

The Lord's Supper

WHAT DOES JESUS SAVE US FROM?



OUR DAILY BREAD

Junior Edition

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SOMETHING YOU MUST KNOW:

God is perfect. He is Holy. We are all sinners. ***For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God.***

(Romans 3:23a KJB)

None of us could ever make ourselves perfect or holy to be accepted by God. But God loves us all so much, that He gave His only Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, to go to the cross and pay the penalty for our sins IN FULL, ONCE and FOR ALL. Jesus died and rose again. Because of the Lord Jesus Christ, God can now make us holy and acceptable to Himself. ***For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened by the Spirit.*** (1 Peter 3:18 KJB)

Jesus Christ is our ONLY WAY to God and heaven.

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 KJB)

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved. (Acts 16:31 KJB)

Without Jesus Christ, you can NEVER be accepted by God or go to heaven. When you believe in Jesus Christ as your Savior, God makes you His child. When you leave this world, you will spend all of eternity with Him! ***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.*** (John 1:12 KJB) While you are still here on earth, learn His beautiful Word. Believe it and obey it, so you can enjoy all God has done for you.

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom.

(Colossians 3:16a KJB)

WELCOME

to our

LORD'S SUPPER CELEBRATION LESSON!

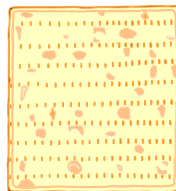
This is the lesson on the 1st Sunday of each month where we learn some wonderful TRUTHS about Jesus Christ and what He did for us



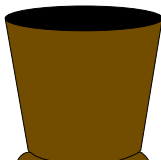
ON THE CROSS!

During this celebration, we eat a tiny piece of flat

BREAD.



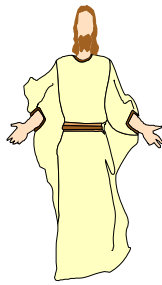
During this celebration, we drink some grape juice
from a



CUP.

The Lord tells us to eat the bread and drink the cup

to help us REMEMBER WHO JESUS IS and all the AMAZING THINGS He did for us. He died on the cross to pay for our sins so that we could be forgiven forever. He rose from the grave to make the way for us to be made perfect & holy for God and heaven. God's Word tells us that Jesus is our ONLY way to become part of God's family. Jesus is our ONLY way to get to heaven when God takes us from this earth.



"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 KJB

That is a VERY IMPORTANT FACT.
You should it KNOW VERY WELL!

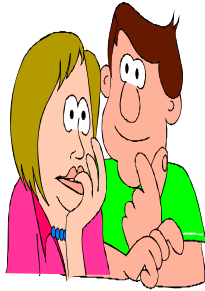
This way, if someone asks you how they can be SURE that they will go to heaven someday, you can tell them THE WAY!

BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST as your SAVIOR!

Now, it seems that most people who ask this question realize that there are things about themselves that sure don't measure up to God's Holiness. They realize that they are SINNERS! And that is GOOD that they realize this because NONE of us on our own can ever measure up to God's PERFECT GOODNESS & HOLINESS.

"As it is written, There is none righteous (Perfect & holy & right with God), no, not one." Ro 3:10 KJB

We are ALL SINNERS who can NEVER MEASURE UP to what God requires for heaven - PERFECT HOLINESS!
We ALL fall FAR SHORT of GOD'S PERFECTION!



"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;"

Romans 3:23 KJB

(God's glory is His Holiness & Goodness & Righteousness & Perfection!)

No matter how we try on our own to BE GOOD,
none of us can EVER make ourselves GOOD
ENOUGH for God's family & heaven.

We are ALL sinners.

This sure is a BIG PROBLEM because the
opposite of HEAVEN is HELL!

And no one in their RIGHT MIND should want to go
THERE!

But THANK GOD that He LOVED US SO MUCH
that He sent Jesus to SOLVE OUR PROBLEM!

THANK GOD that He LOVED US SO MUCH that
He sent Jesus to forgive us & make us holy!

TO SAVE US!

God sent Jesus to SAVE US from that awful place
called HELL. God sent Jesus down into this world
NOT to CONDEMN us for being sinners, but to go
to the cross & die for our sins & be raised from the
dead so that He could SAVE US from being con-
demned to hell & later to a place called the



LAKE OF FIRE!

God says so right there in our King James Bible:

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

And so, to help us REALIZE & APPRECIATE what Jesus did for us on the cross by paying for our sins so that He could SAVE us from this awful place, today we will read some of God’s description of it in His written LOVE LETTER TO US - THE BIBLE!

And as you read the scriptures, remember that if you have ALREADY ACCEPTED JESUS AS YOUR SAVIOR, God PROMISES that you will NEVER GO TO THAT PLACE - NEVER, NEVER, NEVER! If you have ALREADY ACCEPTED JESUS AS YOUR SAVIOR, God has ALREADY GIVEN you His ETERNAL LIFE. God has ALREADY MADE YOU PERFECT for heaven. God has ALREADY SAVED YOU A HOME IN HEAVEN with Him FOREVER! You NEVER, NEVER, NEVER have to be afraid of hell or the Lake of Fire if you have ALREADY ACCEPTED JESUS AS YOUR SAVIOR!

But if you have NOT already accepted Jesus as your Savior & you die without Jesus, then GOD

PROMISES that you WILL end up in that AWFUL PLACE. Here are just 2 scriptures that tell us that those who believe in Jesus are SAVED from God's wrath in that place called hell; but those who DO NOT believe in Jesus will end up in that awful place.

"He that believeth on him (Jesus) 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 3:18 KJB

"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 KJB

We hope that if you have NOT yet accepted Jesus as your Savior, that you will - especially when you read what God says about hell! So -

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved.

Acts 16:31 KJB

Now let's read some of God's description of that AWFUL PLACE you are SAVED from the very instant you believe in Jesus as your Savior! Let's read about a man who was NOT saved & ended up in hell. Notice the underlined words.

"And in hell he lift up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom.



And he cried and said, Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water, and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.

Luke 16:23-24 KJB

Let's look at those underlined words. This man was TORMENTED IN THE FLAMES! Tormented means this man was afflicted with great pain. In hell, this man was suffering greatly. He was CRYING! That man will spend all eternity in awful suffering & pain. The Bible says that at the end of all history, all hell will then go to another AWFUL PLACE called the

LAKE OF FIRE!



All the UNSAVED PEOPLE will LIVE there for ALL ETERNITY!

Here is another description of HELL.
“into the fire that shall never be quenched:
where their worm dieth not, and the fire is not quenched.

Mark 9:43d-44 KJB

Read 2Thessalonians 1:7-10 KJB too!

As we EAT THE BREAD & DRINK THE CUP today, let us REMEMER that Jesus died on the cross & rose again to

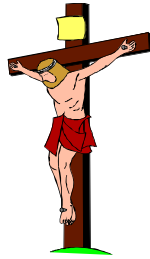
SAVE US FROM THE FIRES OF HELL FOREVER!

We must thank God for this every day of our lives! And we should want to tell others about how Jesus can SAVE THEM TOO! God does NOT want people to end up in that Lake of Fire! He has done EVERYTHING NEEDED to save us! All we need is to BELIEVE in the LORD JESUS CHRIST!

God's Promises!

God does NOT want anyone to end up in that Lake of Fire for all eternity. GOD LOVES EVERYONE!

That is why He sent Jesus to the cross!



“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 KJB

God gives EVERYONE PLENTY OF TIME to CHOOSE to accept Jesus as their Savior so they can go to HEAVEN instead!

“The Lord is not slack concerning his promise as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering (He waits patiently for a long time!) to usward, not willing that any should perish

(Perish means to end up in hell & the Lake of Fire.), but that all should come to repentance.” (Repentance means that they would change their mind & BELIEVE IN JESUS AS THEIR SAVIOR.) 2Peter 3:9 KJB

Here are some of God's PROMISES to ANYONE AT ALL who believes in Jesus. He PROMISES that they will NEVER, NEVER, NEVER go to that AWFUL place - HELL & THE LAKE OF FIRE! Look them up for yourself!

John 14:1-6 John 5:24 1Thessalonians 5:8-11

NEVER get tired of TELLING others about Jesus & how ONLY HE CAN SAVE THEM!

Grace Christian Fellowship

Pastor John A. Ricci

Sunday Morning Service

10:00 A.M.

Sunday Transportation Service ~ Call 24 hours Prior

Weekly Services

Wednesday & Friday Evenings, 7:30 P.M.

Prayer Meeting

Wednesday & Friday Evenings, 7:00-7:20 P.M.

Communion Service

First Sunday of Every Month

Children's Prep School (Ages 5-14) & Mother's Room

Available for Every Service

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Directions

From I-95

- RI Exit #22; *Left* at split to **Rt. 6 W.**
- Take Killingly St (Rt. 128) Exit; *Right* off Exit.
- Take Killingly to end; *Right* on Manton Ave; cross bridge.
- Turn *Left* at light (CVS on corner), and then bear *Left* at the split. You are now on Woonasquatucket Ave.
- Go about 1 mi.
- **G.C.F.** is on the *Left*.

From Rt. 146

- Mineral Spring Ave Exit in Providence.
- From **146 N** turn *Left* off Exit; from **146 S** turn *Right*.
- Take Mineral Spring to end and stay *Left* around the rotary (pass North Providence Town Hall).
- Take next *Right* onto Woonasquatucket Ave.
- Go about 1½ mi.
- **G.C.F.** is on the *Right*.



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