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My Biblical Manifesto (~Discipleship 101)

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Names of God: First Resource, or Last Resort? Omnipotent- Omnipresent- Omniscient- Eternal- Sovereign

"Who among you fears YAHWEH and obeys the word of his servant? ...trust in the name[s] of YAHWEH and rely on [your] God." (Isa 50:10)

"Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name[s] of YAHWEH our God." (Ps 20:7)

YHWH Self-Existent One (I Am) **ELOHIM** Almighty God, Creator God Most High, Sovereign **EL-ELYON** YAHWEH Who Sees You EL-ROI EL-SHADDAI-ROHI All Sufficient Almighty One **EL-OLAM Eternal Everlasting YAHWEH EL-DEAH** God Of Knowledge & Wisdom YHWH-GHMOLAH YAHWEH Our Recompense YHWH-JIREH YAHWEH Will Provide YHWH-RAPHA YAHWEH Our Healer YHWH-NISSI **YAHWEH Our Banner** YHWH-MEKADISHKEM **YAHWEH Sanctifies You** YHWH-SHALOM **YAHWEH Our Peace** YHWH-SABAOTH YAHWEH Our Lord Of Hosts YAHWEH Is My Shepherd YHWH-ROHI **YAHWEH Our Righteousness** YHWH-TSIDKENU YHWH-SHAMMAH YAHWEH Is Here Present **ABBA** YAHWEH Is Your Father **QANNA** Jealous, or Zealous God **ADONAI** Lord Over All, Our Master

The Living Word Of God: Infallible Revelation of God to Man

Holy Spirit Inspired – Inerrant – Infallible – 66 Books – 40 Authors – 2000+ Years – Integrated Message System (Thank you, Chuck Missler, for waking me up to the Living Word of God!)

"The Spirit gives life; the flesh counts for nothing. The words I have spoken to you are spirit and they are life. Yet some of you do not believe." (Jn 6:63)

"For the word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart. Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight. Everything is uncovered and laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account." (Heb 4:12-13)

"It is written: 'Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God." (Mt 4:4)

"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away." (Lk 21:33)

"The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of our God stands forever." (Isa 40:8, 1Pt 1:25)

"As for God, his way is perfect; the word of YAHWEY is flawless. He is a shield for all who take refuge in him."
(2 Sam 22:31)

"Your word, O YAHWEH, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens." (Ps 119:89)

"Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path."
(Ps 119:105)

The law of YAHWEH is perfect, reviving the soul.

The statutes of YAHWEH are trustworthy, making wise the simple.

The precepts of YAHWEH are right, giving joy to the heart. The commands of YAHWEH are radiant, giving light to the eyes.

The fear of YAHWEH is pure, enduring forever.

The ordinances of YAHWEH are sure and altogether righteous.

They are more precious than gold, than much pure gold; they are sweeter than honey, than honey from the comb.

By them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward. (Ps 19:7-11)

YAHWEH: "Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for YAHWEH your God will be with you wherever you go." (Joshua 1:7-9)

TRUTH or Tradition?

"All scripture is God breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

... I give you this charge: Preach the Word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage - with great patience and careful instruction. For the time will come when men will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires they will gather around them a great number of teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear. They will turn their ears away from the truth and turn aside to myths." (2 Tim 3:16-4:4)

"You have a fine way of setting aside the commands of God in order to observe your own traditions... Thus you nullify the Word of God by your traditions that you have handed down. And you do many things like that" (Mk 7:9,13)

And Jesus replied, "And why do you break the command of God for the sake of your tradition? ...you nullify the word of God for the sake of your tradition. You hypocrites! Isaiah was right when he prophesied about you:

'These people honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. They worship me in vain; their teachings are but rules taught by men.'" (Mt 15:3, 7-9)

"His letters contain some things that are hard to understand, which ignorant and unstable people distort, as they do other scriptures, to their own destruction." (2 Pt 3:16)

Who Is Your Teacher?

"A student is not above his teacher, but everyone who is fully trained will be like his teacher." (Luke 6:40)

"A student is not above his teacher, nor a servant above his master. It is enough for the student to be like his teacher, and the servant like his master." (Mt 10:24,25)

"Nor are you to be called 'teacher,' for you have one Teacher, the Christ." (Mt 23:10)

"The words I say to you are not just my own. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work. Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe in the evidence of the miracles themselves. I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.

And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father.

You may ask me for anything in my name, and <u>I will do it</u>." (Jn 14:10-14)

"The Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you." (Jn 14:26)

"My glorious ABBA YAHWEY, and God of my Lord Jesus Christ, I'm asking, like Paul, that you would give me the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that I may know you, your son, Jesus, and Holy Spirit, more intimately. I pray also that the eyes of my heart may be enlightened in order that I may know the hope to which you have called me, the riches of your glorious inheritance in the saints, and your incomparably great power for us who believe. That power

is like the working of your mighty strength, which you exerted in Christ when you raised him from the dead and seated him at your right hand in the heavenly realms..."
(Eph 1:17-20)

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing... If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you. This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples." (Jn 15:5-8)

"My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one: I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me." (Jn 17:20-23)

"Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. Many will say to me on that day, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and in your name drive out demons and perform many miracles?' Then I will tell them plainly, 'I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!'"

(Mt 7:21-23)

"If you love me, you will obey what I command. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever--the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you... On that day you will realize that I am in my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you.

Whoever has my commands and obeys them, he is the one who loves me. He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him."

...Jesus replied, "If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him." (Jn 14:15-25)

"But I tell you the truth: It is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Counselor will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. When he comes, he will convict the world of guilt in regard to sin and righteousness and judgment: in regard to sin, because men do not believe in me; in regard to righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; and in regard to judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

"I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, <u>he will guide you into all truth</u>. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and <u>he will tell you what is vet to come</u>. He will bring glory to me by taking from what is mine and making it known to you. All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will take from what is mine and make it known to you."

(Jn 16:7-15)

"Show me your ways, O YAHWEY, teach me your paths; guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long.

Good and upright is YAHWEY; therefore he instructs sinners in his ways.

He guides the humble in what is right and teaches them his way.

All the ways of YAHWEY are loving and faithful for those who keep the demands of his covenant.

For the sake of your name, O YAHWEY, forgive my iniquity, though it is great.

Who, then, is the man that fears YAHWEY? He will instruct him in the way chosen for him."

He will spend his days in prosperity, and his descendants will inherit the land.

The Lord confides in those who fear him; he makes his covenant known to them. (Ps 25:4~14)

"Whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable-- if anything is excellent or praiseworthy-- think about such things. Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me-- put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you." (Phil 4:8-9)

"God who gives life to the dead and calls things that are not as though they were." (Rom 4:17)

"He chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things – and the things that are not – to nullify the things that are, so that no one may boast before him." (1 Cor 1:28)

Faith In Jesus

"Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.

...<u>By faith</u> we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible.

...And <u>without faith</u> it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to Him must believe that He exists and that He rewards those who earnestly seek Him." (Heb 11:1,3,6)

"Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe"

Thomas said to him, "My Lord and my God!"

Then Jesus told him, "Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and vet have believed." (Jn 20:27-29)

"I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile. For in the gospel a righteousness from God is revealed, a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: 'The righteous will live by faith.'"

(Rom 1:16-17)

"He who is coming will come and will not delay. But my righteous one will live by faith.

And if he shrinks back, I will not be pleased with him. But we are not of those who shrink back and are destroyed, but of those who believe and are saved." (Heb 10:37-39)

It is written: "I believed: therefore I have spoken." With that same spirit of faith we also believe and therefore speak.
(2 Cor 4:13)

"The man took Jesus at his word and departed..." (Jn 4:46-54)

"However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find <u>faith</u> on the earth?" (Lk 18:8)

The Father's Gift of The Holy Spirit

"In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams.

Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.

I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke.

The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord. And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." (Acts 2:17-21)

But I tell you the truth: It is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Counselor will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. (John 16:7)

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them. (Acts 2:1-4)

"All the prophets testify about [Jesus] that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name." While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message. (Acts 10:43-44)

This salvation, which was first announced by the Lord, was confirmed to us by those who heard him. God also testified to it by signs, wonders and various miracles, and gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will. (Heb 2:3-4)

"Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. To one there is given through the Spirit the message of wisdom, to another the message of knowledge by means of the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit, to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he gives them to each one, just as he determines.

(1 Cor 12:7-12)

"We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. If a man's gift is <u>prophesying</u>, let him use it in proportion to his faith. If it is <u>serving</u>, let him serve; if it is <u>teaching</u>, let him teach; if it is <u>encouraging</u>, let him encourage; if it is contributing to the needs of others, let him <u>give generously</u>; if it is <u>leadership</u>, let him govern diligently; if it is showing <u>mercy</u>, let him do it cheerfully. (Rom 12:6-8)

"Follow the way of love and eagerly desire spiritual gifts, especially the gift of prophecy" (1Cor 14:1)

"But to each one of us <u>grace</u> has been given as Christ apportioned it... It was [Jesus] who gave some to be <u>apostles</u>, some to be <u>prophets</u>, some to be <u>evangelists</u>, and some to be <u>pastors</u> and <u>teachers</u>, to prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up..."

(Eph 4:11-12)

"Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. And in the church God has appointed first of all <u>apostles</u>, second <u>prophets</u>, third <u>teachers</u>, then workers of <u>miracles</u>, also those having gifts of healing, those able to help others, those with

gifts of <u>administration</u>, and those speaking in different kinds of tongues... But eagerly desire the greater gifts." (1 Cor 12:27-31)

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law." (Gal 5:22-23)

[Jesus] gave them this command: "<u>Do not leave</u> Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." (Acts 1:4-5)

"But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you." (Jn 14:26)

Christ's Commission & Authority

"The Spirit of the Lord is on me,

because he has anointed me to preach the good news to the poor.

He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to release the oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." (Lk 4:18-19)

"But if I drive out demons by the Spirit of God, then the kingdom of God has come upon you." (Mt 12:28)

[Jesus] said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. And these signs will accompany those who believe. In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well."

After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it." (Mk 16:15-20)

Jesus said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." (Mt 28:18-20)

He called his [12] disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out evil spirits and to heal every disease and sickness... Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. As you go, preach this message: 'The kingdom of heaven is near.' Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received, freely give." (Mt 10:1, 6-8)

"Go! I am sending you [72] out like lambs among wolves...Heal the sick who are there and tell them, 'The kingdom of God is near you.' ...He who listens to you listens to me; he who rejects you rejects me; but he who rejects me rejects him who sent me."

...The seventy-two returned with joy and said, "Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name." He replied, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you. However do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven." (Lk 10:3-20)

"I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." (Mt 16:19)

"I tell you the truth, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

"Again, I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything you ask for, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them." (Mt 18:18-20)

Rescue those being led away to death; hold back those staggering toward slaughter.

If you say, "But we knew nothing about this," does not he who weighs the heart perceive it?

Does not he who guards your life know it?

Will he not repay each person according to what he has done? (Prov 24: 11-12)

But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. (1 Pt 3:15)

"Come and see what God has done, how awesome His works in man's behalf!

...Come and listen, all you who fear God; let me tell you what he has done for me." (Ps 66:5,16)

Genesis 12 (Costa Mesa ~1978):

"I will make you into a great nation and I will bless you;
I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing.
I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you." (Gen 12:2-3)

"Wait until you see what I am going to do for you!" (Cameron Park ~2002)

HIS Witnesses - w/ Power, Signs & Wonders

"So then, men ought to regard us as servants of Christ and as those entrusted with the secret things of God. Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful."

(1 Cor 4:1-2)

"No doubt there have to be differences among you to show which of you have God's approval." (1 Cor 11:19)

"The crucible for silver and the furnace for gold, but YAHWEY test the heart." (Prov 17:3)

"In a large house there are articles not only of gold and silver, but also of wood and clay; some are for noble purposes and some for ignoble. If a man cleanses himself from the latter, he will be an instrument for noble purposes, made holy, useful to the Master and prepared to do any good work."

(2 Tim 2:19b-22)

"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in [Berryville, Virginia, the United States, and and to the ends of the World]." (Acts 1:8)

"For Christ did not send me to baptize, but to preach the gospel – not with words of human wisdom, lest the cross of Christ be emptied of it's power." (1Cor 1:17)

"For the kingdom of God is not a matter of talk but of power." (1 Cor 4:20)

"My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the Spirit's power, so that your faith might not rest on men's wisdom, but on God's power." (1 Cor 2:4-5)

"...He has chosen you, because the gospel came to you not simply with words but also with power, with the Holy Spirt and deep conviction." (1 Th 1:5)

PRAYER: "Now, Lord, consider their threats and <u>enable your</u> <u>servants to speak your word with great boldness</u>. Stretch out your hand to heal and perform <u>miraculous signs</u> and <u>wonders</u> through the name of your holy servant Jesus (Who lives in me).

After they prayed, the place were they where meetingwas shaken. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke the word of God boldly" (Acts 4:29-31)

ANSWER: So Paul and Barnabas spent considerable time there, speaking boldly for the Lord, who confirmed the message of his grace by enabling them to <u>do miraculous signs and</u> wonders. (Acts 14:3)

Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off — for all whom the Lord our God will call." (Acts 2:38-39)

Philip went down to a city in Samaria and proclaimed the Christ there. When the crowds heard Philip and saw the miraculous signs he did, they all paid close attention to what he said. With shrieks, evil spirits came out of many, and many paralytics and cripples were healed. So there was great joy in that city. (Acts 8:5-8)

I will not venture to speak of anything except what Christ has accomplished through me in leading the Gentiles to obey God by what I have said and done--by the power of signs and miracles, through the power of the Spirit. (Rom 15:18-19)

I will remember the deeds of YAHWEY; yes, I will remember your miracles of long ago.

I will meditate on all your works and consider all your mighty deeds.

Your ways, O God, are holy. What god is so great as our God? You are the God who performs miracles; you display your power among the peoples. (Ps 77:11-14)

Be His Messenger

"I am YAHWEY...
who foils the signs of false prophets
and makes fools of diviners,
who overthrows the learning of the wise
and turns it into nonsense,
who carries out the words of his servants
and fulfills the predictions of his messengers."
(Isa 44:25-26)

"Fear not! For I am with you.
Do not be dismayed. For I am your God.
I will strengthen you and help you;
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."
(Isa 41:10)

"If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God." (1 Pt 4:11)

"Have faith in God." Jesus answered. "I tell you the truth, if anyone says to this mountain, 'Go, throw yourself into the sea,' and does not doubt in his heart but believes that what he says will happen, it will be done for him. Therefore, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours." (Mk 11:22-24)

YAHWEY was with Samuel as he grew up, and he let none of his words fall to the ground. And all Israel from Dan to Beersheba recognized that Samuel was attested as a prophet of YAHWEY. (1 Sam 3:19-20)

The Spirit of YAHWEY will come upon you in power, and you will prophesy with them; and you will be changed into a different person. (1 Sam 10:6)

The Spirit of YAHWEY came upon him in power so that he tore the lion apart with his bare hands as he might have torn a young goat. (Judges 14:6)

Then the Spirit of YAHWEY came upon him in power. He went down to Ashkelon, struck down thirty of their men, stripped them of their belongings and gave their clothes to those who had explained the riddle. Burning with anger, he went up to his father's house. (Judges 14:19)

The Spirit of YAHWEY came upon him in power. The ropes on his arms became like charred flax, and the bindings dropped from his hands. Finding a fresh jawbone of a donkey, he grabbed it and struck down a thousand men. (Judges 15:14-15)

The righteous one takes note of the house of the wicked and brings the wicked to ruin. (Prov 21:12)

A wise man attacks the city of the mighty and pulls down the stronghold in which they trust. (Prov 21:22)

God presides in the great assembly; he gives judgment among the 'gods':

"How long will you defend the unjust and show partiality to the wicked?

Defend the cause of the weak and fatherless; maintain the rights of the poor and oppressed.

Rescue the weak and needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked. (Ps 82:1-4)

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares YAHWEY, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart. I will be found by you." declares YAHWEY, "and will bring you back from captivity." (Jer 29:11-14a)

Do not love the world or anything in the world...The world and its desires pass away, but the man who does the will of God lives forever. (1Jn 2:15, 17)

"Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God - this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is - his good, pleasing and perfect will." (Rom 12:1,2)

Do you not know that the wicked will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived: Neither the sexually immoral nor idolaters nor adulterers nor male prostitutes, nor homosexual offenders, nor thieves nor greedy nor drunkards nor slanderers nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God. And that is what some of you were. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.

Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ himself? Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have received from God?

(1 Cor 6:9-11,15,19)

"Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Come near to God, and he will come near to you." (James 4:7-8)

Exhortation to Heal

...but you do not take care of the flock. You have not strengthened the weak or healed the sick or bound up the injured. (Ez 34:3)

...Asa was afflicted with a disease in his feet. Though his disease was severe, even in his illness he did not seek help from YAHWEY, but only from the physicians. (2 Ch 16:12)

Therefore, strengthen your feeble arms and weak knees. Make level paths for your feet, so that the lame may not be disabled, but rather healed. (Heb 12:12-13)

Healing Scriptures

"Praise YAHWEY, O my soul;
all my inmost being, praise his holy name.
Praise YAHWEY, O my soul,
and forget not all his benefits —
who forgives all [my] sins
and heals all [my] diseases,
who redeems [my] life from the pit
and crowns [me] with love and compassion,
who satisfies [my] desires with good things
so that [my] youth is renewed like the eagle's."
(Ps 103:1-5)

26 [YAHWEY] said, "If you listen carefully to the voice of the Lord your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am YAHWEY, who heals you." (Ex 15:26)

"Surely he took up our infirmities and carried our sorrows, yet we considered him stricken by God, smitten by him, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon him, and by his wounds we are healed. (Isa 53: 4-5)

"When evening came, many who were demon possessed were brought to him, and he drove out the spirits with a word and healed all the sick. This was to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet Isaiah: 'He took up our infirmities and carried our diseases.'" (Mt 8:16-17)

"He himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, that we might die to sin, and live unto righteousness; for by His stripes you were healed." (1 Pt 2:24)

I am YAHWEY who heals you. (Ex 15:26)

He sent his word and healed them. (Ps 107:20)

"Go back and report to John what you have seen and heard: The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cured, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the good news is preached to the poor..." (Lk 7:22-23)

Jesus went through Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people. (Mt 4:23)

People brought all their sick to him and begged him to let the sick just touch the edge of his cloak, and all who touched him were healed. (Mt 14: 35-36)

As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy met him. They stood at a distance and called out in a loud voice, "Jesus, Master, have pity on us!" When he saw them, he said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed. (Lk 17:12-14)

The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. He called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out evil spirits and to heal every disease and sickness. (Mt 9:37-10:1)

My son, pay attention to what I say; listen closely to my words... for they are life to those who find them and health to a man's whole body. (Prov 4:20,22)

God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him. (Acts 10:38)

The reason the Son of Man appeared was to destroy the devil's work. (1 Jn 3:8)

Dear friend, I pray that you may enjoy good health and that all may go well with you, even as your soul is getting along well.

(3 Jn 2)

Sin & Sickness Connection

...If you do not obey <u>YAHWEY your God</u> and do not carefully follow all his commands and decrees I am giving you today, all these curses will come upon you... <u>YAHWEY</u> will plague you with diseases until he has destroyed you... <u>YAHWEY</u> will strike you with wasting disease, with fever and inflammation, with scorching heat and drought, with blight and mildew, which will plague you until you perish... YAHWEY will also bring upon you every kind of sickness and disaster not recorded in this Book of the Law, until you are destroyed. (Dt 28:15,21,22,61)

"You shall not make for yourself an idol in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I, YAHWEY your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing love to a thousand [generations] of those who love me and keep my commandments. (Ex 20:4-6)

...if you listen carefully to the voice of YAHWEY your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am YAHWEY, who heals you. (Ex 15:22-26)

"See, you are well again. Stop sinning or something worse may happen to you." (Jn 5:14)

"Which is easier: to say, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up and walk'? But so that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins...." Then he said to the paralytic, "Get up, take your mat and go home." (Mt 9:4-7)

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1 Jn 1:9)

Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself. That is why many among you are weak and sick, and a number of you have fallen asleep. (1 Cor 11:27-30)

Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up. If he has sinned, he will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to each other so that you may be healed. (James 5:14-16)

Sin Entangles

"No one can enter a strong man's house and carry off his possessions unless he first ties up the strong man. Then he can rob his house." (Mk 3:27)

"The evil deeds of a wicked man ensnare him; the cords of his sin hold him fast.

He will die for lack of discipline, led astray by his own great folly." (Prov 5:22-23)

"If men are bound in chains, held fast by cords of affliction, he tells them what they have done- that they have sinned arrogantly.

He makes them listen to correction and commands them to repent of their evil.

If they obey and serve him, they will spend the rest of their days in prosperity and their years in contentment.

But if they do not listen, they will perish by the sword and die without knowledge." (Job 36:8-12)

"Throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles." (Heb. 12:1)

"I cried out to him with my mouth; his praise was on my tongue. If I had cherished sin in my heart, YAHWEY would not have listened; but God has surely listened and heard my voice in prayer." (Ps 66:17-19)

"But your iniquities have separated you from your God; your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear. (Isa 59:2)

"He who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy." (Prov 28:13)

"Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit lives in you? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy him; for God's temple is sacred, and you are that temple." (1 Cor 3:16-17)

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive sin and will heal their land." (2 Ch 7:14)

Judging The Church

And I have already passed judgment on the one who did this, just as if I were present. When you are assembled in the name of our Lord Jesus and I am with you in spirit, and the power of our Lord Jesus is present, hand this man over to Satan, so that the sinful nature may be destroyed and his spirit saved on the day of the Lord. (1 Cor 5:3-5)

"...you must not associate with anyone who calls himself a brother but is sexually immoral or greedy, an idolater or a slanderer, a drunkard or a swindler. With such men do not even eat.

What business is it of mine to judge those outside the church? Are you not to judge those inside? Expel the wicked man from among you." (1 Cor 5:11-13)

Stand Up for The Lord

Who will rise up for me against the wicked?

Who will take a stand for me against evildoers?

...He will repay them for their sins and destroy them for their wickedness; YAHWEY our God will destroy them.

(Ps 94:16, 23)

Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute.

Speak up and judge fairly, defend the rights of the poor and needy. (Prov 31:8-9)

Delight vourself in YAHWEY and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Commit your way to YAHWEY; trust in him and he will do

He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun.

... A little while, and the wicked will be no more; though you look for them, they will not be found. (Ps 37:4-10)

YAHWEY would speak to Moses face to face, as a man speaks with his friend. ... Moses said to YAHWEY, "... You have said, I know you by name and you have found favor with me.' If you are pleased with me, teach me your ways so I may know you and continue to find favor with you. Remember that this nation is your people."

YAHWEY replied, "My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."

Then Moses said to him, "If your Presence does not go with us, do not send us up from here. How will anyone know that you are pleased with me and with your people unless you go with us? What else will distinguish me and your people from all the other people on the face of the earth?"

And YAHWEY said to Moses, "I will do the very thing you have asked, because I am pleased with you and I know you by name." (Ex 33:11-17)

Who is this uncircumcised Philistine that he should defy the armies of the living God? (1 Sam 17:26)

David said to the Philistine, "You come against me with sword and spear and javelin, but I come against you in the name of YAHWEY Almighty, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. This day YAHWEY will hand you over to me, and I'll strike you down and cut off your head. Today I will give the carcasses of the Philistine army to the birds of the air and the beasts of the earth, and the whole world will know that there is a God in Israel. All those gathered here will know that it is not by sword or spear that YAHWEY saves; for the battle is YAHWEY's, and he will give all of you into our hands."

(1 Sam 17:45-47)

He holds victory in store for the upright, he is a shield to those whose walk is blameless, for he guards the course of the just and protects the way of his faithful ones. (Prov 2:7-8)

My Place of Security

"He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.

I will say of YAHWEY,

"He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."

Surely he will save me from the fowler's snare

and from the deadly pestilence.

He will cover me with his feathers,

and under his wings I will find refuge;

his faithfulness will be my shield and rampart.

I will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness,

nor the plague that destroys at midday.

A thousand may fall at my side, ten thousand at my right hand, but it will not come near me.

I will only observe with my eyes

and see the punishment of the wicked.

Since I make the Most High my dwelling

-even YAHWEY, who is my refuge-

no harm will befall me,

no disaster will come near my tent.

For He will command his angels concerning me

to guard me in all my ways:

they will lift me up in their hands.

so that I will not strike my foot against a stone.

I will tread upon the lion and the cobra;

I will trample the great lion and the serpent.

"Because he loves me," says YAHWEY, "I will rescue him;

I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name.

He will call upon me, and I will answer him;

I will be with him in trouble,

I will deliver him and honor him.

With long life will I satisfy him and show him my salvation."

(Ps 91 - Personalized)

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hollowed be your name, Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. (Mt 9:-13)

The Lord Is My Shepherd

JEHOVAH-RAAH (ROHI), I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures,

He leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me;

Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of YAHWEY forever. (Ps 23:1-6)

Apostasy (Rebellion, Falling Away)

The Day Of The Lord is Near - Approaching - At the Door

"Concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered to him, we ask you, brothers, not to become easily unsettled or alarmed by some prophecy, report or letter supposed to have come from us, saying that the day of the Lord has already come. Don't let anyone deceive you in any way, for that day will not come until the rebellion occurs and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the man doomed to destruction. He will oppose and will exalt himself over everything that is called God or is worshiped, so that he sets himself up in God's temple, proclaiming himself to be God.

Don't you remember that when I was with you I used to tell you these things? And now you know what is holding him back, so that he may be revealed at the proper time. For the secret power of lawlessness is already at work; but the one who now holds it back will continue to do so till he is taken out of the way. And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will overthrow with the breath of his mouth and destroy by the splendor of his coming. The coming of the lawless one will be in accordance with the work of Satan displayed in all kinds of counterfeit miracles, signs and wonders, and in every sort of evil that deceives those who are perishing. They perish because they refused to love the truth and so be saved. For this reason God sends them a powerful delusion so that they will believe the lie and so that all will be condemned who have not believed the truth but have delighted in wickedness." (2 Th 2:1-12)

"The Spirit clearly says that in later times some will abandon the faith and follow deceiving spirits and things taught by demons. Such teachings come through hypocritical liars, whose consciences have been seared as with a hot iron." (1 Tim 4:1-2)

But mark this: There will be terrible times in the last days. People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the good, treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God—having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with them.

...these men oppose the truth — men of depraved minds, who, as far as the faith is concerned, are rejected. But they will not get very far because, as in the case of those men, their folly will be clear to everyone." (2 Tim 3:1-9)

The Day Of The Lord (Rapture)

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God; trust also in me. In my Father's house are <u>many rooms</u>; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am." (Jn 14:1-3)

"Go, my people, enter your rooms
and shut the doors behind you;
hide yourselves for a little while
until his wrath has passed by.
See, YAHWEY is coming out of his dwelling
to punish the people of the earth for their sins.
The earth will disclose the blood shed upon her;
she will conceal her slain no longer." (Isa 26:20-21)

"At that time the sign of the Son of Man will appear in the sky, and all the nations of the earth will mourn. They will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of the sky, with power and great glory. And he will send his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other.

"Now learn this lesson from the fig tree: As soon as its twigs get tender and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. Even so, when you see all these things, you know that it is near, right at the door. I tell you the truth, this generation will certainly not pass away until all these things have happened. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away.

"No one knows about that day or hour, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. For in the days before the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark; and they knew nothing about what would happen until the flood came and took them all away. That is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. Two men will be in the field; one will be taken and the other left. Two women will be grinding with a hand mill; one will be taken and the other left.

"Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come. But understand this: If the owner of the house had known at what time of night the thief was coming, he would have kept watch and would not have let his house be broken into. So you also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him."

(Mt 24:30-44)

Then he said to his disciples, "The time is coming when you will long to see one of the days of the Son of Man, but you will not see it. Men will tell you, 'There he is!' or 'Here he is!' Do not go running off after them. For the Son of Man in his day will be like the lightning, which flashes and lights up the sky from one end to the other. But first he must suffer many things and be rejected by this generation.

"<u>Just as it was in the days of Noah</u>, so also will it be in the days of the Son of Man. People were eating, drinking, marrying and being given in marriage up to the day Noah entered the ark. Then the flood came and destroyed them all.

"It was the same in the days of Lot. People were eating and drinking, buying and selling, planting and building. But the day Lot left Sodom, fire and sulfur rained down from heaven and destroyed them all.

"It will be just like this <u>on the day the Son of Man is revealed.</u> On that day no one who is on the roof of his house, with his goods inside, should go down to get them. Likewise, no one in the field should go back for anything. Remember Lot's wife! Whoever tries to keep his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life will preserve it. I tell you, <u>on that night two people will be in one bed; one will be taken and the other left. Two women will be grinding grain together; one will be taken and the other left."</u>

(Lk 17:22-36)

"Be careful, or your hearts will be weighed down with dissipation, drunkenness and the anxieties of life, and that day will close on you unexpectedly like a trap. For it will come upon all those who live on the face of the whole earth. Be always on the watch, and pray that you may be able to escape all that is about to happen, and that you may be able to stand before the Son of Man." (Lk 21:34-36)

"The Kingdom of Heaven at that time will be like ten bridesmaids who took their lamps and went out to meet the groom. Five of them were foolish and five were sensible. The foolish ones took lamps with them but no oil, whereas the others took flasks of oil with their lamps. Now the bridegroom was late, so they all went to sleep. It was the middle of the night when the cry rang out, 'The bridegroom is here! Go out to meet him!' The girls all woke up and prepared their lamps for lighting. The foolish ones said to the sensible ones, 'Give us some of your oil, because our lamps are going out.' 'No,' they replied, 'there may not be enough for both you and us. Go to the oil dealers and buy some for yourselves.' But as they were going off to buy, the bridegroom came. Those who were ready went with him to the wedding feast, and the door was shut. Later, the other bridesmaids came. 'Sir! Sir!' they cried, 'Let us in!' But he answered, 'Indeed! I tell you, I don't know you!' So stay alert, because you know neither the day nor the hour." (Mt 25:1-13)

"Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless." (Eph 5:25-27)

"Listen, I tell you a mystery: We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed <u>— in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet.</u> For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. For the perishable must clothe itself with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality. ...then the saying that is written will come true: "Death has been swallowed up in victory."

"Where, O death, is your victory?

Where, O death, is your sting?"

The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law.

But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord

Jesus Christ." (1 Cor 15:51-57)

"According to the Lord's own word, we tell you that we who are still alive, who are left till the coming of the Lord, will certainly not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage each other with these words."

(1 Th 4:15-18)

"Now, brothers, about times and dates we do not need to write to you, for you know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. While people are saying, "Peace and safety," destruction will come on them suddenly, as labor pains on a pregnant woman, and they will not escape.

But you, brothers, are not in darkness so that this day should surprise you like a thief... For God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to receive salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ. He died for us so that, whether we are awake or asleep, we may live together with him. Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing." (1 Th 5:1-11)

"...to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead — Jesus, who rescues us from the coming wrath."

(1 Thess 1:10)

"I have placed before you an open door that no one can shut. I know that you have little strength, yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name. I will make those who are of the synagogue of Satan, who claim to be Jews though they are not, but are liars — I will make them come and fall down at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you. Since you have kept my command to endure patiently, I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come upon the whole world to test those who live on the earth." (Rev 3:8-10)

Rapture Part 1 & Part 2 As Seen On Earth - And Rapture Part 1 & Part 2 As Seen In Heaven

On Earth:

(Part 1) "...and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, (Part 2) we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air" (1 Th 4:17)

In Heaven:

(Part 1) "When he opened the fifth seal, <u>I saw under the altar</u> the souls of those who had been slain because of the word of God and the testimony they had maintained. They called out in a loud voice, "How long, Sovereign Lord, holy and true, until you judge the inhabitants of the earth and avenge our blood?" <u>Then each of them was given a white robe</u>, and they were told to wait a little longer, until the number of their fellow servants and brothers who were to be killed as they had been was completed." (Rev 6:9-11)

(Part 2) "After this, I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands.

And they cried out in a loud voice:

"Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb."

All the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures. They fell down on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying:

"Amen!

Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!"

Then one of the elders asked me, "These in white robes — who are they, and where did they come from?"

I answered, "Sir, you know."

And he said, "These are they who have come out of the great tribulation; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb." (Rev 7:9-14)

Bridge Illustration

- Q# 1: Have you come to the place in your spiritual journey where you know for certain that if you died tonight you would go to heaven? Or are you still working on that?
- Q# 2: Suppose you were to die tonight and you were to stand before God face-to-face and He were to ask you," Why should I let you into My Heaven?" What would you say to Him?
- 1) God Creator Of The Heavens, Earth, DNA, Plants, Fish, Birds, & Animals
- 2) Man Created In The Image Of God With Free Will & For Fellowship w/God
- 3) Isaiah 59:2 "But your iniquities have separated you from your God; your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear you."
 - 4) Sin Separates Us From God
- 5) Romans 3:23 All Have Sinned "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God"
- 6) Romans 6:23 The Wages of Sin is Death "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord."
- 7) Hebrews 9:27 Judgement "Just as people are destined to die once, and after that to face judgment"
- 8) Ephesians 2:8,9 Not by Works "For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast."
- 9) John 5:24 Hear + Believe "Very truly I tell you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be judged but has crossed over from death to life."
 - 10) Eternal Life
 - 11) No Judgement
 - 12) The Cross
- 13) A. 1 Peter 3:18 "For Christ also suffered once for [all] sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God. He was put to death in the body but made alive in the Spirit"
- 13) B. Isaiah 53:6 "We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and YAHWEY has laid on him the iniquity of us all.
- 14) Jesus Christ Our Redeemer And Bridge Back To Fellowship With God
- 15) John 1:12 I Must Receive Christ "Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God ...born of God."
- 16) Revelation 3:20 I Must Open The Door Of My Heart "Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with them, and they with me."
- 17) Romans 10:9,10 I Must Confess Jesus Christ As My Lord And Savior -
- "If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved."
- 18) BLAH!, 19) Redeemed, Or, 20) Ready to Open The Door Of Your Heart?
- Q# 3: In Your Spiritual Journey, of these three, Where Do You Stand?

Salvation - Other

For God so loved the world that he gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life. (Jn 3:16)

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." (Jn 14:6)

That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved... for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." (Rom 10:9-11)

This righteousness from God comes through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe. There is no difference, for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified freely by His grace through the redemption that came by Jesus Christ. God presented Him as a sacrifice of atonement, through faith in His blood." (Rom 3:22-25)

"In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams.

Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.

I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke.

The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord. And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." (Acts 2:17-21)

"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.

...If God is for us, who can be against us?" (Rom 8:28, 31)

"By this Gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word ...that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Peter, and then to the Twelve. After that he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers at the same time..." (1 Cor 15:2-6)

But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, ... For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive. (1Cor15:20,22)

"...how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him

"We are witnesses of everything he did in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They killed him by hanging him on a tree, but God raised him from the dead on the third day and caused him to be seen. He was not seen by all the people, but by witnesses whom God had already chosen — by us who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one whom God appointed as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message." (Acts 10:38-44)

Mormons

For such men are false apostles, deceitful workmen, masquerading as apostles of Christ. And no wonder, for Satan himself masquerades as an angel of light. It is not surprising, then, if his servants masquerade as servants of righteousness. Their end will be what their actions deserve."

(2 Cor 11:13-15)

"I am astonished that you are so quickly deserting the one who called you by the grace of Christ and are turning to a different gospel — which is really no gospel at all. Evidently some people are throwing you into confusion and trying to pervert the gospel of Christ. But even if we or an angel from heaven should preach a gospel other than the one we preached to you, let them be eternally condemned! As we have already said, so now I say again: If anyone is preaching to you a gospel other than what you accepted, let him be eternally condemned!"

(Gal 1:8-9)

My Daily FLC Corporate Prayer – The Living Word

Our glorious ABBA YAHWEY and God of our Lord Jesus Christ, like Paul, we ask that you would give us the Spirit of wisdom and revelation that we would know you, your son Jesus, and Holy Spirit, more intimately. We pray also that the eyes of our hearts may be enlightened in order that we may know the hope to which you have CALLED us, the riches of your glorious INHERITANCE in the saints, and your incomparably great POWER for us who believe...that power is not just what we want, but rather it's absolutely what we need in order to do what your Son, Jesus, has called us to do. He has called us to 'share the good news of your gospel with all creation; to heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, to drive out demons, and even to speak in new tongues.'

Glorius FATHER, we cannot do what we are called to do with our own human power; we absolutely need the presence of Jesus in us and the power of Holy Spirit upon us in order to empower and manifest among us your supernatural gifts (of wisdom, knowledge, faith, healing, miracles, prophecy, discernment, tongues, interpretation of tongues, helps, administration, generous giving, and others.) We also need your counselor, Holy Spirit, to teach us all things and to remind us of everything that Jesus is saying to us, even now as he speaks to us through your Living Word.

ABBA YAHWEY, pour out your Mercy and Grace upon us like never before as our world, our nation, and many of our cities are in chaos – just as you warned us through the coming End Time Birth Pains.

Father, Jesus, and Holy Spirit, we need all three of you like never before in our lifetime to do what we have been called to do during these challenging times we're currently experiencing.

Holy Spirit, pour out your supernatural gifts, anointing, and power among our five-fold offices that we may ALL be trained and equipped to do what we have been called to do.

Holy Spirit, we also have many unfulfilled prophetic words, dreams and visions that need to be fulfilled, again, in order for us to do what we have been called to do.

Lord Jesus, just before you left us, you told your disciples not to leave Jerusalem but to wait to be baptized by Holy Spirit. They waited, and ten days later, on Pentecost, they were all filled with Holy Spirit. Then they went out everywhere, sharing the gospel with boldness, and with signs and wonders following - by you confirming your word. Like Philip, who performed many miracles and healings, and saving so many that it is written that there was "great joy in that city."

Glorious Father, we ask that you send your Holy Spirit, to come and fall upon us, individually and corporately for such a time as NOW! Let your dancing hand move among us and baptize us with your Holy Fire so that we may have our Kairos moment, our local Pentecost and Revival so we also can boldly share your gospel within our communities, families, extended families, in our workplaces, schools, marketplaces and in the streets. Holy Spirit, let there be revival and "great joy in our cities" of Leesburg, Purcellville, Berryville and flowing into all the cities of Virginia, the United States, and to the ends of the world.

Thank you, Lord Jesus, that even now you sit at the right hand of ABBA YAHWEH interceding on our behalf. And when you were here among us, we have faith and believe you when you said, "anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask me for anything in my name and I will do it."

Therefore, Lord Jesus, we ask all these requests in your Glorious and Almighty Name; 'Yeshua Hamashiach,' Jesus Christ, our Lord and our Savior, the name above all names, principalities, powers, and rulers in high places – JESUS! KING OF KINGS and LORD OF LORDS - JESUS! We ask boldly in your most Holy Name, according to your Living and Infallible Word of God.

We ask you again, Holy Spirit, to come and manifest the presence of Jesus, who lives in us, and pour out your supernatural gifts upon us with your Almighty Power. May it be to us according to the TRUTH of your Living Word, and again, we ask in the wonderful and glorious name of Jesus, and to the Glory of our Father in Heaven.

Amen! Amen! and Amen!