

Salvation in Messiah

Each of us has the potential to spend eternity with our Creator, the Almighty Living Yahuwah (the Hebraic Name of the Almighty Creator). But how do we move from a place of not knowing our spiritual destination - spiritual darkness - and into His Marvelous Light and eternity? Biblically, this submission and declaration is called Salvation, and our **Messiah Yahushua** (Jesus Christ) paid a terrible price for humanity's Salvation on Calvary's Cross.

What we must do to acquire His Salvation is simple: Repent from sin, confess we are sinners and ask Him to be our Lord and walk in His Commandments. Contrary to what many believe, salvation does not come from church membership or being sprinkled with water as a baby. Neither does it come from doing good deeds. The Bible tells us that all our righteous acts are like filthy rags in and of themselves (**Isaiah 64:6**).

Without **Yahushua** (Jesus' real Hebrew name), we are all trapped in lives of sin, to a greater or lesser degree. The Bible tells us that, "**All have sinned and come short of the glory of God.**" (**Romans 3:23**) It also says that without Him, no one is righteous (**Romans 3:10**)!

Fortunately, the Good News (Gospel) is that Yahushua came and died on the Cross for our sins and rose from the dead to give us eternal life. We are saved by faith in HIM (**Ephesians 2:8-9**), not by good deeds or works. Nor are we saved by faith in any institution like a church or in any man, like a pope or a prophet.

It is vital we understand Faith: It means to trust first, and then to believe in Yahushua *unconditionally*. Anything less is NOT saving faith. Think of it like sitting in a chair. You can look at a chair and believe it will support you if you sit down on it. But until you actually DO sit down on it and relax, you have not really trusted in the chair fully. In the same way, you must trust in Messiah fully and relax in Him and trust in Him in order to be genuinely Born Again (John 3:3).

Second, faith means being *faithful* – that is being true to the commandments that Yahushua and His Father have give us. We are not saved BY keeping His commandments or doing good deeds, but we are saved *so that we might live lives of victory and righteousness in Yahushua!*

Yahushua taught us, "...Verily, verily, I say unto thee, **Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.**" – **John 3:3**. He further proclaimed in John 3:

¹⁶ For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

¹⁷ For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

This is HIS promise to us. He gives eternal life to those who fully trust Him for salvation. So, how do we become saved from our sins? **Romans 10:9-10** says that we must believe in our heart and confess with our lips that Yahushua has risen from the dead. So, a simple heartfelt but vocal prayer is all that is needed. He has made it easy for us to find Him. But it is critical that the prayer spoken be a true prayer from the heart. Just saying the words is not enough. You must really do your best to be sincere and really mean it.

Here is the prayer we recommend:

Lord Yahushua (Jesus Christ), I confess that I am a sinner, and that I have failed many times to be all that You created me to be.

Right now, I formally come before Your throne and repent (rethink and renounce) from my sins and ask for Your help to turn away from them completely.

Please forgive me for all the sins of my life and give me the strength to completely forsake them forever.

I now confess that the Lord Yahushua the Messiah is Almighty Yahuwah (the Hebrew name for the Creator) **come in the flesh**. I confess that He died on the cross for my sins and rose from the dead to give me the free gift of eternal life.

Please, Yahushua, save me from my sins and take control of my life! Be my Master! Give me Your power to walk in victory and avoid sin! Send the Ruach HaQodesh (Holy Spirit) to help me overcome old habits and thinking not of Your best Will and intention for me, and grant me Your blessings. Help me, I pray, to be delivered from all snares and traps of the evil one and to walk through Your deliverance one day at a time. Thank you for Your redemptive Love. In Yahushua's Name I pray, Omain! (Omain [Amen] is pronounced as it originally was intended from the Hebrew).

Next, you need to be baptized by IMMERSION (this is what the word "baptize" actually means). The Hebrew word for baptism is a MIKVEH. Find a church that believes and teaches the **King James Bible only** and ask the pastor for baptism. If you cannot find one, contact us and we will try and find some group for you.

Get a King James Bible of your own and begin studying it by reading the Gospel of John. Ask Yahushua's Holy Spirit to guide you as you study it. If you have questions about any of this, please contact us at sneblen@gmail.com

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