Soteriology 101 – God Saves Us from the PRESENCE of Sin

God Saved Me from the PENALTY of Sin ("Past")

- **1.** I Have a Serious Sin Problem (Rom 3:20-23; Rom 5:12; Rev 21:8)
- 2. God Has Provided a Perfect Solution (Jn 1:29; 2 Cor 5:21; Rom 3:24-25)
- **3.** I Must Make a Decision (Jn 3:16-18; 3:36; Acts 16:30-34)
- **4.** God Makes Saving Actions for Me (Rom 4:5,19-25; Rom 5:6-10,17-19)

God Is Saving Me from the POWER of Sin ("Present")

1. The Proof of My Ongoing Salvation

1 Cor 1:18...but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. (15:2; 2 Cor 2:15)

2. The Source of My Ongoing Salvation

James 1:21 ... receive... the implanted word, which is able to save your souls.

3. The Process of My Ongoing Salvation (Romans 6)

- Be knowing what Jesus accomplished on the cross (1-10)
- Be accepting what Jesus accomplished on the cross (11)
- Be refusing to let sin be king over your body (12)
- Be presenting your body members to God, not to sin (13-23)

4. The Terms Related to Ongoing, Present Salvation

- Sanctification the process of making one holy
- Separation the posture of being holy while in the world

God Will Save Me from the PRESENCE of Sin ("Future")

1. God Will Save Me from the Presence of

Heb 9:26 He then would have had to suffer often since the foundation of the world; but now, once at the end of the ages, He has appeared **to put away sin** by the sacrifice of Himself. **28** so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear a second time, **apart from sin, for salvation**.

2. God Will Save Me from the Presence of Sin's

Rom 8:20-22 For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of Him who subjected *it* in hope; ²¹ because **the creation itself also will be delivered** from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God. ²² For we know that the whole creation groans and labors with birth pangs together until now.

2 Pet 3:10-13 But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up. ¹¹ Therefore, since all these things will be dissolved, what manner *of persons* ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness, ¹² looking for and hastening the coming of the day of God, because of which the heavens will be dissolved, being on fire, and the elements will melt with fervent heat? ¹³ Nevertheless we, according to His promise, look for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells.

3. God Will Save Me from the Presence of _

Rev 20:10 The devil, who deceived them, was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone where the beast and the false prophet *are*. And they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.

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4. God Will Save Me from the Presence of

Rev 21:8 But the cowardly, unbelieving, abominable, murderers, sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death. **27** But there shall by no means enter it [the New Jerusalem] anything that defiles, or causes an abomination or a lie, but only those who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

5. God Will Save Me from the Presence of Sin's

Rev 21:4 And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.

6. God Will Save Me from the Presence of Death's

1 Cor 15:54-56 So when this corruptible has put on incorruption, and this mortal has put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written: "Death is swallowed up in victory." ⁵⁵ "O Death, where *is* your sting? O Hades, where *is* your victory?" ⁵⁶ The sting of death *is* sin, and the strength of sin *is* the law.

7. God Will Save Me from the Presence of My Sinful

Rom 7:24-25a O wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this body of death? ²⁵ I thank God-- through Jesus Christ our Lord! ...

Rom 8:23 Not only *that*, but we also who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, ..., eagerly waiting for the adoption, the redemption of our body.

Rom 8:29-30 For whom He foreknew, He also predestined *to be* conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren. ³⁰ Moreover whom He predestined, these He also called; whom He called, these He also justified; and whom He justified, these He also glorified.

1 Cor 15:42-44 So also *is* the resurrection of the dead. *The body* is sown in corruption, it is raised in incorruption. ⁴³ It is sown in dishonor, it is raised in glory. It is sown in weakness, it is raised in power. ⁴⁴ It is sown a natural body, it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body.

1 Cor 15:50-53 Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; nor does corruption inherit incorruption. 51 Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed – 52 in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. 53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal *must* put on immortality.

Phil 3:20-21 For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ who will transform our lowly body that it may be conformed to His glorious body, according to the working by which He is able even to subdue all things to Himself.

1 John 3:1-3 Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him. ² Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is. ³ And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.