The Story of the Gospel July 16, 2023

Genesis 1:1, Genesis 1:27, Romans 3:23, Romans 6:23, Luke 1:30-38, Luke 19:10, Acts 1:9-11

Revelation 4:11, "Worthy are You, our Lord and our God, to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things."

Hebrews 9:27, "People are destined to die once, and after that to face judgment."

Matthew 19:25-26, "The disciples were very astonished and asked, 'Who then can be saved?' Jesus said to them, "With man this is impossible, but with God, all things are possible."

1 Corinthians 15:1-4, "Now I make known to you the gospel. By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain. For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures."

John 1:14, "The Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth."

Hebrews 9:22; 10:4,10,14,17, "Without shedding of blood there is no forgiveness. It is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins. We have been sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. For by one offering Jesus has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. Their sins and lawless deeds I will remember no more."

Romans 5:6-8, "When we were still powerless, (spiritually dead) Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: "While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

- 1 Corinthians 15:20-22, "Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep. Since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead also comes through a man. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all will be made alive."
- 1 Thessalonians 4:16-18, "The Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first.

 17 Then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we shall always be with the Lord. 18 Therefore comfort one another with these words."



- **Romans 6:17,** "But thanks be to God that though you used to be slaves to sin, you wholeheartedly obeyed the form of teaching to which you were entrusted."
- **1 Peter 4:17,** "For it is time for judgment to begin with the family of God; and if it begins with us, what will the outcome be for those who do not obey the gospel of God?"
- **2 Thessalonians 1:6-8,** "God is just: He will punish those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus."
- **Romans 1:16,** "I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes."
- **Acts 26:20,** "I preached that they (everyone) should repent and turn to God and prove their repentance by their deeds."
- **Romans 10:9-10,** "If you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved; ¹⁰ for with the heart a person believes, resulting in righteousness, and with the mouth he confesses, resulting in salvation."
- Romans 6:3-7, "Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus have been baptized into His death? ⁴ Therefore we have been buried with Him through baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have become united with Jesus in the likeness of His death, certainly we shall also be in the likeness of His resurrection, ⁶ knowing this, that our old self was crucified with Him, in order that our body of sin might be done away with, so that we would no longer be slaves to sin; ⁷ for he who has died is freed from sin."
- Acts 2:36-38; 47, "Let all the house of Israel know for certain that God has made Jesus both Lord and Christ—this Jesus whom you crucified." ³⁷ When they heard this, they were pierced to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brethren, what shall we do?" ³⁸ Peter said to them, "Repent, and each of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. And the Lord was adding to their number day by day those who were being saved."
- **Ephesians 1:13-14,** "In Christ, you also, after listening to the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation—having also believed, you were sealed in Christ with the Holy Spirit of promise, ¹⁴ who is given as a pledge of our inheritance, with a view to the redemption of God's own possession."