

# FOUNDATIONS BIBLE STUDY

## STUDY THREE – SALVATION (part two)

God now offers salvation to us through faith in Jesus Christ. We are saved through our faith in Jesus, not through any religion or good work. To accept God's offer of salvation we must do four things:

- admit our sins openly and repent (turn away from our sins)
- believe that Jesus died for each us and rose again
- receive the risen Christ by faith as our own personal Saviour
- publicly confess Jesus as our Lord (speak up and tell others that Jesus is Lord)

Here is what happens when we receive Jesus in this way:

- He comes to live forever in our hearts
- He gives us eternal life
- He gives us the power to lead a life of righteousness
- He gives us victory over sin

### Memory Work: **John 1:12-13**

#### Study Questions

#### C. How We May Receive Salvation

23. When should we seek salvation?

**(2 Corinthians 6:2, Proverbs 27:1)** \_\_\_\_\_

24. Can we save ourselves by our own good works?

**(Ephesians 2:8-9, Titus 3:5)** \_\_\_\_\_

25. Can we be saved by keeping the law?

**(Romans 3:20)** \_\_\_\_\_

26. If we desire God's mercy, what two things must we do? **(Proverbs 28:13)**

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(2) \_\_\_\_\_

27. If we confess our sins, what two things will God do for us? **(1 John 1:9)**

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(2) \_\_\_\_\_

28. What is the means God uses to cleanse our hearts from all sin?

**(1 John 1:7)** \_\_\_\_\_

29. If we desire to be saved, what two things must we do? **(Romans 10:9-10)**

(1) With our Hearts? \_\_\_\_\_

(2) With our mouths? \_\_\_\_\_

30. If we come to Jesus, will He reject us?

**(John 6:37)** \_\_\_\_\_

31. If we open our hearts to receive Jesus, what promise has He given us?

**(Revelation 3:20)** \_\_\_\_\_

32. If we receive Jesus, what does He give us?

**(John 1:12)** \_\_\_\_\_

33. What experience do we have as a result?

**(John 1:13, John 3:3)** \_\_\_\_\_

34. When we receive Jesus, what does God give us through Him?

**(Romans 6:23)** \_\_\_\_\_

35. Is it possible for us to know we have eternal life?

**(1 John 5:13)** \_\_\_\_\_

36. What record does God give us about Jesus?

**(1 John 5:11)** \_\_\_\_\_

37. If we have received Jesus, the Son of God, what do we have?

**(1 John 5:12-13)** \_\_\_\_\_

C. Salvation Gives Power to Overcome the World and the Devil

38. After we have received Jesus, who lives in our hearts by faith?

**(Galatians 2:20, Ephesians 3:17)** \_\_\_\_\_

39. What can we do through the strength that Jesus gives us?

**(Philippians 4:13)** \_\_\_\_\_

40. If we openly accept or confess Jesus before men, what will He do for us?

**(Matthew 10:32)** \_\_\_\_\_

41. If we deny Jesus before men, what will He do?

**(Matthew 10:33)** \_\_\_\_\_

42. What kind of person is able to overcome the world and its temptations?

(1) **(1 John 5:4)** \_\_\_\_\_

(2) **(1 John 5:5)** \_\_\_\_\_

43. Why are God's children able to overcome the world?

**(1 John 4:4)** \_\_\_\_\_

44. By what two things do the people of God overcome the Devil? **(Revelations 12:11)**

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(2) \_\_\_\_\_

45. Whom has God promised to receive in heaven as His child?

**(Revelations 21:7)** \_\_\_\_\_

## Final Thoughts

The Bible rules out every attempt by man to save himself or make himself righteous. Man cannot be saved with the grace of God. That saving grace is received through faith in Christ Jesus. The law was not given to make man righteous. The law was given to show man that he is a sinner and that he cannot save himself.

When God forgives sin, He also washes and cleans out the sinner's heart. Once a sinner is washed clean, he should not continue in the sins that he has confessed.

We must testify personally to what the Word of God says the blood of Christ Jesus does for us.