

what we believe

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WE BELIEVE, MAN FELL FROM GOD'S FAVOR INTO SIN, AND JESUS DIED TO SAVE HIM!

Romans 8:16 - The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children.

Man was **CREATED** good and upright in God's image. However, man, by personal choice — fell — consequently he faces not only physical death, but spiritual death as well, which is eternal separation from God.

Matthew 25:41 - Then he will say to those on his left, 'Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels.'

Romans 6:23 - For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord!

GOD'S CONDITIONS FOR SALVATION:

- 1/ Salvation is from **GOD** Not Man (Luke 3:6)
- 2/ Salvation is through Christ **ALONE** (Acts 4:12)
- 3/ Salvation is Obtained by **GRACE** and not by Works (Ephesians 2:8-9)
- 4/ Salvation is for the **WHOLE** Person (Isaiah 53:1-10)
- 5/ Salvation is for Time and Eternity, it's **FOREVER** (Hebrews 5:9)
- 6/ Salvation if Neglected Results in **DEATH** (Hebrews 2:3)
- 7/ Faith in Christ is the **TEST FOR SALVATION** (John 3:14-16)

Proverbs 25:2 - It is the glory of God to conceal a matter; to search out a matter is the glory of kings.

1st

You Must **REPENT!**

2nd

You Must **BELIEVE!**

Romans 10:9-10 - If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

¹⁰ For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.

We believe that man was created good and upright before God, but through his own choice, he rebelled, but by repenting and believing in Jesus Christ, he is **SAVED** to eternal life.