



Living Waters Ministries

Through The Cross! (Our Means Of Salvation)

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The Cross Has Made A Unlimited Salvation

Rom 1:16 For¹⁰⁶³ I am not³⁷⁵⁶ ashamed¹⁸⁷⁰ of the³⁵⁸⁸ gospel²⁰⁹⁸ of Christ:⁵⁵⁴⁷ for¹⁰⁶³ it is²⁰⁷⁶ the power¹⁴¹¹ of God²³¹⁶ unto¹⁵¹⁹ salvation⁴⁹⁹¹ to every one (Universal statement about Salvation) ³⁹⁵⁶ that believeth;⁴¹⁰⁰ to the Jew²⁴⁵³ first,⁴⁴¹² and²⁵³² also⁵⁰³⁷ to the Greek.¹⁶⁷² Through the Cross everyone can be saved!

2Corin 5:17 Therefore⁵⁶²⁰ if any man (Universal statement toward an Unlimited Salvation) ¹⁵³⁶ be in¹⁷²² Christ,⁵⁵⁴⁷ he is a new²⁵³⁷ creature:²⁹³⁷ old things⁷⁴⁴ are passed away;³⁹²⁸ behold,²⁴⁰⁰ all things³⁹⁵⁶ are become¹⁰⁹⁶ new.²⁵³⁷ The good news is any man can be saved through the Cross!

2Pe 3:9 The³⁵⁸⁸ Lord²⁹⁶² is not slack^{1019, 3756} concerning his promise,¹⁸⁶⁰ as⁵⁶¹³ some men⁵¹⁰⁰ count²²³³ slackness;¹⁰²² but²³⁵ is longsuffering³¹¹⁴ to¹⁵¹⁹ us-ward,²²⁴⁸ not³³⁶¹ willing (showing the will of God toward mankind)¹⁰¹⁴ that any⁵¹⁰⁰ should perish,⁶²² but²³⁵ that all (Universal statement of Unlimited Salvation)³⁹⁵⁶ should come⁵⁵⁶² to¹⁵¹⁹ repentance.³³⁴¹ God's will is clearly that all should be saved!

Universal Statement – Unlimited Atonement Capacity Through The Cross

1John 2:2 And²⁵³² he⁸⁴⁶ is²⁰⁷⁶ the propitiation²⁴³⁴ for⁴⁰¹² our²²⁵⁷ sins:²⁶⁶ and¹¹⁶¹ not³⁷⁵⁶ for⁴⁰¹² ours²²⁵¹ only,³⁴⁴⁰ but²³⁵ also²⁵³² for⁴⁰¹² the sins of the³⁵⁸⁸ whole³⁶⁵⁰ world.²⁸⁸⁹ The whole world is bankrupt and waiting for the salvation which has been given through the Cross!

To Them (Whosoever – To All, To Any) That Believe (Means Of Grace - The Cross)

Gal 3:22 But²³⁵ the³⁵⁸⁸ Scripture¹¹²⁴ hath concluded⁴⁷⁸⁸ all³⁹⁵⁶ under⁵²⁵⁹ sin,²⁶⁶ that²⁴⁴³ the³⁵⁸⁸ promise¹⁸⁶⁰ by¹⁵³⁷ faith⁴¹⁰² of Jesus²⁴²⁴ Christ⁵⁵⁴⁷ might be given¹³²⁵ to them that believe.⁴¹⁰⁰

If one can believe placing their faith properly in the Cross for salvation they can be saved!

Rom 10:11 For¹⁰⁶³ the³⁵⁸⁸ Scripture¹¹²⁴ saith,³⁰⁰⁴ Whosoever (to all, to any)³⁹⁵⁶ (will) believeth⁴¹⁰⁰ on¹⁹⁰⁹ him⁸⁴⁶ shall not³⁷⁵⁶ be ashamed.²⁶¹⁷ Whosoever means to All, or to Any.

Rom 10:13 For¹⁰⁶³ whosoever (to all, to any)^{3956, 3739, 302} shall (will) call upon¹⁹⁴¹ the³⁵⁸⁸ name³⁶⁸⁶ of the Lord²⁹⁶² shall be saved.⁴⁹⁸² Those who call out to the Lord having a contrite heart are those who He saves.

The Predestination Of The Cross Of Christ

Eph 1:5 Having predestinated⁴³⁰⁹ us²²⁴⁸ unto¹⁵¹⁹ the adoption of children⁵²⁰⁶ (does not refer to individual being predestinated as to whether he will be saved or lost, but rather the manner (means) in which one becomes a Child of God) by¹²²³ Jesus²⁴²⁴ Christ⁵⁵⁴⁷ to¹⁵¹⁹ himself (by means of the Cross),⁸⁴⁸ according²⁵⁹⁶ to the³⁵⁸⁸ good pleasure²¹⁰⁷ of his⁸⁴⁸ will (the Cross is an act of sovereignty, but an act based on love),²³⁰⁷

If it were not in the plans of God to redeem all of mankind through the Cross we would perish, however we can rejoice in knowing that God in His sovereign plans had the plan to reconcile sinful humanity back to himself through the Cross.

The Light Of Conscience Is Given To Every Man (Universal) For Conversion

Jn. 1:8-12 He (John) was not that Light, but was sent to bear witness of that Light. That was the true Light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. He came unto his own, and his own received him not. 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...

Ro 1:19-22 Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath shewed it unto them. For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse: Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened. Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools...

It is clear from these passages that God put a conscience in every man and wrote His law on their heart...the conscience in every man which was designed to give each person the ability to be saved.

Rom. 2:15 Which shew the work of the law written in their hearts, their conscience also bearing witness, and their thoughts the mean while accusing or else excusing one another;))

Salvation must be universal because the conscience is universal.

No person which the Lord has made is without a conscience. The meaning of the word *conscience* means to be *con* – WITH / science – KNOWLEDGE. In other words God placed the law in the heart of man to convert his soul...and bring Him to salvation.

Gal. 3:24 Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith.

Everyone has the same opportunity for God's grace and salvation.

God's Inheritance – The Saints

Eph 1:4 According as²⁵³¹ he hath chosen¹⁵⁸⁶ us²²⁴⁸ in¹⁷²² him (does not refer to the person being chosen, but rather the purpose for which the person is chosen)⁸⁴⁶ before⁴²⁵³ the foundation²⁶⁰² of the world (the Creator, in laying His plans for the world, had the purpose of Redeeming Grace in view),²⁸⁸⁹ that we²²⁴⁸ should be¹⁵¹¹ holy⁴⁰ and²⁵³² without blame²⁹⁹ before²⁷¹⁴ him⁸⁴⁶ in¹⁷²² love (presents the purpose of the "chosen"):²⁶

God through the sin offering of His only Son purchased back for Himself a people He now calls His inheritance by the means of the Cross!

God's Heritage Obtained Through His Cross

Eph 1:11 In¹⁷²² whom³⁷³⁹ also²⁵³² we have obtained an inheritance (the best Greek Texts have, "we were designated as a heritage"; thus, the Saints are God's Heritage, His Possession through the work of the Cross),²⁸²⁰ being predestinated⁴³⁰⁹ according²⁵⁹⁶ to the purpose⁴²⁸⁶ of him (pertains to the inheritance being predestinated, not the individual who would obtain the inheritance) who worketh¹⁷⁵⁴ all things³⁹⁵⁶ after²⁵⁹⁶ the³⁵⁸⁸ counsel¹⁰¹² of his own⁸⁴⁸ will (therefore it is perfect – His will is that all be restored through the Cross):²³⁰⁷

God's Heritage was His created humanity which was lost through man's sin in the garden, yet now through the plan of God (the Cross) He has brought man and God back together again through His salvation plan. It was the blood of His Cross that was to means to remove the sin debt, the righteousness of Christ on our account (by grace we are saved through faith) and brought about this change called the new birth.

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