

## GUARANTEED PROMISES FROM GOD BECAUSE OF THE RESURRECTION

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### 1. We can have \_\_\_\_\_ for our sins, failures and mistakes.

- † Ephesians 1:7, "In Christ, we are set free by the blood of His death. And so we have forgiveness of sins because of God's rich grace" (NCV).
- † Romans 5:1-2, "Our faith in Jesus transfers God's righteousness to us and He now declares us guiltless in His eyes. This means we can now enjoy true and lasting peace with God, all because of what our Lord Jesus has done for us. <sup>2</sup>Our faith guarantees us permanent access into this marvelous kindness that has given us a perfect relationship with God. What incredible joy bursts forth within us as we keep on celebrating our hope of experiencing God's glory free of guilt and shame! (TPT).

- When you blame, you have chosen to \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Who Actually Had Jesus Crucified?

a. \_\_\_\_\_ did.

- † Isaiah 53:6-10, All of us were like sheep that were lost, each of us going his own way. But the Lord made the punishment fall on Him, the punishment all of us deserved. <sup>7</sup>"He was treated harshly, but endured it humbly; He never said a word. Like a lamb about to be slaughtered, like a sheep about to be sheared, He never said a word. <sup>8</sup>He was arrested and sentenced and led off to die, and no one cared about His fate. He was put to death for the sins of people. <sup>9</sup>He was placed in a grave with those who are evil, He was buried with the rich, even though He had never committed a crime or ever told a lie." <sup>10</sup>God says, "It was My plan that He should suffer; His life and death will be a sacrifice to bring forgiveness. And so He will have a multitude of spiritual children who will come to Him in faith" (TEV).

b. \_\_\_\_\_ did.

- † Romans 4:25, "Jesus was handed over to die because of our sins, and He was raised from the dead to make us right with God" (PAR).

### 2. We no longer have to \_\_\_\_\_.

- † 1 Corinthians 15:55, "O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?" (NLT).
- † John 11:25, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in Me, even though they die like everyone else, they will live again" (NLT).
- † John 20:25, "Thomas said, 'I won't believe it unless I see the nail wounds in His hands, put my fingers into them, and place my hand into the wound in His side'" (NLT).
- † 2 Peter 2:16, "We did not follow cleverly concocted fables or myths when we made known to you the power and return of our Lord Jesus Christ; no, we were eyewitnesses of His Resurrection" (NET).
- † Acts 1:3, "After the sufferings of His cross, Jesus appeared alive many times to these same apostles over a forty-day period, proving to them with many convincing signs that He had been resurrected. During these encounters, He taught them the truths of God's kingdom" (TPT).
- † 1 Corinthians 15:5-9, "He was seen by Peter and then by the Twelve. <sup>6</sup>After that, He was seen by more than 500 of His followers at one time . . . <sup>7</sup>Then He was seen by James and later by all the apostles. <sup>8</sup>Last of all . . . I also saw Him. <sup>9</sup>For I am the least of all the apostles. In fact, I'm not even worthy to be called an apostle after the way I persecuted God's church" (NLT).

### 3. We can have the \_\_\_\_\_ living in us.

- † John 14:16-17a, "I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Helper, who will stay with you forever. <sup>17</sup>He is the Holy Spirit, who reveals the truth about God" (GNT).
- † Acts 1:8, "But when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, you will be filled with power, and you will be witnesses for Me in Jerusalem, in all of Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth" (NLT).

- The Greek New Testament word translated as "power" is [δύναμις; dunamis]. It is where we get our English word \_\_\_\_\_.

- † Ephesians 1:19-20, "I pray that you will begin to understand how incredibly great his power is, that's God's power, to help those who believe Him. <sup>20</sup>It is the same mighty power that raised Christ from the dead" (NLT).

**4. We can experience Jesus' unconditional love that will \_\_\_\_\_.**

- † Jeremiah 31:3, "I have loved you, My people, with an everlasting love" (NLT).
- † 1 John 4:9-10, "God showed His unconditional love for us by sending His only Son, Jesus, into the world, so that we might have life through Him. <sup>10</sup>This is what love is: it is not that we loved God, but that He loved us first and long before we ever loved Him. God sent His Son to be the means by which our sins are forgiven" (PAR).
- † John 13:34-35, "I am giving you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. <sup>35</sup>Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are My disciples" (NLT).
- † 1 John 3:10-11, "This is how we know who the children of God are and the children of the devil are. Anyone who doesn't obey God's command and doesn't love others, is not a child of God. <sup>11</sup>This is the message we've heard from the beginning. We must love each other and even our enemies" (PAR).
- † Acts 9:4-5, "'Saul! Saul! Why are you persecuting me?' 5 'Who is it, Lord?'" (NLT).

**5. We can learn God's plan for our \_\_\_\_\_.**

- † Psalms 138:8, "The Lord will fulfill His purpose for me; Your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever" (ESV).
- † Proverbs 16:4, "The Lord has made everything for its purpose" (ESV).
- † Proverbs 19:21, "We make our plans, but it is the Lord's purpose for our lives that needs to be done" (PAR).
- † John 10:10, "My purpose is to give you an abundant life full of significance and meaning than you ever dreamed of for yourself" (PAR).
- † Romans 8:28, "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose" (NIV).
- † Mark 8:35, "If you insist on saving your own life, you will lose it. Only those who give away their lives for My sake, and the good news will ever know what it means to really live" (TLB).
- † 2 Timothy 4:7, "I fought the good fight. I finished the race. I've remained faithful" (NLT).
- † Philippians 1:21, "For to me, living means living for Christ, and dying is even better" (NLT).

**6. We can get the assurance of \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_.**

- † 1 Corinthians 2:9, "No eye has seen, no ear has heard, and no mind has imagined what God has prepared for those who love Him" (NLT).
- † Romans 3:23-25a, "Yes, all have sinned; all fall short of God's glorious standard — which is perfection; no one is good enough on their own to get into heaven. <sup>24</sup>Yet, God declares us "not guilty" of offending Him if we trust in Jesus Christ, as our Savior and Lord. Only He in His grace freely takes away our sins. <sup>25</sup>For God sent Jesus to take the punishment for our sins and to end all God's anger against us. He used Christ's blood and our faith as the means of saving us from his wrath" (PAR).
- † Ephesians 2:8-9, "For by grace you have been saved by faith. Nothing you did could ever earn this salvation, for it was a gift of love from God that brought us to Christ! <sup>9</sup>So no one will ever be able to boast, for salvation is never a reward for being good or doing good works or human striving" (TPT).
- † John 14:1-6, "Don't let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, and trust also in me. <sup>2</sup>There is more than enough room in my Father's home. If this were not so, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you? <sup>3</sup>When everything is ready, I will come and get you, so that you will always be with me where I am. <sup>4</sup>And you know the way to where I am going." <sup>5</sup>"No, we don't know, Lord," Thomas said. "We have no idea where You are going, so how can we know the way?" <sup>6</sup>Jesus told him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through Me" (NLT).
- † Romans 10:9-10, "If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup>For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by openly declaring your faith that you are saved" (NLT).

**Prayer To Receive Jesus Christ As Your Lord & Savior**

"Dear God, today I accept all that Jesus did for me on the cross. I am asking You to forgive me of all my sins, transgressions and iniquities — everything I've done wrong so that I do not go to hell. Thank you that I no longer have to fear death. Please put Your Holy Spirit's love and power in me. I want Your love to radically change me to be more like Jesus Christ. I want to live for the real reason for my existence that You created me for. I trust You to take me to heaven when I die. Thank You. In Jesus' name, Amen."