

THE PLAN OF SALVATION STUDY FOR NEW CHRISTIANS

Mark 8:36

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Introduction: This is the first of a series of studies for new Christians but can also be used as a study for the entire church family. The study can be use as well for aids to witnessing by the church family. The central topic of the Scriptures is about salvation and it should be the most important topic of human concern.

I. ALL ARE SINNERS

- Romans 3:10, 23
- Isaiah 53:6
- Isaiah 64:6
- Jeremiah 17:9
- James 2:10

Sin is to miss the mark. Anything that is short of God's sinless perfection is SIN.

II. THE PENALTY FOR SIN IS DEATH

- Romans 6:23
- Ezekiel 18:20

"Death" is separation
Physical death is the body separated from the soul.
Spiritual death is the soul separated from God.

Revelation 20:14-15 - The second death equal the lake of fire.
The ultimate penalty for sin is separation from God, for eternity, in Hell.

III. ENTRANCE TO HEAVEN REQUIRES SINLESSNESS

- Being in heaven is being in God's immediate presence.
- Revelation 21:23-27
- Habakkuk 1:13

IV. MAN CAN DO NOTHING TO ATTAIN SINLESSNESS

- Isaiah 64:6
- Galatians 2:16
- Ephesians 2:8-9
- Romans 4:5

V. GOD HAS PROVIDED A SIN BEARER - JESUS CHRIST

- 2 Corinthians 5:21
- Isaiah 53:6
- 1 Peter 2:24
- 1 Peter 3:18
- Philippians 3:9 - We have God's righteousness through faith in Jesus Christ.

VI. MAN NEEDS ONLY TO BELIEVE IN JESUS FOR SALVATION

- John 1:12
 - John 3:16
 - Acts 16:31
 - Romans 10:9
- Believe - To have faith in
To trust
To rely upon

CONCLUSION:

Use your own application