

Salvation

Through Christ • Complete • Sanctified • Secure • Assured

Doctrines G-K

This Week's Journey

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Once saved, always

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Know that you know

MEMORY VERSE

"For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast."

— Ephesians 2:8-9



Salvation Only Through Christ

The Blood Alone, Faith Alone

Core Truth

No one can enter the kingdom of God unless born again. Our redemption has been accomplished solely by the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ—nothing can add to His finished work.

THE BLOOD OF CHRIST

Leviticus 17:11

The life is in the blood; blood makes atonement

Matthew 26:28

Blood of the covenant shed for many

Ephesians 1:7

Redemption through His blood

1 Peter 1:18-19, 23

Redeemed with precious blood of Christ

FAITH ALONE

John 3:16-18, 36

Whoever believes shall not perish

John 5:24

He who believes has everlasting life

Acts 16:31

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ

Romans 1:16-17

The just shall live by faith

My Notes



The Extent of Salvation

Complete in Christ—No Second Blessing Needed

Core Truth

When you exercise faith in Christ, you pass immediately out of spiritual death into spiritual life. You are, as soon as saved, in possession of every spiritual blessing and absolutely complete in Christ— no "second blessing" or "second work of grace" required.

KEY SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

John 5:24

Passed from death to life

John 17:23

Loved as Christ is loved

Acts 13:39

Justified from all things

Romans 5:1

Justified, peace with God

Ephesians 1:3

Every spiritual blessing

Colossians 2:10

Complete in Him

1 Cor. 3:21-23

All things are yours

1 John 4:17

As He is, so are we

1 John 5:11-12

Has the Son, has life



Sanctification

The Three P's: Positional, Progressive, Permanent

Core Truth

Sanctification (setting apart unto God) is threefold: **Past**—saved from the penalty of sin. **Present**—being saved from the power of sin. **Future**—will be saved from the presence of sin.



POSITIONAL

Already complete—set apart at salvation

Hebrews 10:10



PROGRESSIVE

Growing in grace—daily transformation

Philippians 2:12



PERMANENT

Future completion—we will be like Him

1 Thess. 5:23

ADDITIONAL REFERENCES

John 17:17

Sanctify by Your truth

2 Cor. 3:18

Transformed glory to glory

2 Cor. 7:1

Perfecting holiness

Eph. 4:24

Put on the new man

Heb. 10:14

Perfected those being sanctified

Heb. 12:10

Partakers of His holiness

My Notes



Eternal Security

Once Saved, Always Saved

Core Truth

Because of God's eternal purpose, Christ's unending intercession, and the Holy Spirit's indwelling presence, we and all true believers everywhere, once saved, shall be kept saved forever. God will chasten His children when they sin, but He will never cast them out.

WHY WE ARE SECURE

John 5:24

Has everlasting life, shall not come into judgment

John 10:28

They shall never perish; no one can snatch them

John 13:1

Having loved His own, He loved them to the end

John 14:16-17

The Spirit dwells with you forever

Romans 8:29

Predestined, called, justified, glorified

1 Cor. 6:19

Your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit

Hebrews 7:25

He always lives to make intercession

1 John 2:1-2

We have an Advocate; He is the propitiation

Jude 24

Able to keep you from stumbling

1 John 5:13

That you may know you have eternal life



Assurance

Know That You Know

Core Truth

It is the privilege of all who are born again to be assured of their salvation from the very day they take Christ to be their Savior. This assurance is not founded on any discovery of our own worthiness, but wholly upon the testimony of God.

KEY SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

Luke 10:20

Rejoice that your names are written in heaven

Luke 22:32

I have prayed for you, that your faith not fail

2 Corinthians 5:1, 6-8

We KNOW we have a building from God

2 Timothy 1:12

I KNOW whom I have believed

Hebrews 10:22

Draw near with full assurance of faith

1 John 5:13

That you may KNOW you have eternal life

Assurance Is NOT Based On...

- ✗ Our feelings or emotions
- ✗ Our perceived worthiness
- ✗ Our good works or performance

Assurance IS Based On...

- ✓ The testimony of God's Word
- ✓ The finished work of Christ
- ✓ The witness of the Holy Spirit

My Notes

Discussion Questions

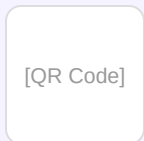
- 1 Why is it important that salvation is by grace through faith alone, and not by works?

- 2 What does it mean to be "complete in Christ"? How should this affect your daily walk?

- 3 Explain the three aspects of sanctification (Positional, Progressive, Permanent). Which are you most focused on?

- 4 How does the doctrine of eternal security bring you comfort? How does it motivate holy living?

- 5 What is the basis for your assurance of salvation? Can you point to God's Word?



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