

The background image is a composite scene viewed through the dark, jagged opening of a cave. In the foreground, the rough, textured rock of the cave walls frames the view. The landscape beyond is bathed in the warm, golden light of a sunset or sunrise. A large, dark cross stands prominently on a grassy hill in the lower center. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds and several birds are captured in flight, scattered across the upper half of the frame. The overall mood is contemplative and spiritual.

# What is Salvation? Saved to What?

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EPSM Module 4

# Recap

- Week 1 : God's first representatives were given dominion and a Kingdom but forfeited it through disobedience and fell from perfection.
- Week 2: God works through human disobedience and failure to bring about his promise seed of the woman.
- Week 3: Jesus Christ is the promise seed of the woman, who is fully God and fully man who redeemed humanity through the cross and re-introduced the Kingdom of God.
- Week 4: The Greatness of our Salvation.

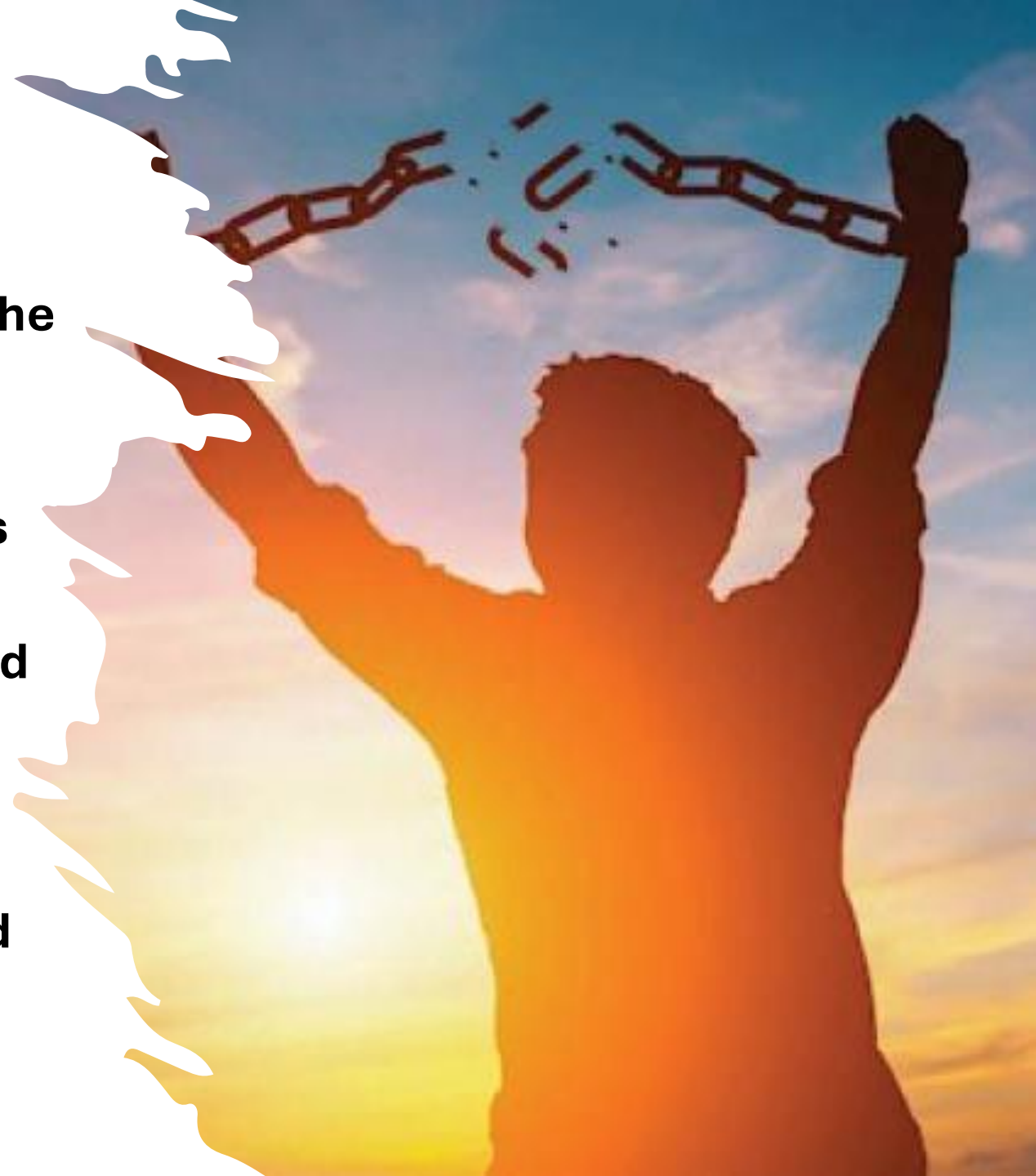
# **You have been Reborn!!**

- **Genesis 6:3 - When Adam sinned, he lost his divine nature the spirit of God left him.**
- **Mankind was spiritually bankrupt. Our vessels fell from perfection. We lost our citizenship in Heaven**
- **Jesus blood cleanses our vessels that the Holy Spirit can dwell in us.**
- **John 3 – We have been reborn not of the flesh but the spirit.**
- **We gain citizenship in the country of heaven by being born from above.**
- **Ephesians 1:13- 14 – The Holy Spirit is the down payment of God, the proof of Salvation.**



# **No longer a slave to sin!!**

- **Eph 2:3 – Our Old Nature, was subject to the wrath of God.**
- **We were inherently sinful, without hope.**
- **Romans 6:5 -10 – We are no longer sinners by nature our new nature is saint hood.**
- **Through Christ we died to the old man sold under sin.**
- **We are raised with the new man in obedience.**
- **Our new man is instinctively obedient and inherently pleasing to God.**
- **We are no longer slaves to sin!!**



# **Salvation is a Gift/ and Miracle**

- **All Gifts are either accepted or rejected.**
- **Gifts are given as acts of kindness, not obligation**
- **Salvation is Gods Gift**
- **Ephesians 2:8 -9 – We are saved by Grace through Faith.**
- **Salvation can not be worked for only received by Faith.**
- **John 6:44 - It is a supernatural soveirgn work of God.**
- **Man does initiate salvation God initiates it.**
- **Therefore, it is a miracle.**

# **How to Lead someone to Salvation?**

- **Step 1: Acts 2:14-36 - The Gospel must be preached.**
- **Step 2: Acts 2:37 – The Holy Spirit must convict of unbelief.**
- **Step 3: Acts 2:38 – The work of repentance must take place.**
- **Step 4: Acts 2:41-42 – After inward repentance, a true outward confession should be displayed.**