



The Long Awaited Savior
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But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: “Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. ¹⁵ For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. ¹⁶ But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷ ““And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams;

²¹ And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.’

22 “Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know—²³ this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. ²⁴ God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it.

25 For David says concerning him (Jesus),

**“I saw the Lord always before me,
for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken;
26 therefore my heart was glad,
and my tongue rejoiced;
my flesh also will dwell in hope.**

**27 For you will not abandon my soul to Hades,
or let your Holy One see corruption.**

**28 You have made known to me the paths of life;
you will make me full of gladness
with your presence.’**

29 “Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. 30 Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, 31 he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. 32 This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. 33 Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing.

34 For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says,

“The Lord said to my Lord,

“Sit at my right hand,

35 until I make your enemies your footstool.””

36 Let all the house of Israel therefore *know for certain* that God has made him both *Lord and Christ*, this Jesus whom you crucified.”

37 Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?” **38** And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. **39** For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.”

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Luke 24

And he said to them, “O foolish ones, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken! ²⁶ Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?” ²⁷ And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself.

- The Word of God in Creation
- Our Exodus Passover Lamb
 - The Manna from heaven
 - The Water in the desert
- The Slayer of Greater Goliath (death)
 - The Fourth man in Fiery Furnace
 - Ruth’s Kinsman Redeemer
- The Great Hosea who purchased us, the greater Gomer

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**God's Definite Plan
+
Lawless Men**

**Loosing the pangs
of Death
=
"Death giving
birth to life"**

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Lord

The unique name for
God who rules over
everything.

Christ

“Anointed One”
“Messiah”
“Savior”

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Repentance

“Agreeing With God”

**Sorry,
not sorry**

The rules are dumb, don't apply to me and/or I just don't care.

**Sorry for my
consequences**

I feel horrible about how much my sin has hurt me (I'm the victim)

**Sorry for your
consequences**

I agree that I am the “lawless” one that broke relationship and hurt you.

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