

# GOD'S SIMPLE PLAN OF SALVATION FROM JOHN



**Why did Jesus die?**

## **1. Man by nature does evil (wrong).**

**It is not hard to admit that we all have done things that we know is wrong, but yet we do them anyway. That is called sin! We all are guilty of it we have been doing it since we were born.**

John 3:19 “And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.”



**We are all sinners!**

## **2. By that nature we are condemned.**

John 6:40 “And this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life: and I will raise him up at the last day.”

John 3:18 “He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.”

John 3:36 “...and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him.”



**There is a cost for sin!**

### **3. Jesus was in the world and he died for us.**

John 14:6 “Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.”

John 3:17 For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

John 1:10,12 “He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name:”

### **4. Salvation is a free gift, not by good works. You must take God’s word for it, and trust Jesus alone!**

Salvation is trusting and receiving Jesus Christ as your Savior. It's trusting in the fact that Jesus Christ died on the cross of Calvary to pay for your sins! It's realizing there is absolutely nothing whatsoever you can do to save yourself and *completely* trusting in Jesus Christ to save you! It's not any church that saves. It's not any baptism, not good works, not sacraments, not repenting, not praying through, not living a good life — **IT'S NOT ANYTHING YOU CAN DO!**

Ephesians 2:8-9 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast.

Titus 3:5 Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;

Acts 4:12 Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.

## **5. You must believe on the Lord and you will have everlasting life!**

John 5:24 “Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.”

John 6:47 “Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life.”

John 10:28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.



*If you want to accept Jesus Christ as your Savior and receive forgiveness from God, here is prayer you can pray. Saying this prayer or any other prayer will not save you. It is only trusting in Jesus Christ that can provide forgiveness of sins. This prayer is simply a way to express to God your faith in Him and thank Him for providing for your forgiveness.*



"Lord,

**I know that I am a sinner. I know that I deserve the consequences of my sin which is death and hell. However, I am trusting in Jesus Christ as my Savior. I believe that His death and resurrection provided for my forgiveness. I trust in Jesus and Jesus alone as my personal Lord and Savior. Thank you Lord, for saving me and forgiving me! Amen!"**

**If you just prayed that prayer — according to the Word of God — YOU ARE SAVED! HALLELUJAH!**

You say, but I don't feel any different. Guess what? Your salvation does not depend on your feeling. **It ALL depends on doing what God SAID!**

God said if you receive and trust in Jesus Christ you are saved. Notice it does NOT say you "might" or "could" be saved — but "shall be saved". **YOU ARE SAVED!**

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord SHALL BE SAVED. Romans 10:13

Didn't you just believe on the Lord Jesus Christ? Look at what John 3:36 says! It says you HATH EVERLASTING LIFE! Not "maybe" or "hope so" — BUT HATH — YOU ARE SAVED!

He that believeth on the Son **HATH EVERLASTING LIFE**: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him. John 3:36

Friend, if you prayed the prayer and received Jesus Christ — YOU ARE SAVED! **You did what God said — AND GOD CANNOT LIE!**