





a holy people living a holy life

Part 1

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1 Peter 1,2

Salvation (I love you)

18 For you know that God paid a ransom to save you from the empty life you inherited from your ancestors.

2 Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation



1 Peter 1

Sanctification (do you love me)

2 God the Father knew you and chose you long ago, and his Spirit has made you holy. As a result, you have obeyed him and have been cleansed by the blood of Jesus Christ.

22 You were cleansed from your sins when you obeyed the truth, so now you must show sincere love to each other as brothers and sisters. Love each other deeply with all your heart.



1 Peter 2

Holy Function (do you love what I love)

5 And you are living stones that God is building into his spiritual temple. What's more, you are his holy priests. Through the mediation of Jesus Christ, you offer spiritual sacrifices that please God.

9 But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.



1 Peter 1

Proclaim his praise (complete your joy)

6 So be truly glad. There is wonderful joy ahead, even though you must endure many trials for a little while. 7...So when your faith remains strong through many trials, it will bring you much praise and glory and honor on the day when Jesus Christ is revealed to the whole world.

8 You love him even though you have never seen him. Though you do not see him now, you trust him; and you rejoice with a glorious, inexpressible joy.



Salvation(Gospel)

Why do we need a saviour?


What is the result of salvation?

We have been saved from the *pleasure* of sin => Repentance

We were saved from the *penalty* of sin
=> Justification

We are being saved from the *power* of sin
=> Sanctification

We will be saved from the *presence* of sin
=> Glorification



2 Cor 5:17 Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold; all things have become new.

We have the Spirit of adoption by which...

Gal 4:6,7 6 And because you are children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" 7 So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir of God through Christ



The way of salvation

Death of Jesus: Christ accepted judgement and separation from God brought about by sin - 1 Pet 3:18

Resurrection of Jesus: evidence of the Father accepting the sin offering - Rom 8:11

Faith: When we believe that Christ is Lord and saviour and confess our sins. Implicit was the symbolic act of water baptism - Acts 2:38

Repentance: Turning from our old life in the flesh to our new life in the spirit - Acts 3:19

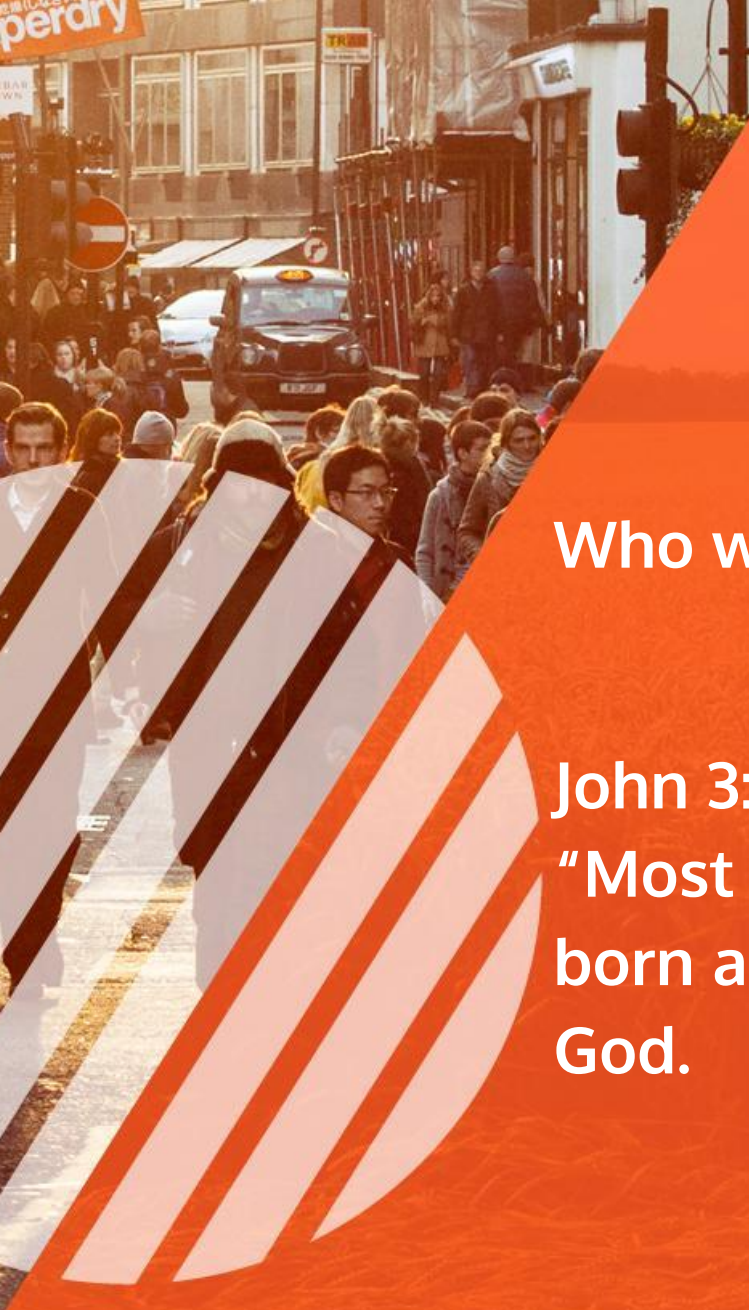


The way of salvation

Forgiveness: God deals with our past, present and future sins - Eph 1:7,8

Baptism: The believer yielding to the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues. Acts 2:4

Blessing: We have an eternal inheritance - Eph 1:13,14



Who will see the kingdom of God?

**John 3:3 Jesus answered and said to him,
"Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is
born again, he cannot see the kingdom of
God.**



How do we lead someone to salvation

Rom 3:23 We all have sinned and fall **short** of the glory of God

Rom 6:23 The **wages** of sin is death but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus

Rom 5:8 God demonstrated His own love toward us that Christ **died** for us whilst we we sinners

Rom 8:14 For as many as are **led** by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God

Rom 10:10 With the **heart** one believes unto righteousness and with the **mouth** confession is made unto salvation

