Definition of "Foundation":
Moral / Spiritual:
Natural:
<b>The Foundation</b> . 1 Cor 3:11 "For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ."
The importance of a foundation Salvation = Acts 4:11-12
Growth - 2 Peter 3:18
Knowledge - Proverbs 1:7:
Wisdom - Proverbs 9:10:
The benefits of that right foundation Psalm 1:1-3
Luke 6:48-49
Jesus is the light. John 1:6-8 "
John 8:12
That Light has a purpose: John 12:46
Eph 5:13
Jesus is the Foundation
How does God's Light illuminate? 1 Cor 4:4
1 Cor 4:6
What is salvation?

What does salvation bring? Heaven - Rev 21:1, 4 Eternal Life - John 10:28

John 17:3

Adoption - 1 John 3:1

Romans 8:16

Power over Sin -1 John 3:6

Galatians 5:16

1 John 3:9:

Seal and guarantee - 2 Cor 1:22

Spirit of God with in us – Freedom to Obey - Colossians 1:9 -13

1 Corinthians 3:16

Justification in the sight of God - Galatians 3:24 (Justified by faith) Into the favor and love of God – Eph 1:6 (in the beloved)
A new heart – Romans 5:5 (Spirit in our heart)
Grace – Jude 24 (kept from stumbling)

## What are we saved from?

Hell (A place of eternal suffering. Wrath of God) - Rev 20:13 -14

**Death** (Position of eternal separation from God. (Spiritual)) Wages of Sin - Romans: 6:23

Guilt of sin – Romans 3:24 Wrath of God – Romans 1:8 Curse of the law – Romans 8:2 Evil conscience – Hebrews 10:22 Evil heart – Matthew 12:35 Fear of death – Hebrews 2:15 Satan's power – Acts 26:18

## What is the Gospel?

The Gospel is made up of four parts.

God

God is Holy. - Rev 4:8

God is Light: 1 John 1:5

### Man

According to man we define God (we are god) Romans 1:23

According to God we all are sinners. Romans 3:10

Romans 3:23

According to God, we sin as an act of our will. Isaiah 53:6

Romans 1:22-23, 25

According to God, Sin rules in our Flesh. Romans 8:5a, 8

According to God, sin makes us evil. Romans 7:19

According to God, sin puts us in darkness - 1 John 1:6

# **Christ (Redemption)**

John 3: 16-

Romans 1:17

Romans 6:10

Romans 6:23

John 17:3

Ephesians 2:8,9

Acts 16:31

## Our Response: Believe on the LORD Jesus Christ

Romans 10:8, 9

1 Cor 15: 1-4

**REPENT - Matthew 4:17** 

## Get Baptized - Mark 16:16

Baptism is not a requirement to be saved, but it is a requirement of salvation.

#### **Assurance of Salvation**

1 John 5: 11-13

Romans 8:1-2

Romans 8:10-11

Romans 8:16-17

Isaiah 49:16

John 10: 28-30

New Creation = New perspective

Can you right now truly say, "I am born again. Jesus is my Savior and My Lord"?

What if I sin after I am born again? 1 John 5:11-13 & 1 John 1:9

Does that mean I can sin as much as I want? - Romans 6:1-4

## The Foundation of Christianity is Christ

His Word - Our Source of Knowledge

His Words - Our Source of Wisdom

His Work - Our Source of Forgiveness

His Blood - Our Source of Justification

His Resurrection - Our Source of Hope

His Righteousness - Our Source of Eternal Life

His Prayers - Our Source of Fulfillment

His Spirit - Our Source of Power

His Presence - Our Source of Peace

Himself - Our Source of Everlasting Love