

Living Secure in an insecure world Part 3 of 4

You are alive in a dead world 1 Peter 1:3

Introduction:

1 Peter 1:3-5 Greek Breakdown

v3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who according to His great mercy

#1 has caused us to be born again

#2 to a living hope

through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

v4 to obtain an inheritance

which is imperishable and undefiled and will not fade away,

#3 reserved in heaven for you, v5

#4 who are protected

by the power of God

through faith for a salvation

*** ready to be revealed**

in the last time.

OUTLINE

#1 BORN AGAIN

#2 LIVING HOPE

#3 READY IN HEAVEN

#4 PROTECTED BY GOD

*** COMING SOON, not now**

3a Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

Matthew 27:46 "My God, My God, why hast Thou forsaken Me?"

John 14:9 "Have I been so long with you, and yet you have not come to know Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; how do you say, 'Show us the Father'? 10 "Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father is in Me?"

John 14:6-7 6 Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but through Me. 7 "If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also; from now on you know Him, and have seen Him."

Matthew 7:23 Depart from me I never knew you

#1 God gives you a NEW LIFE – today

3b who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again

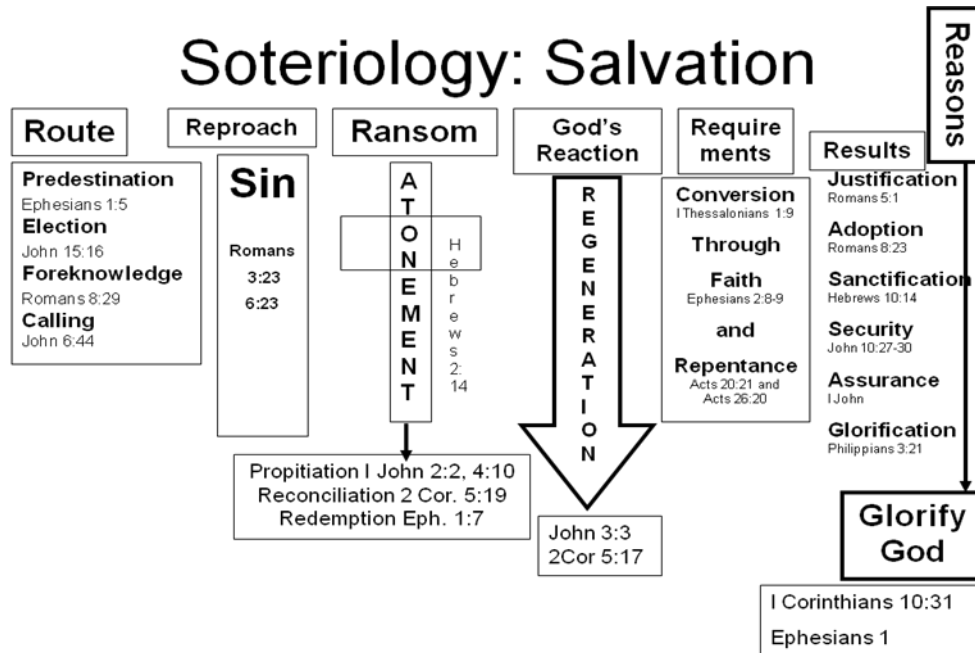
Ephesians 2:4-5 But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved),

Ezekiel 18:23 "Do I have any pleasure in the death of the wicked," declares the Lord God, "rather than that he should turn from his ways and live?"

Matthew 23:37 "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, the way a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, and you were unwilling.

2 Corinthians 5:17 Therefore if any man is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

Soteriology: Salvation



Acts 15:8 God, who knows the heart, bore witness to them, giving them the Holy Spirit, ... 9 ..., cleansing their hearts by faith.

Titus 3:5 He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewing by the Holy Spirit,

#2 God gives you a living CERTAINTY - today

3c to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

Proverbs 10:28 The hope of the righteous is gladness, But the expectation of the wicked perishes. Ephesians 2:12 remember that you were at that time separate from Christ, ... having no hope and without God in the world.

Colossians 3:1 If then you have been raised up with Christ, keep seeking the things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

Philippians 3:20 For our citizenship is in heaven, from which also we eagerly wait for a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ;

John 11:25 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in Me shall live even if he dies, 26 and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

1 Make a practice of daily BRAGING about God

2 Let your heart MELT under God's mercy

Titus 3:3 For we also once were foolish ourselves, disobedient, deceived, enslaved to various lusts and pleasures, spending our life in malice and envy, hateful, hating one another. 4 But when the kindness of God our Savior and His love for mankind appeared, 5 He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewing by the Holy Spirit,

3 Choose to make daily routines into HEAVENLY reminders

4 Turn to Christ alone for internal TRANSFORMATION

YOU MUST BE BORN AGAIN

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