

Building a relationship with God

"We love God because he loved us first." 1 John 4:10

PART 5: THE SALVATION OUTCOME

1. God is love. Love prompted Him to redeem us. 1 John 4:8-9
2. God created human's beings in his image. Genesis 1:27-31
3. Sin destroys our fellowship with God so we run from his presence. Genesis 3:8 + Isaiah 59:1-2
4. Separated from God we deserve to die eternally. Romans 6:23
5. All have sinned and are under the penalty of death. Romans 3:23
6. Adam disobedience brought death, Jesus obedience brought life. Roman 5:18-19
7. Jesus bore our curse. Galatians 3:13
8. Jesus experienced death for us. Hebrews 2:8-9
9. Jesus became sin (took its penalty for us) so we can be redeemed to God. 2 Corinthians 5:21
10. As we repent from our sin, He forgives us. Acts 3:19
11. As we confess our sin, he pardons us. 1 John 1:9
12. Receiving Jesus and his sacrifice, we are no longer condemned. Romans 8:1
13. Through grace by faith we are saved. Ephesians 2:8
14. As we receive Him by faith we become sons of God. John 1;12
15. Believing in him, we receive the gift of eternal life. 1 John 5:11-13
16. The Holy Spirit dwells in use as a sign we are children of God. 1 Corinthians 3:16
17. Salvation is a present experience and gift of Gods for all who believe. John 3:16
18. God will bruise Satan under foot for trying to separate us from Him. Romans 16:20

Why we are here is an easy question.

God being all-powerful could have destroyed Satan immediately, but that would show that he was a dictator just ready to destroy all that disobey, but He is not that way. The Bible says God is love and in that we find the reason why we are here. He loves us with all his heart by letting the sin situation play out. Not giving us what we deserve and not destroying us the first time we sin. He shows the entire universe that he is the kind and caring God he has always said he was, and that Satan is a liar. That Gods' way is the right way to eternal life and he freely gives life to all who respond to the call.

The rest of the story.

Well, the rest is still unwritten. We are all given our whole life the opportunity to decide. So you can freely decide when and however you want to. But the only question left is, how much longer will you survive?

Nobody, not even God, will force a decision. But some things aren't worth waiting to figure out. If you want, it's worth the time! It's worth your life.