

Gospel - Light

"Send out Thy light and Thy truth: let them lead me." Ps. 43:3

«For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation...» (Romans 1:16)

Is There Justice in America?

Watching the various news media pundits it doesn't matter which party loyalists are speaking, the people are shouting about corruption! Americans are frustrated and focused on pointing their political fingers at each other. As individuals hurl their accusations at their opponents they neglect to take an honest look at humanity and at themselves.

The politicians want us to believe that if they had absolute power and control they could solve all the problems of our nation. Saying, "if the opposition could be silenced, or would cooperate fully with **"their view of government all would be well..."** That my friend is simply not true! Look in the history books

and look around the world today. The sin nature of men has always manifested itself in places of power. Not all, but many world leaders throughout time have been found committing adultery, stealing, lying, even murdering.... The difference for us in our era is that now it is more exposed and prevalent.

King Solomon, the wisest man that ever lived said, **"There is a generation that are PURE IN THEIR OWN EYES, and yet not washed from their filthiness"** (Proverbs 30:12). If you take an honest



look at yourself you will see this same depravity that has infested the whole human race. It is called the sin nature of Man!

Is there justice in America? Let me broaden that question. Is there justice on Earth? If we answer spiritually we must say, **"Yes, God is just!"** If we answer it according to the various judicial courts that

exist we would have a variety of answers. But in America and around the globe there is a universal law that applies to all. **"Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people"** (Proverbs 14:34). If

elected officials who are trusted by the people live outside of the law they should be dealt with according to the laws, regardless of their political party or their popularity. Certainly we know that this is idealistic and in many countries corruption prevails. Political favors and diplomatic concessions distort right from wrong.

The fact of the matter is as we compare the moral ethics of today with the ethical standards of society just a few decades ago it is frightening! But

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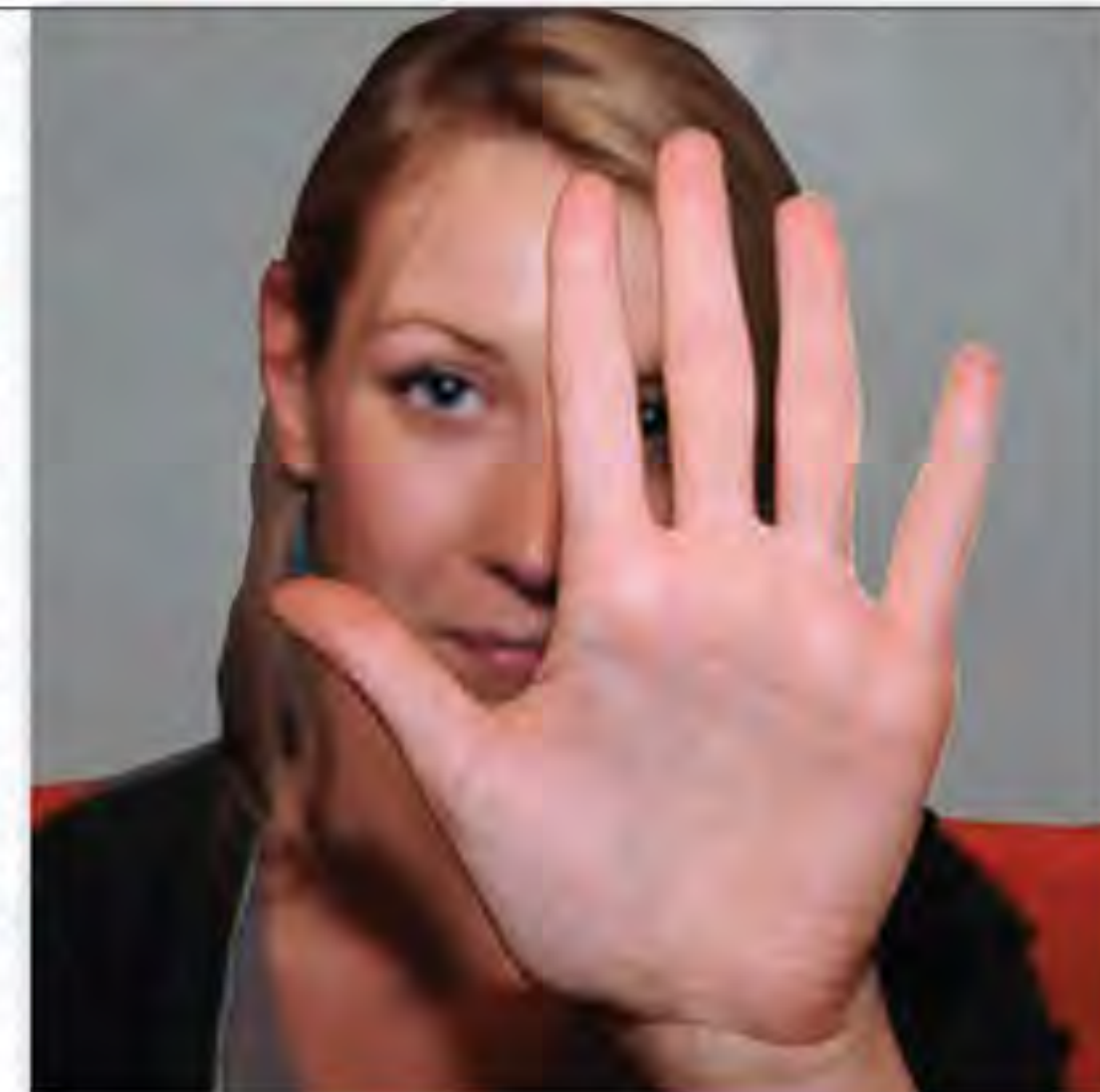
"Let us Alone!"

"And in the synagogue there was a man, which had a spirit of an unclean devil, and cried out with a loud voice, saying, LET US ALONE: what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? Art thou come to destroy us? I know thee who thou art; the Holy One of God" (Luke 4:33,34).

"LET US ALONE!" That voice spoke centuries ago. That voice is often heard today. By attitude, by manner, by deeds, by voice, many utter that cry today. There are the cultured. The educated, the scientific, the rich and the poor, the high and the low who repeat, in various ways, that wild cry of the demoniac of long ago. That appeal is often on the lips or in the heart of multitudes today.

"LET ME ALONE," cried one, that I may examine this curious world, and do not disturb me with thoughts of infinity and eternity. **"LET ME ALONE,"** that I may enjoy life, and do not harass me about righteousness, guilt, and judgment. **"LET ME ALONE,"** and cease to interrupt my money-making by giving me thought of my duty to God and His kingdom. **"LET ME ALONE,"** cry those whose hearts are threatened, "and spare me bitter bereavements!" **"LET US ALONE"** -that is our passionate protest; leave us a while to ease, to pleasure, to prosperity, to our will and way. Forgetting deeper truths, many cry, **"LET US ALONE!"**

The Necessity for an Open Alliance with the



Cause of Christ is Urged: Many concede the beauty of Christ's spotless character. They gladly agree with you when you say that temptation never loosened a fibre of His moral being, that circumstances never left a fingerprint upon Him. But when they are urged to make an open alliance with His cause, they cry, **"LET US ALONE!"**

Many are conscious of Christ's increasing world influence and will tell you that He has bannered whole continents with His love. But **"LET US ALONE!"** is their cry when the necessity for a public confession of sin and a

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Who is Christ, to you?



This has been the most important question ever put to man. It doesn't matter what you think of the President, or what you think of some famous sports figure. It's not important what you think regarding your favorite movie star or even some intellectual scientist or philosopher... Your answer to this question will determine where you will spend all of eternity; In Heaven or in Hell... The most important question you will ever answer was asked by the Lord Jesus Himself, **"What Think**

Ye of Christ?"

"While the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them, Saying, What think ye of Christ? whose son is he? They say unto him, The Son of David. He saith unto them, How then doth David in spirit call him Lord, saying, The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand, till I make thine enemies thy footstool? If David then call Him Lord, how is He his son? And no man was able to answer Him a word, neither durst any man from that day forth ask Him any more questions". (Matthew 22:41-46).

If today, the President of the United States came on all three major television networks saying, "I am the Son of God. I have power to forgive sin. I can raise my life back from the dead". He would be quickly and quietly escorted away and would be replaced by the Vice President. Any person that would make these claims would have to be either out of his mind, a liar, or actually God Himself! Think about that... Jesus proclaimed to be the Son of God and the religious crowd rejected Him and thought it best to have Him crucified for truthfully claiming His Diety.

What Think Ye of Christ? We know that

the Old Testament Jews were looking for the coming Christ. They knew the Scriptures and were waiting for the Messiah (or Christ) to come. **"One of the two which heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith unto him, We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ. And he brought him to Jesus..."** (John 1:40-42). It was understood among the Jewish people that Christ would come as promised! "And, behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and the same man was just and devout, **waiting for the consolation of Israel:** and the Holy Ghost was upon him. And it was revealed unto him by the Holy Ghost, that he should not see death, **before he had seen the Lord's Christ.** ...Then took he Him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said, Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to Thy word: **For mine eyes have seen Thy salvation"** (Luke 2:25-30). Jesus Christ, the Messiah that God had promised was in Simeon's arms!

What Think Ye of Christ? Who was this man Jesus Christ that Bible history proclaims? My

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You just Know That you Know.

There are some things in your life you just know are real. For instance, you know if your spouse loves you, if you are good on your job. We even know that tea should be iced and sweetened, that the best barbecue comes from a pig and of course a bad day of fishing is better than a good day at work. We just know these things even though no mathematician or philosopher can prove any of this on paper.



When Jesus went out of His way through Samaria to meet the woman at the well, he knew her and her background. John 4:16-18 **Jesus saith unto her, Go, call thy husband, and come hither, The woman answered and said, I have no husband. Jesus said unto her, Thou hast well said, I have no husband: For thou hast had five husbands; and he whom thou now hast is not thy husband: in that saidist thou truly.** The woman just knew that she had met the Savior because He told her all that ever she had done. Now after she had shared her experience with the men in the city, they came to

Jesus and besought Him that he would tarry with them; and he abode there two days. Notice what the men said to the woman after listening to Jesus—John 4:42 **"And said unto the woman, Now we believe, not because of thy saying; for we have heard Him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ, the Savior of the world."**

As many men came to Christ through the witness of the woman at Samaria, today many people are led to know Christ through the influence of another. In fact, it is the effect of one life upon other lives, the impact of one personality upon another, which often leads people to Christ. Some things people just know and realize. It's the same way with faith in Jesus. We just know that he is God's son and the savior of the world.

We just know, and because we know him, Jesus knows us. And that is all we really need to know.

A life of faith is lived in certainty and conviction: You just know you know.

— Jesse Adams

Old Love Letters

"But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him" (1 Corinthians 2:9)

A college student found a box in the house that he moved into which contained



dozens of old letters written by an American GI to his fiancée during WWII. The letters were handwritten and mailed from locations all over Europe. Reading them revealed a glimpse of everyday life in that era, music, politics, social issues, etc., but more importantly they were filled with the great love of this soldier for his soon to be wife. The student contacted the family of these two lovers, (both now deceased), and returned the letters to their children. They were elated and grateful. The missives were handwritten in cursive, (a lost art), and had been preserved lovingly until mislaid and lost in the shuffle of time.

The Lord has written to us the greatest Love Letter of all time; the Holy Bible. It re-

veals to every heart the great love that He has for us; **"For God so loved the world, that he gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in**

Him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16). Sadly, like the love letters in the previous story, His letter has been packed away and forgotten in the hustle and bustle of everyday life. How easy it is to take for granted and even forget the great love He

has for us; **"But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us,"** (Ephesians 2:4). He loved us so much that He died for us. What a great love! **"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends"** (John 15:13).

We need to turn off our computers, lay down our cell phones and pick up the Love Letter, (the Bible), and once again read the message written to us by One who loves us as no one else ever has or could; **"The LORD hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with lovingkindness have I drawn thee"** (Jeremiah 31:3). As the song writer said it so many years ago, **"Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so."**

— Fred Barton

Who is Christ, to you?

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friend, do you believe He was the promised Messiah? John the Baptist asked the same question: **"And John calling unto him two of his disciples sent them to Jesus, saying, Art thou He that should come? or look we for another"** (Luke 7:19)?

Notice, Jesus claimed to be the Christ! We find this when the Lord Jesus was speaking with the Samaritan woman at the well. **"The woman saith unto Him, I know that Messias cometh, which is called Christ: when He is come, He will tell us all things. Jesus saith unto her, I that speak unto thee am He"** (John 4:25,26). Now either Jesus is a liar, He is crazy, or in fact He is the Christ!

What Think Ye of Christ? Who is Jesus Christ, to you? Was Jesus Christ GOD in the flesh while living here on earth, or was He just a philosophical man, another human "do-gooder"? The answer to this question was the catalyst for having Him crucified. Notice, **"But Jesus answered them, My Father worketh hitherto, and I work. Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill Him, because He not only had broken the Sabbath, but said also that God was His Father, making Himself equal with God"** (John 5:17,18). Think about that, this was His crime- "making Himself equal with God".

Even doubting Thomas recognized the Deity of Christ after His miraculous resurrection from the grave when Jesus appeared suddenly! **"Then saith He to Thomas, Reach hither thy finger, and behold My hands; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into My side: and be not faithless, but believing. And Thomas answered and said unto Him, My Lord and My God. Jesus saith unto him, Thomas, because thou hast seen Me, thou hast believed: blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed"** (John 20:27-29). "They that have not seen, and yet have believed", refers to all of those individual people who have trusted Christ as believers from back then until now - "blessed are they"!

What Think Ye of Christ? Is Jesus Christ the ONLY way to Heaven or just one way among many? The Lord boldly answers this question Himself. **"Jesus saith unto him, I am THE WAY, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, BUT BY ME"** (John 14:6). This claim is unacceptable to many liberal minded people who prefer human philosophy over God's Holy Word. But God's Word is the final authority! Neither religion nor man's philosophy provide salvation. **"...for there is none other name under Heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved"** Acts 4:12.

We find today, many want to totally exterminate the name of Christ, to remove Him. The name which is above every name is offensive to a Godless society. The name of Jesus Christ makes people feel uncomfortable because of the sinful nature of mankind. It is easier to remove His name from public prayer and from public schools than to acknowledge



who He is. I suggest that you forget what others may think but ask yourself honestly, who is Jesus Christ, to me? Is He the Son of God, the Saviour of your eternal soul?

This brings me to my last point; His followers testified that Jesus is the Christ! **"When Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, He asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say that I the Son of man am? And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist: some, Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets. He saith unto them, But WHOM SAY YE that I am?"** (Matthew 16:13-15) Here we see Jesus made it a personal question. The question was specific, after asking who did the people actually think Jesus Christ was, He asked the disciples, **what do you think personally about Me?** Notice, **"And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God"** (Matthew 16:16).

In John's gospel there is an account of some difficult times for the disciples following Christ. They couldn't comprehend His teaching regarding eating His flesh and drinking His blood... "Many therefore of His disciples, when they had heard this, said, This is an hard saying; who can hear it?" (John 6:60). They were offended and some began to murmur... "From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with Him. Then said Jesus unto the twelve, Will ye also go away? Then Simon Peter answered him, Lord, to whom shall we go? thou hast the words of eternal life. And we believe **AND ARE SURE that thou art that Christ, the Son of the living God"** (John 6:66-69). That's it! Don't you see that?

What Think Ye of Christ? Do you know Him? Countless millions have accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour. He is the Son of God, the promised Messiah, the One who died for your sins and my sins. Without Christ we have no Savior! **"Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved"** (Acts 4:12). No religion saves souls, Jesus saves! No church saves souls, Jesus saves! No priest saves souls, Jesus saves!

Who is Christ, to you? What Think Ye of Christ? I'll tell you, He's the Son of God and He wants to be your personal Saviour today! "For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Romans 10:14). Call on Jesus today, right now!

— Tom Meador

Don't Fear the Daily News!

“... Be not afraid of them that kill the body, and after that have no more that they can do. But I will forewarn you whom ye shall fear: Fear Him, which after He hath killed hath power to cast into Hell; yea, I say unto you, Fear Him” (Luke 12:1-5).

In our world today we find many people who use and abuse the tool of fear to control other people. The Mafia for example gains money and power through the instrument of fear, relying on their ability to intimidate others... History teaches us that Adolf Hitler frightened and terrorized the masses to gain power and keep the people under subjection...

Fear or respect and reverence? Every person ever born into this world should recognize that there is a Creator. **“All things were made by Him and for Him...”** We are His creatures and we are all accountable to our Maker. And as the Holy Scriptures tell us, we should Fear HIM!

The Bible teaches us that, **“The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom:** and the knowledge of the holy is understanding” (Proverbs 9:10). Unfortunately, there is no reverence or respect for God among most of society in our day. Decisions are made without prayer. Important questions in life are answered by philosophers of the world, rather than examining what the Holy Bible teaches.

Listen to me please. Wisdom does not come from books, knowledge comes from books. You receive wisdom from fearing God, and growing in His Word. **“As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the Word, that ye may grow thereby”** (1 Peter 2:2). The experiences of life, the troubles and trials that upset us bring us closer to God. It is interesting to note that most people have very little time for the things of the Lord until tragedy strikes. But, everyone fears God in an earthquake! Everybody fears God when a health problem arises! Every person fears God when it is a matter of life or death!

Are things going so well for you now that you don't see your need to fear God? **Are you too busy making money, and fulfilling your desires to Fear HIM,**



to respect Him? The wisest man, King Solomon wrote most of the book of Proverbs in the Holy Bible. Proverbs is rich with clever, sensible sayings that help instruct us to be better Christians. And as an old man, at the end of his full, prosperous life Solomon wrote in the book of Ecclesiastes, **“Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: FEAR GOD, and keep His commandments: for this is the whole duty of man”** (Eccl. 12:13).

We receive everything we have from God. The Bible teaches that **“By humility and the fear of the LORD are riches, and honour, and life”** (Proverbs 22:4). Know this, we are promised in His Word that GOD will bless those that have a reverent respect for Him! God's blessing upon you is true wealth!

The greatest wealth that anyone can receive is not a big house, or a new luxurious car, or millions of dollars. No, the greatest wealth you can receive is eternal life! **“For the wages of sin is death; BUT THE GIFT OF GOD is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord”**.

The Lord Jesus came into this world two thousand years ago and His own Jewish people refused to receive His offer. Now today He provides salvation to all those that fear, respect and receive Him. **“For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek: for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon Him. For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved”** (Romans 10:12,13).

I encourage you to examine your own heart. If tragedy struck today, and you passed into eternity, do you know for sure you would go to Heaven? Have you ever received Christ as your personal Saviour?

— Tom Meador

“Let us Alone!”

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public profession of faith in Him is asked. In their thinking many agree that Christ Jesus is far above the Czars, far above all this world has ever known, “fairer than all the fair who fill the heavenly train.” Yet they say, **“LET US ALONE;** there is no necessity for any open alliance with His cause.”

There are those who are in sympathy with the objects for which His followers are toiling. But they go on, day in and day out, year after year, denying the need and demand from God for an open alliance, an open stand for Him. If you say, “No mortal can with Him compare,” they say, “Yea.” If you say, “the character of Jesus is wholly inexplicable on human principles,” they agree quickly. If you say, “He was Son of man without sin and Son of God with power,” they say, **“It is true.”** If you say, “The greatest art, the greatest music, the greatest poetry, the greatest events of history all circle around His name,” they say, **“Yes, true.”** If you say that Jesus, without a pen, without an army, without writing a book, without a sword, without a navy, without money, without a place to lay His head, has changed the world and the courses of empires, they will say, “Yes,” but still withhold public and open allegiance to Him.

I WILL NOT LET YOU ALONE! You are a drowning man. **I have the Gospel lifeboat.** I will

not leave you to drown. You are a starving man. I have the Bread of Life. I will not leave you without food. **Look to Jesus Who is heaven's bread for earth's hunger.** You are a poisoned man, full of the poison of sin. I have Christ's Gospel antidote. **I will not leave you to die.** I will not leave you alone. **“LET ME ALONE!”** But I will not! You are in the dark, and I would speak the truth that would bring you to light. You are in bondage, and I would speak the truth that would bring you to liberty. You are in sickness, and I would speak the truth that would bring you to health. You are in the broad way that leadeth to destruction, and **I would speak the truth that would bring you to the narrow road that leads to life.** You are on a wild sea, and I would speak the truth that would bring you to the harbor. **You are in the grip of the boaconstrictor of sin, and I would release you. You are in death, and I would give you life.**

I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU ALONE! Deride me as you will, I point you to the Lamb of God Who taketh away the sin of the world. Hate me if you care to - or can. But still I would urge you to come out of your shameful failure and loss into the glorious gain of Christ's Cross. Come now. Come to the Saviour. Make no delay. Go to Him now in a humble word of prayer from your heart.

— R.G. Lee

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we're taught from the Holy Scriptures that the time is approaching when God will look down from Heaven and say, **“THAT'S ENOUGH of that!!”** Justice will be executed one day by the Lord Jesus Christ, **“and the government shall be upon His shoulder... and with Justice from henceforth forever”** (Isaiah 9: 6-7).

It does not matter whether you believe it or not. Our GOD in Heaven doesn't go by what the governments of this world think or feel about His will. There is no Congress or Parliament in Heaven. **God speaks and it is so!** The Lord Jesus will not seek the advice of a Heavenly judicial court. Understand this, there will be no voting in Heaven when the King of Kings and Lord of Lords decides to judge this Earth. **He is Almighty God!** He won't get permission from the United Nations, He is the Creator of the Universe. Angels bow before Him, ancient kings submit to Him. The wealthiest and most powerful men of the ages have found themselves bowing humbly before His presence. Jesus Christ is God!

Is there justice in America? Many of the issues in our daily living, in the news and in our communities seem to be unfair or unjust. And we know that, we see that and we experience that. I want to remind you that God is keeping a record book of each and everyone of us. Man is a by-product of sinful Adam. This means according to the Bible, **“Wherefore, as by one man (ADAM) sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, FOR THAT ALL HAVE SINNED”** (Rom.3:23). True justice for mankind is eternal punishment in Hell because we have all sinned. Everyone is born with a sin nature. Yet, the love of God has provided a free pardon to those who put their faith in Jesus Christ. **“The wages of sin is death (That's God's justice, we've sinned)**



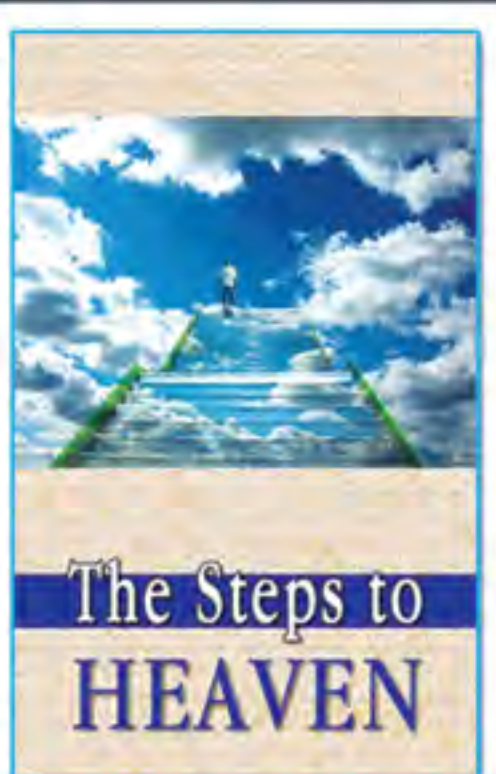
but the GIFT of God is eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **(That's God's Mercy!)** (Romans 6:23). When we ask Jesus Christ to come into our hearts and our lives, and with agreement, confess to Him alone our sins, we are graciously forgiven! Our personal sins are washed away from the eyes of God in the blood of Christ who died in our place on the Cross. This our are justification, by faith!

Those who never stop and take an honest look at the reflection of their heart will not stop and receive Christ into their hearts and lives. People can argue politics endlessly, but the most important issue to debate is, **who's governing your heart and life?** Is it the Lord Jesus Christ, or some philosophy of life that you have adopted? Perhaps some utopian global political view to solve the world's problems... Certainly we need government to keep society civil but I challenge you to consider the Bible's view of justice for ALL! Remember, it is certain, **“It is appointed unto man once to die and after that, THE JUDGEMENT”** (Heb.9:27). Why don't you go to the Heavenly Judge today, now in a word of prayer and receive your pardon while there is time... Ask the Lord Jesus for His forgiveness and free salvation through His Death, Burial and Resurrection for justification! **Now that's eternal justice...**

— Tom Meador

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God's Love and Ours

"But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8)



Franklin Graham, by contrast to his father, has built a reputation as a reformed rebel. He tells interviewers about an adolescence marked by smoking, drinking and disdain for school, a period of personal turbulence ended when he became a born-again Christian at age 22.

Franklin Graham regrets it now, but in his youth he was wild and rebellious. One day he went roaring up to his dad's house on his Harley Davidson motorcycle to ask

for some money. Dressed in his leathers, dusty and bearded, he burst into his father's living room and walked right into a meeting of Billy's executive board.

Without hesitation, Billy Graham identified Franklin as his son. Then he proudly introduced him to every member of the board. Billy did not apologize for his son or show any shame or guilt. Franklin wrote later in his autobiography, *Rebel With a Cause*, that the love and respect his father gave him that day never left him, even during his rebellious years.

Our children don't have to earn our love. To withhold love for our own selfish purposes is to follow the enemy, not God. God's love for us is undeserved. We did nothing to earn it; no good in us merited it. God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. In all our relationships, especially with our children, we must genuinely show that same kind of love.

We are called to treat our children, and all people, with love and respect. It helps to remember what we were when Christ died for us.

— David C. Egner

He Will Deliver Them From All Fears

In Psalm 34, we find 3 things from which the Lord will deliver His people. God says that He will deliver them from **all FEARS**, and will deliver them out of **all TROUBLES**, also out of **all AFFLICTIONS**.

Now, let's examine these three things from which God has promised to deliver us. First, the Word says in Psalm 34, verse 4, "**I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from ALL my fears.**" The first thing the Psalmist did was to seek the Lord and we find that there were two direct results.

First, the Lord heard; second, the Lord delivered from ALL fears. We have never seen a time in all of history when men are so fearful as today. Daily, as we read our local news papers, we see where many people, are dying from heart attacks. Whether you realize it or not, there is but one cause for the great increase in deaths from heart attacks and that is because of continual FEAR in the hearts and minds of people. In Luke 21, 26; the Word says, "**Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth, for the powers of heaven shall be shaken.**"

There is but one way to remove that fear from our hearts and that way is to seek the Lord and realize that He has promised to hear and to deliver us from ALL our fears. I want you to especially notice that little three letter word ALL. God means just that.

No doubt, today, there are mother's whose hearts are filled with fear for their sons in the military service; many wives are worried about that husband; oh, let me invite you to seek the Lord and claim the promise that He will hear and will deliver from all your fears. You may say, "but I cannot help but fear for the safety of my boy or my husband..." How true that is! It is only natural that we worry about them; and until you turn them over to the Lord, you "will" worry about them. But why not just turn them

over to the Lord knowing that He is able to keep and to protect. When you commit them into the hands of Jesus then you can pray, sincerely, "**Not my will but thine be done.**"

There is a second thing that God has promised to deliver us from. He says in verse 17, "**The righteous cry and the Lord heareth and delivereth them out of all their troubles.**" Once more we see that little word "all". Surely, today, man's troubles are many but again we have the promise that if we will ask, seek, and knock the



Lord will deliver. I do not know what the troubles may be, maybe domestic troubles, or physical troubles or even spiritual troubles but whatever the case might be, the promise is still good, that the Lord will deliver.

Now for the third thing, in this Psalm, that the Lord has promised to deliver us

from. In verse 19, the Word says, "**Many are the afflictions of the righteous; but the Lord delivereth him out of them ALL.**" Once again, notice that little word "ALL". Let me say just a word to our "Shut-in friends" (sick at home), Today, many of you are afflicted, you are sick and many times you wonder why God has sent this thing to you. Maybe you love God and you have served Him for many years! Well, there are some things that we cannot understand; but, thank God, whether I understand it or not, I believe God's Word, don't you? Please remember that He has promised to deliver you from ALL your afflictions. Trust the Lord, He is able to do it in His own time and manner.

In closing; let me urge each one of you, in these dark days of the end time when men are filled with fear and when our troubles and afflictions are pressing down upon us; to trust in the Lord, knowing that He loves us and He is able to keep and to protect all of us. "**Casting all your care upon Him; for He careth for you**" (1 Peter 5:7).

— Harold B. Sightler

Idols in the Heart

Son of man, these men have set up their idols in their hearts. —Ezekiel 14:3

When my husband and I first went out as missionaries, I recall being concerned about the growth of materialism in our society. It never crossed my mind that I myself could be materialistic. After all, hadn't we gone overseas with almost nothing? Weren't we choosing to live in a shabbily furnished, rundown apartment? I thought materialism couldn't touch us.

Nonetheless, feelings of discontent gradually began to take root in my heart. Before long I was craving hungrily after nice things and secretly feeling resentful over not having them.

Then one day God's Spirit opened my eyes with a disturbing insight: Materialism isn't necessarily having things; it can also be craving them. There I stood—guilty of materialism! God had



exposed my discontent for what it was—an idol in my heart! That day as I repented of this subtle sin, God recaptured my heart as His rightful throne. Needless to say, a deep contentment followed, based not on things but on Him.

In Ezekiel's day, God dealt thoroughly with this kind of secret idolatry. His throne on earth has always been in the hearts of His people. That's why we must rid our heart of anything that destroys our contentment with Him.

— J. Yoder

Salvation Prayer

Would you like to turn to God right now and begin a personal relationship with Him? Bow before Him in a sincere time of prayer, and ask Jesus to save your soul! If you're not sure what to say, you may use the following words. Remember, God knows your heart, and He not only hears your words, but He also sees your sincerity...

"Dear Father in Heaven, I thank you for sending the Lord Jesus to die upon the Cross for me. I repent with sorrow for all my sins, and ask you to forgive me and help me live for You. Please cleanse me with Your precious Blood. I open my heart and by faith I ask You to come into my life. I now accept Jesus Christ as my personal Savior! In Jesus' Name I pray. Amen."

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