

The Door to Salvation and Abundant Life



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OUR PURPOSE: To be a community of believers where, no matter who you are, you can experience life change through Jesus Christ.

Jesus is the door to salvation and abundant life for all who believe.

1. God's Plan Is a PEOPLE for Himself

9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. 10 Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

—1 Peter 2:9-10 (ESV)

2. The Pharisees Believed They Were the GATEKEEPERS of the People of God.

35 Jesus heard that they had cast him out, and having found him he said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?" 36 He answered, "And who is he, sir, that I may believe in him?" 37 Jesus said to him, "You have seen him, and it is he who is speaking to you." 38 He said, "Lord, I believe," and he worshiped him.

—John 9:35-38 (ESV)

So Jesus again said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep.

—John 10:7 (ESV)

3. Jesus Is the DOOR

8 All who came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them. 9 I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture.

—John 10:8-9 (ESV)

A. To SALVATION

B. To ABUNDANT Life

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

—John 10:10 (ESV)