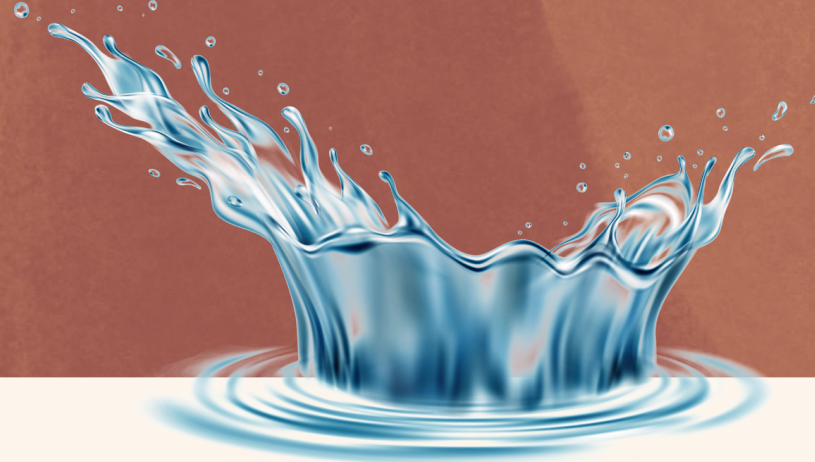
Non Confession No Salvation

42 Nevertheless among the chief rulers also many believed on him; but because of the Pharisees *they* did not *confess him*, lest they should be put out of the synagogue:

John 12:42 KJV

“No Salvation by FAITH ALONE.”

Water Baptism



5 Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of **water** and of the **Spirit**, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

John 3:5 KJV



16 He that **believeth** and **is baptized** **shall be saved**; but he that believeth not shall be damned.

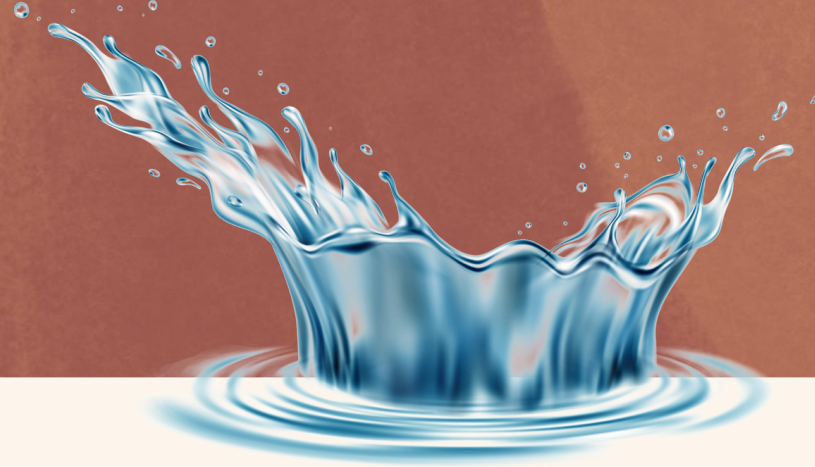
Mark 16:16 KJV



21 The like figure whereunto even **baptism doth also now save us** (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God,) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ:

1 Peter 3:21 KJV

Water Baptism 2



3 Know ye not, that so many of us as were **baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death?**

4 Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we *also should walk in newness of life.*

Romans 6:3-4 KJV



5 he saved us, not because of any works of righteousness that we had done, but according to his mercy, **through the water of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.**

Titus 3:5 NRSV

Love Jesus

15 “If you **love me**, you will keep my commandments.

John 14:15 NRSV

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21 They who **have my commandments and keep them** are **those who love me**, and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.” 23 Jesus answered him, “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. 24 Whoever does not love me does not keep my words, and the word that you hear is not mine but is from the Father who sent me.

John 14:21-24 NRSV

We must love Jesus for salvation

22 Let *anyone be accursed* who has no love
for the Lord. Our Lord, come!

1 Corinthians 16:22 NRSV



Have *Faith*

Believe What You Read!

