



Levy Mission Evangelism

HOW DOES JESUS SAVE US? LESSON 4

In our earlier studies we have established whom Jesus Christ is and that He has all authority. We have also established that man has a problem to which God has provided a solution. That problem is sin and the solution is Jesus Christ. But, how does Jesus save us from our sin?

God did not intend for this process to be complicated, but man has made it so. If we want to learn what we must do to be saved, it is quite simple: we must do what those in the Bible did.

In Acts 2, we have the account of the gospel being:

- ♦ **Preached** for the **first** time (verses 14-36);
- ♦ **Heard** for the **first** time (verse 37);
- ♦ **Believed** for the **first** time (also verse 37); and
- ♦ **Obedied** for the **first** time (verse 38-41).

If we want to **receive** what they received (*remission of sins – verse 38*), then we must **do** what they did! It's that simple!

1. WE MUST HEAR THE GOSPEL

- A. *Romans 10:13-17; Romans 1:16*
- B. What is that gospel? – *Romans 6:1-7*

2. WE MUST BELIEVE IN JESUS AS THE SON OF GOD

- A. *John 8:24; Hebrews 11:6; Romans 10:10*
- B. QUESTION: Do you believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God?

3. WE MUST REPENT FROM OUR SIN?

- A. What is repentance? A “turning away” or a “change of will and life.”
- B. *Luke 13:3,5; 2 Peter 3:9; Acts 3:19; Matthew 18:3; Acts 17:30,31*
- C. QUESTION: Are you willing to turn away from your sins?

4. WE MUST CONFESS THAT JESUS CHRIST IS THE SON OF GOD

- A. *Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:10; Acts 8:37*
- B. QUESTION: Are you willing to confess before men that Jesus is God's Son?

5. WE MUST BE BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST FOR REMISSION OF SINS

- A. *Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 1 Peter 3:21; Romans 6:3-5; Galatians 3:26-27*
- B. What is this baptism? In what form does it occur?



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6. WE ARE BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST'S CHURCH

- A. Salvation is in Christ's church – *Eph. 5:23; Eph. 1:22-23; Col. 1:18*
- B. Christ built the church – *Matt. 16:18*
- C. Christ is the head of the church – *Col. 1:18; Eph. 1:22-23*
- D. If one is saved in Christ's church only, can that person be saved in any other church?
- E. How does one enter Christ's church? There is only one way – *1 Cor. 12:13*

7. WE MUST BE FAITHFUL IN SERVING THE LORD

- A. After a person has heard the gospel, believed it, repented of their sins, confessed that Jesus is the Son of God, been baptized into Christ, and added to the church by the Lord Himself, that person must also be a faithful servant of the Lord – *Rev. 2:10; 1 Cor. 4:2*
- B. We must be faithful:
 - In worship – *John 4:24; Hebrews 10:25*
 - In serving others – *Matthew 20:26-28; Galatians 6:10*
 - In teaching others about Jesus – *Mark 16:15-16*

QUESTION: ARE YOU READY TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN BY BEING BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST?