

The Lord's Supper

What should I do
when
I sin and fail?



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)

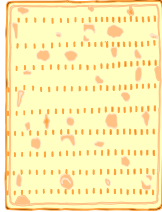
Without Jesus Christ, you can NEVER be accepted by God or go to heaven. When you believe in Jesus Christ as your Savior, God makes you His child. When you leave this world, you will spend all of eternity with Him! ***But as many as received him to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to 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)

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That is the question we will answer as we

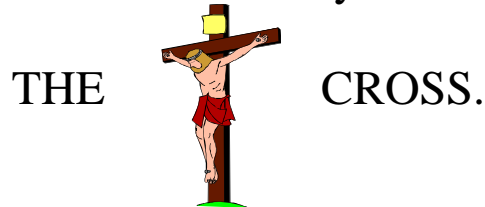


Eat the Bread
&
Drink the Cup
for



THE LORD'S SUPPER CELEBRATION
to
REMEMBER

all that Jesus did for us by His death on



In fact, the very same things we are to RE-
MEMBER during the LORD'S SUPPER about Jesus
and His work on the cross for us are the
VERY SAME THINGS we should
REMEMBER every time we sin and fail!

Let's see WHY!

Let's start by thinking of a time when you did some-
thing WRONG! (If you're like me, you sure won't have
to think too hard about that to remember something!) Think
of something that you did that you absolutely knew

for sure was AGAINST God's WORD! Or think about a time when you may NOT have done something that God said you SHOULD have done!



Well, if you are a child of God who reads your King James Bible every day, you sure will KNOW what the things are that God says are sins. You sure will KNOW when you have sinned or failed.

But GUESS WHAT! If you are a child of God who reads your King James Bible every day, you sure will KNOW what God says about your sins! And KNOWING what God says about your sins & failures, BELIEVING what He says about them & then DOING what He says to do, will help you know EXACTLY what you should do when you sin & fail!

And when you DO fail in a certain thing, when you KNOW what God says, you won't
FEEL LIKE A FAILURE

You won't think that God is ANGRY with you! Instead you'll absolutely KNOW that God LOVES you even WHEN you sin & fail. You'll KNOW all the RIGHT things that God wants you to think about that sin. And instead of walking around wasting time feeling guilty & yucky, you'll thank God, your Father for all He's done about your sins & you'll be able to TRY AGAIN to do the RIGHT thing even that very next second after your sin or failure! So

let's see what some of the things are that we are to REMEMBER about Jesus & the Cross when we sin & fail so that we will know what to do!

First of all, we must REMEMBER that ALL of our sins were put on Jesus while He was on the cross. All the sins we committed in our past, all the sins we commit today, all the sins we will commit in the future - right up to the time we leave this earth. And not only OUR sins were put on Jesus while He was on that cross, but the sins of the ENTIRE WORLD - past, present, future! There is NOT ONE SIN that God left off the cross! Jesus died for ALL of our sins! Here are some scriptures that tell us that. As we read these scriptures, we will point out some OTHER facts you should REMEMBER when you sin & fail.



"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

When we sin, we must remember that God LOVES us ALL - EVEN THE VERY WORST OF US! He loves us so much, that He sent His very own Son - the Son that He LOVES - to that awful cross to suffer & die for ALL PEOPLE - even the VERY WORST of us- even for the ones who will NEVER BELIEVE IN JESUS! Jesus died for THEM TOO!

Imagine, all these people would have to do is simply BELIEVE IN JESUS, & they would NEVER have to perish in that awful Lake of Fire. Instead, just by BELIEVING IN JESUS, God would INSTANTLY give them eternal life so that they would be in heaven forever someday. What a SHAME that many people will simply not believe what God says about Jesus!

This next scripture tells us what God DID with our sins when Jesus was on that cross,

To wit, that God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto himself, not imputing their trespasses unto them;" 2Corinthians 5:19a-c KJB

We need to look at the meaning of 2 of the words in that scripture to be able to UNDERSTAND what Jesus did on that cross for us. The first word is RECONCILING. To RECONCILE means "to return to a friendly relationship after a dispute or separation". Well, our sins SEPARATED us from God. In fact, the bible tells us that our sins made us enemies of God! And enemies sure are NOT in a friendly relationship!

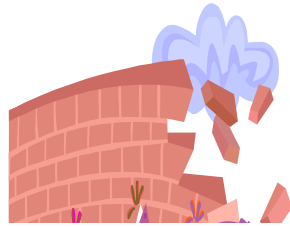
Our sins were like a huge

BRICK WALL

that separated us from God! We could NEVER take that wall down ourselves! We could NEVER PAY FOR ALL THOSE SINS on our own so that the wall could be taken away! So God IN CHRIST made THE WAY - the ONLY way - for us to be brought back to a friendly



relationship with God - no longer His enemies! The



other word we need to understand in that scripture tells us

**HOW God took that
WALL OF SINS**

down for us so that we would
have the way to become His

child! And there is no better relationship than that for us - **TO BE GOD'S CHILD FOREVER!** What is that word that helps us see **HOW** God did this for us? That is the word IMPUTING. To impute means to bring a charge against somebody because he or she did something wrong. Well, we all sure **DESERVE** to be charged with our sins - our wrongdoings! After all, **WE** are the ones who **COMMIT** our sins! **WE** are the ones whose sins made that wall that separates us from God. Now even though Adam committed that first sin in the Garden of Eden & we all became sinners because of him, if God had put one of us in that Garden instead, we would most likely have sinned **EVEN SOONER THAN ADAM!** But look what GOD DID with all the **CHARGES** that **WE DESERVED** for our sins! God was in Christ,

NOT IMPUTING our trespasses unto us!

Well, if God was **NOT IMPUTING** or **CHARGING** **US** with our own sins, whom **DID** God charge with our sins? This next scripture tells us that it was Jesus Christ who **NEVER SINNED!**

"Who in his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree," 1Peter 2:24 KJB

God poured out His anger & wrath against our sins upon Jesus instead of us! So what does this mean? What should we REMEMBER about Jesus & our sins as we eat the BREAD & DRINK the cup? What should we REMEMBER about Jesus every time we sin & fail? We should REMEMBER that God put ALL OF OUR SINS on Jesus. God punished Jesus for our sins INSTEAD OF US! Jesus was our SUBSTITUTE on the cross. He PAID IN FULL for all of our sins. And so now God is NOT HOLDING our sins against us. They are TAKEN OUT OF THE WAY FOREVER! There is NO LONGER a WALL OF SINS between God & man.



Where that wall used to be there is now
JESUS & HIS CROSS!

Read Hebrews 10:9-14,26; Acts 16:31; John 1:12

So if you have never yet accepted Jesus, realize that He is the ONE who took your sins out of the way. God is NOT holding your sins against you. Jesus is the ONLY ONE that can bring you to God. John 14:6 Simply BELIEVE IN JESUS & you'll be God's child FOREVER! If you are ALREADY God's child, the next time you sin, REMEMBER these things: Jesus paid for your sins completely & He has ALREADY FORGIVEN ALL YOUR SINS! Colossians 2:13-14 You are GOD'S CHILD & He LOVES you always! God is NOT angry at you or holding your sins against you. Then THANK GOD for Jesus & all these things! Ask God to help you do the right thing next time!

Bible Study

Here is what God says about your sins:
“And their sins and iniquities will I remember
no more. And where remission of these *is*,
there is no more offering for sin. ” Heb 10:17-18

Now look up these scriptures in your
KING JAMES BIBLE.

See what God tells you there about how
OBEYING HIS WORD can KEEP YOU
AWAY FROM SIN! Renew your MIND with
His Word every day! TAKE NOTES!

Psalms 119:1-9

Psalm 119:105

Ephesians 4:15-32

Ephesians 5:1-2,6-17

Oh, how important it is for us to KNOW
WHAT GOD SAYS ABOUT EVERYTHING!
Keep on READING YOUR KING JAMES
BIBLE!

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10:00 A.M.

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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.
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