

JESUS DELIVERS US FROM SIN TO RIGHTEOUS ACTIONS

Jesus was born without a sin nature. Jesus was the Holy One. Luke 1:31-35

How do we know that Jesus lived sinless, died sinless, and rose from the grave? 1 Cor. 15:3-8

Our sin put Jesus on the Cross and crucified Him. Why was all our sin against Jesus? He is God.

God is holy and sinless. Sin is always against God. How was our sin laid upon Jesus? Isa. 53:11

Sin did the most atrocious act of all time. Sin killed a sinless, holy person, the very Son of God.

Parable of the vinedressers: Matthew 21:38

What did the sinless death of Jesus do to sin? It condemned sin. Romans 8:3

Condemned is a legal term. It both sentences sin and executes sin. Sin has been condemned to its utter removal from creation. The Bible declares the 3 phases of sin removal.

God the Father has given Jesus all the authority and power to judge sin and remove it from creation.

John 5:22 Matthew 28:18

Jesus will deliver you from sin if you let Him.

Four of the actions of the Holy Spirit for your sin deliverance can be remembered with RISEN.

Rebirth, Indwelling, Sealing, Eternal Life, New Fellowship

R: rebirth John 3:7 Jesus said, "You must be born again."

I: indwelling John 14:17 The Holy Spirit dwells with you and is in you.

S: sealed Eph. 1:13 After you believed, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit.

E: eternal life John 3:16;14:16 Whoever believes in Jesus has eternal life and the Holy Spirit abides within you forever.

N: new fellowship Romans 6:12a, 13b Let not sin reign in your body, but yield yourselves unto God as instruments of righteousness unto God.

Your church is made up of believers who are God's instruments of righteous actions.

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Luke 1:31b,35b The angel said to Mary, call His name Jesus, this Holy One who is to be born will be called the Son of God.

1 Cor. 15:3-8 Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, He was buried, and He rose again the third day, He was seen by Peter, then the twelve, after that He was seen by 500 believers at once, after that He was seen by James, then all the Apostles and He was seen by me.

Isaiah 53:11b,6b By His knowledge He shall bear our iniquities. The LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

Matthew 21:33-39 God planted a garden letting men live thereby and gather the harvest. God sent servants to receive the harvest, but men killed God's servants. Last of all God sent His Son, Jesus, saying, They will respect my Son. But men said let's kill the Son and seize His inheritance. So they killed Him.

Romans 8:3 So God condemned sin by the death of His Son.

Matthew 28:18 Jesus said, "All power is given to me in heaven and on earth.

John 5:22 The Father judgeth no man, but has given all judgment to the Son.

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Romans 5:10b We shall be saved by His life.

Romans 10: For with the heart you believe and are declared righteous, and with your mouth confession is made and unto salvation.

Confessing Jesus with the mouth is the way we actually find deliverance from sin in our daily lives.

The most common way we confess Jesus with our mouth is by singing hymns and spiritual songs.

Ephesians 5:19 Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord.

Acts 16:25 At midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God; and the prisoners heard them.

Singing Scripture out loud helps us commit spiritual truths to memory, helps make solid our commitment to follow the commands of Jesus, and helps produce boldness to say no to temptations to sin and boldness to do righteous actions. Righteous actions are those initiated by and empowered

by Christ in your life. Examples: singing hymns, reading Scripture, praying about everything, speaking truth, doing right, and stopping wrong actions in your life.

Colossians 3: 1-25

Our salvation includes deliverance from sin and deliverance to righteous actions. Our salvation includes new birth, new life, and future glorification. Some actions of the Holy Spirit are immediate in the life of the believer. Other actions of the Holy Spirit are ongoing.

God is righteous and just in saving you because He makes you a new creation in Christ. You are saved by His new life in you.

Romans 3:26b God is just and the justifier of all who believe in Jesus.

Romans 4:25 Jesus was raised for our justification.

Romans 5:9 Being justified by His death and resurrection, we are being saved from wrath through Him.

Romans 5:10b We are being saved by His life.

Romans 5:18b By the righteousness (sinless life and sinless death) of Jesus, the free gift to all men is unto justification of life.

Romans 5:19b By the obedience of Jesus many are made righteous.

The purpose of redemption is to make those of a ready and receptive mind to become new creations who do righteous acts.

In **Matthew 10:11**, “worthy” people are those who have a readiness of mind to hear.

In **Acts 17:11,12**, the Bereans examined the Scriptures to find truth. Many of them believed in Jesus.

In **Acts 13:51**, Paul shook the dust off his feet against those who were stubborn and had no readiness of mind to hear the truth.

In **Colossians 3:12,13**, Paul says to clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

Revelation 19:8 says that believers clothe themselves in righteous acts.

