

LESSON #4

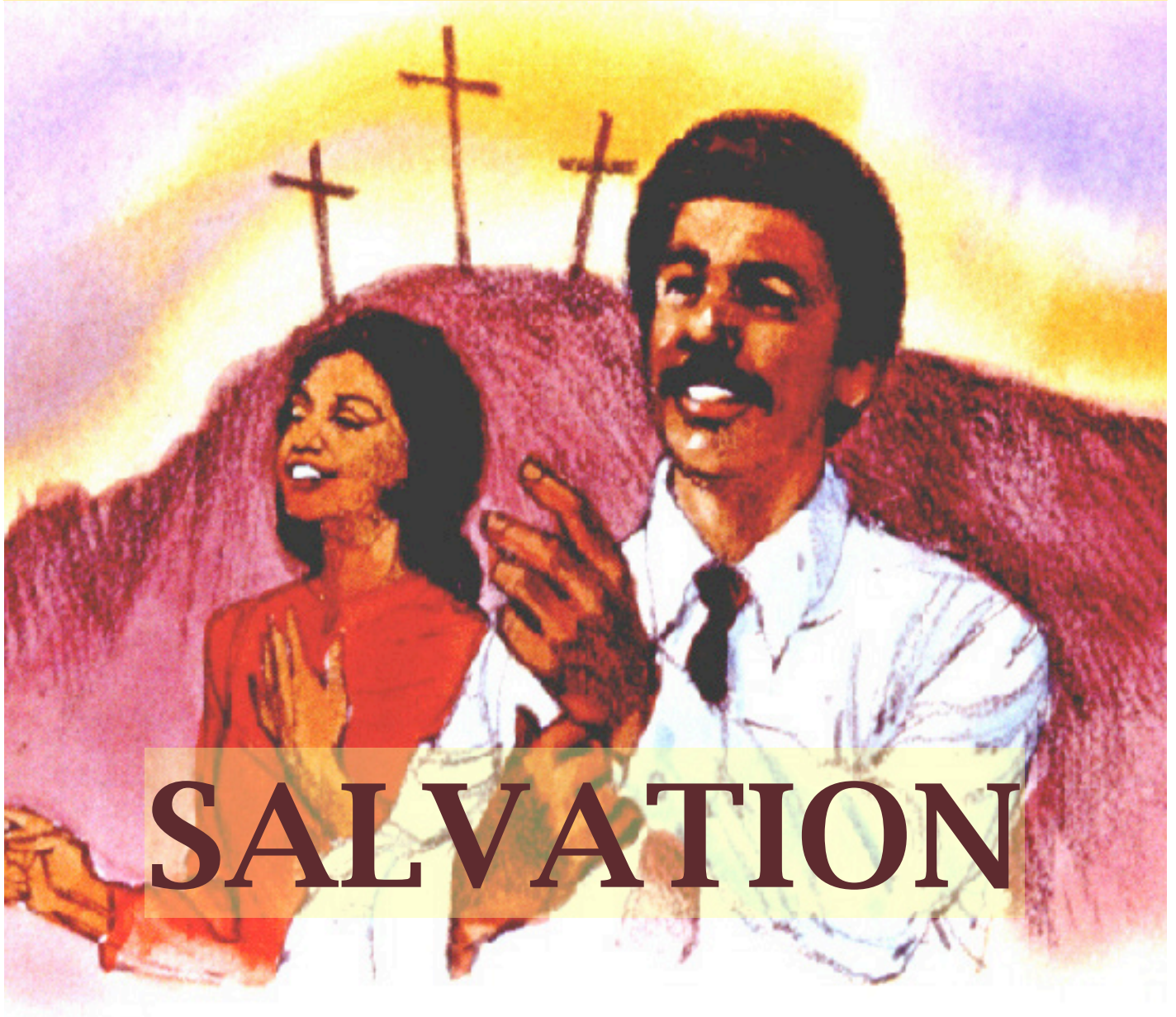


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# The Whole Truth About





Just how is a man or woman saved? Is it easier to be lost than saved? Is there some work that must be accomplished? Is there a feeling acquainted with salvation that lets us know when we are ready to be saved? Jesus said without a doubt unless we are born again we CANNOT see the Kingdom of heaven (see John 3:5). We will see just how simple salvation is when we learn the whole truth about salvation.

## 1. What was the result of the action by our foreparents--Adam & Eve?

### ANSWER:

**"Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned"**

**Romans 5:12**



## 2. What did King David recognize about his own human condition?

### ANSWER:

**"Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,**

**And in sin my mother conceived me."**

**Psalms 51:5**





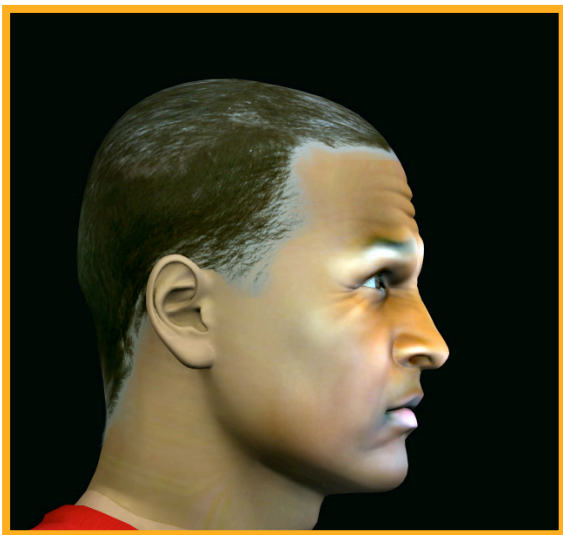
**3. What did the prophet Jeremiah have to say about the mind and nature of man?**

**ANSWER:**

**"The heart is deceitful above all things,  
And desperately wicked;  
Who can know it?"  
Jeremiah 17:9**



**4. What are the natural results of man's nature?**



**ANSWER:**

**"for all have sinned and fall  
short of the glory of God,**

**For the wages of sin is death;  
but the gift of God is eternal  
life through Jesus Christ our  
Lord."**

**Romans 3:23; 6:23**

**5. What did Paul say was the makeup of man's nature and the natural result of sin?**

**ANSWER:**

**"Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God."**

**Galatians 5:19-21**



**6. For what purpose did Christ come into the world?**

**ANSWER:**

**"This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners"**

**1 Timothy 1:15**





## 7. What was the result of the life that Jesus lived?

### ANSWER:

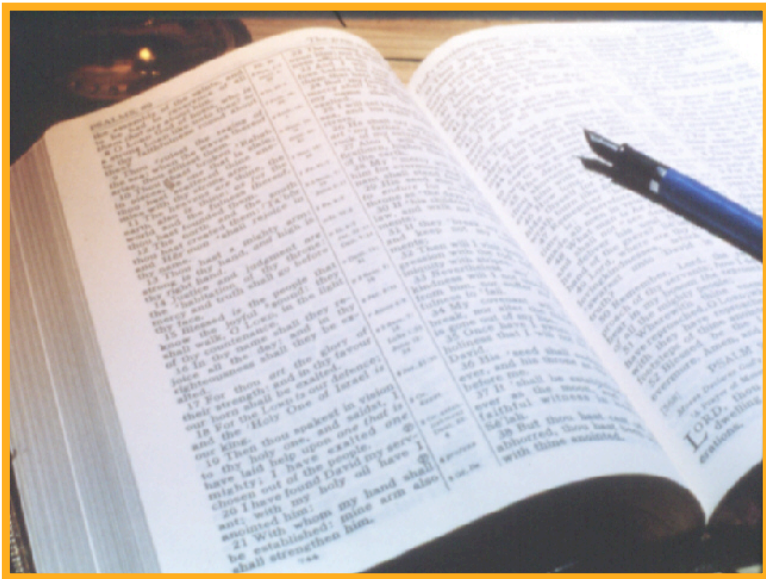
**"For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so also by one Man's obedience many will be made righteous."  
Romans 5:19**



## 8. How are we saved?

### ANSWER:

**"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**



## 9. How do we know when we are ready to be saved?

### **ANSWER:**

**"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;"  
Romans 3:23**

**"And when the scribes and Pharisees saw Him eating with the tax collectors and sinners, they said to His disciples, "How is it that He eats and drinks with tax collectors and sinners?"**

**When Jesus heard it, He said to them, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance."**

**Mark 2:16, 17**



**Note:** There is nothing we can do to try to save ourselves. We are all sinners who need the remedy that only Jesus can offer.



**10. What did Jesus say to Nicodemus about the only way man's nature could be changed?**

**ANSWER:**

**"Jesus answered and said to him, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God."**

**Nicodemus said to Him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?"**

**Jesus answered, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.'"**

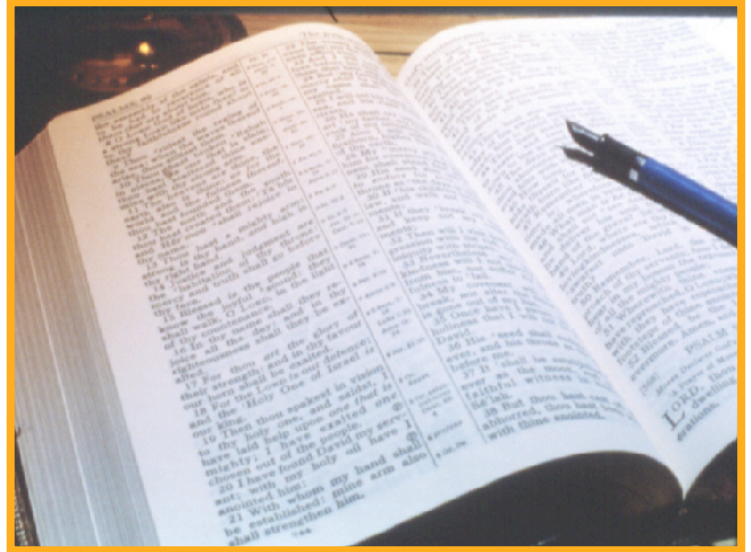
**John 3:3-7**



**11. What is the first step to become born again?**

**ANSWER:**

**"Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord,"  
Acts 3:19**



**12. After repentance what other steps will follow?**

**ANSWER:**

**"Then Peter said to them,  
"Repent, and let every one of  
you be baptized in the name  
of Jesus Christ for the  
remission of sins; and you  
shall receive the gift of the  
Holy Spirit."  
Acts 2:38**



**"If we confess our sins, He is  
faithful and just to forgive us  
our sins and to cleanse us from  
all unrighteousness."  
1 John 1:9**



### 13. Is anyone beyond saving?

#### ANSWER:

**“Come now, and let us reason together,”  
Says the Lord,  
“Though your sins are like scarlet,  
They shall be as white as snow;  
Though they are red like crimson,  
They shall be as wool.”  
Isaiah 1:18**



**“For God so loved the world  
that He gave His only  
begotten Son, that whoever  
believes in Him should not  
perish but have everlasting  
life.”**

**John 3:16**

### 14. What can we do to affect a change of heart?

#### ANSWER:

**“Abide in Me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear  
fruit of itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can  
you, unless you abide in Me.**

**“I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides  
in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me  
you can do nothing.”**

**John 15:4, 5**



**"I delight to do Your will, O my God, And Your law is within my heart."**  
**Psalms 40:8**

**For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put My laws in their mind and write them on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.**  
**Hebrews 8:10**

**15. Who is responsible for the salvation process?**

**ANSWER:**

**"No one can come to Me unless the Father who sent Me draws him; and I will raise him up at the last day."**  
**John 6:44**

**"And I, if I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all peoples to Myself."**  
**John 12:32**



**Note:** Jesus is responsible for the salvation process. If we do not resist Him and follow His leading and direction He will ultimately save us.



## 16. How do we become Christians?



**Note:** We must receive the gift of salvation. We must believe that we have received the gift of salvation, and we must believe in the giver of the gift—Jesus. We also need to believe that He will save us. All we have to do is tell Jesus, “I’m sorry that my sins hurt you. I accept the change you want to bring in my life. I accept your gift. I accept you. Jesus please take me, I give you my life.”

## 17. What is the natural result of the salvation process?

### **ANSWER:**

**“I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will keep My judgments and do them.”**

**Ezekiel 36:26, 27**

### **ANSWER:**

**“But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name”**

**John 1:12**

**“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”**

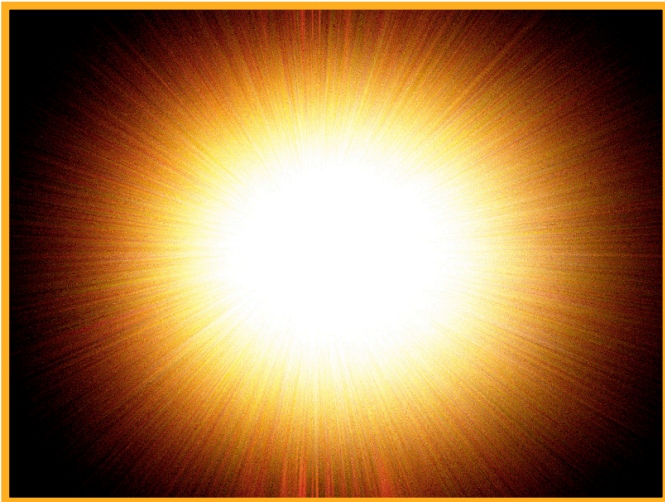
**Romans 6:23**

**“So they said, “Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved, you and your household.””**

**Acts 16:31**



**"If you love Me, keep My commandments."** Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him."  
**John 14:15, 23**



**18. Which member of the Godhead helps Christians live right?**

**ANSWER:**

**"Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."**

**Acts 2:38**

**"However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you."**

**John 16:13, 14**



19. What are new Christians called?

**ANSWER:**

"as newborn babes,  
desire the pure milk of  
the word, that you may  
grow thereby,"  
1 Peter 2:2



20. Will new Christians  
ever make mistakes; if so  
what happens?



**ANSWER:**

"If we say that we have no sin,  
we deceive ourselves, and the  
truth is not in us. If we confess  
our sins, He is faithful and just  
to forgive us our sins and to  
cleanse us from all  
unrighteousness. If we say that  
we have not sinned, we make  
Him a liar, and His word is not  
in us.

**Note:** Babies don't walk or talk when they are first born. It takes time. When it is time for them to learn how to walk and talk they will make mistakes, but they will learn from them. As it is in the physical world, so it is in the spiritual.

**My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous."**

**1 John 1:8-2:1**

## **21. What are newborn Christians called to do?**

### **ANSWER:**

**"but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."**

**2 Peter 3:18**



The truth about salvation is that it is not a feeling. It is a gift (Rom. 3:23). A gift is something that we receive free of charge. We either accept it or reject it. The gift of salvation comes as a result of Jesus' death on the cross. He willingly gave His life because He loves you and me. We must accept it by faith and believe that through the Holy Spirit Jesus has come into our hearts to help us live right. The moment we repent, confess our sins, and believe--we become Christians. We must then learn how God wants us to live, and by the power of the the Holy Spirit follow His plan. After that, we must be baptized (Matt 28:19, 20). Now we are born again--we start afresh. Without this, Jesus said, it is impossible to enter into heaven. He said you must be born again of the Spirit (acceptance of the gift of God in your life). His Spirit will help you live right. Then you need to be born of water (Bible baptism--that comes after we have learned how He wants us to live.) (John 3:1-6). How about it my Friend? Do you trust God enough to give Him your life? Do accept what He has done for you in order that you might be saved? Do you accept His gift of salvation?"