

Satan's Greatest Theft

The Gospel of Jesus Christ

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People in churches all over the world are going about their business thinking that God has won the battle for their salvation and when this life is over they will be sitting at the marriage feast of the Lamb.

What I will attempt today is to change that scenario from wishful thinking to a reality for you.

God has truly won the battle through Jesus Christ. But you have a way to go yet to fully partake of his sacrifice. No church denomination has embraced the gospel of Jesus Christ today and they haven't for about 1900 years – and it's about time that **you** do something about it – at least for yourself. You need to break out of your shell. Jesus said in Matthew 11:12:

From the days of John the Baptist, until now, the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence, and the violent take it by force.

Satan is a sneaky little fellow and if he can make everyone in their own denomination think they are saved – he is doing a great job.

What does the Bible say about doctrine? People were changing it and polluting it even before the ink was dry from the New Testament in the first 60 years of the church. That is why Jesus said in Revelation, Chapter 2:

Revelation 2:16 So hast thou also them that hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, which thing I hate.

And in the Book of Jude:

Jude 1:3 Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly content for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

And Paul said:

Galatians 1:8 But though we, or an angel from heaven preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed

If doctrinal corruption was such a real problem for the Church when the apostles were still alive – just think what kind of field day Satan was going to have when they were all dead. Well, they all died and then along came the ‘Early Church Fathers’ from the Roman Catholic Church and removed every single element from the gospel that you have to obey and replaced it with their own ideas.

Now let’s take an in depth look at what God has to say about the subject. I’m going to be a little sarcastic to start with – to make my point.

Salvation

If we want to truly be saved why don’t we start with the simplest scripture on the subject and try to get saved that way. Let’s try Romans 10:13 which is actually a restatement of Acts 2:21 and Joel 2:32.

“For whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

This scripture is great because you don’t have to:

believe

repent

be baptized

forgive those who have wronged you

worship God

testify about God

win others to Christ

do any good works

read God’s word

obey God’s commandments

or lead a holy life

It is simply a ***get into Heaven free card*** that you can use after you have lived a wicked, self serving evil life and the cops are chasing you and you are speeding and accidently go hurtling off a cliff – but before you hit the bottom you yell out – ‘***Jesus save me***’ and everything will be fine. This must be so because calling on the name of the Lord is all you have to do!

Does anyone in here actually believe this explanation of this verse?

I hope not. Then why does it specifically **contradict all other scripture on the subject of salvation?**

I'll tell you why — because it is not part of God's word in the original Hebrew nor is it in the Greek — It's only found in all 200 English plus translations of the Bible. Satan made sure that you had no idea what to do in order to be saved. And to prove it – ask yourself these questions; Do I know what Joel 2:32 says in the original Hebrew? Do I know what Acts 2:21 says in the original Greek? Do I know what Romans 10:13 says in the original Greek?

So if you don't read or study Hebrew or Greek you wouldn't know God never said such a thing as found in all our English translations. And Satan is laughing at all you pious preachers out there, clinging to your King James, NIV or Living Bible translations – thinking that you are holding the word of God in you hand. You are not. Paul said in Second Timothy Chapter 2, v 15:

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

God' word is not written in English. If you think you can save yourself by reading an English translation of God's word – you are sadly mistaken. Satan has used your laziness to keep you from God's word on Salvation.

The logical question to ask is what did God actually say in Joel 2:32 and does this verse have anything to do with salvation?

The answer is yes it has everything to do with salvation. Now listen to the Gospel you have never heard before. The following is a word for word translation of the salvation scripture of the Bible and it is not Acts 2:38 but it is what Peter was quoting in Acts 2:21. Acts 2:38 is just a general vague reference to Baptism in the name of Jesus but it does not tell you how to do it. Joel 2:32 tells you what you are to do when you baptize people in the name of Jesus.

Now Joel 2:32

Joel: Chapter 2 Verse 32

וְהָיָה	And he becomes, It shall come to pass
כָּל	Everyone
אֲשֶׁר־	Who
יִקְרָא	Shall be named
בְּשֵׁם	By the name of, with the name of
יְהוָה	YHWH
יִמָּלֵט	He shall escape, He shall be saved
כִּי	That
בְּהַר־	In the mountains of
צִיּוֹן	Zion
וּבִירוּשָׁלַם	And in Jerusalem
תִּהְיֶה	She shall become, there shall be
פְּלִיטָה	Deliverance
כַּאֲשֶׁר	As which
אָמַר	He says, He himself says, says He
יְהוָה	YHWH
וּבְשָׂרֵי־דִים	And the survivors, and the remnant
אֲשֶׁר	Whom
יְהוָה	YHWH
קֹרֵא:	Is calling, calls, shall call



So what Peter was doing on the day of Pentecost was naming people with God's name **I AM** by naming people with God's new name **Yashua** which means ***I Am is become salvation***. Which we call Jesus.

Peter was also remitting their sins when he was baptizing people as Jesus had said, "Whosoever sins ye remit, they are remitted unto them; and whosoever sins ye retain, they are retained." John 20:23

Until this year in all the hundreds of baptisms I have watched I have never seen the preacher personally **to remit** sins and **to name** the baptized person with Jesus' name. Now I ask you?

Do you finally want to join the Church?

After hearing what has just been said maybe the following scriptures will have a greater meaning to you.

Second Chronicles 7:14 *If my people, Which are called by my name, will humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways: then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.*

Exodus 20:7

Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy god in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

John 3: 18

He that believeth on him is not condemned, but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.

Proverbs 18:10

The name of the LORD is a strong tower: the righteous runneth into it, and is safe.

Acts 4:12

Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.