

WHAT IS SALVATION?

Salvation Worksheet

Name: _____

Date: _____

Key Scripture

“For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost.”
Luke 19:10 NKJV

What Does Salvation Mean?

Biblical salvation is God rescuing us from the guilt and power of sin and giving us eternal life through faith in Jesus Christ. Salvation includes forgiveness, reconciliation with God, a new spiritual life, and the promise of eternity with Him.

We cannot earn salvation by being good, attending church, giving money, or performing religious works. Salvation is God’s gift of grace, received through faith in Jesus Christ.

Fill in the Blanks

Word Bank: grace • faith • sin • Jesus • gift • saved

1. All people have _____ and need God’s forgiveness.
2. Salvation is a _____ from God.
3. We are saved by God’s _____ through _____.
4. _____ Christ died for our sins and rose again.
5. Everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be _____.

1. Why Do We Need Salvation?

Read **Romans 3:23**.

According to this verse, who has sinned?

What does it mean to fall short of the glory of God?

Read **Romans 6:23**.

What are the wages, or result, of sin?

What gift does God offer through Jesus Christ?

Think About It

Sin is not only making a mistake. Sin is disobeying God, rejecting His authority, and falling short of His holy standard. Sin separates humanity from fellowship with God, and every person needs the salvation only Jesus can provide.

Write one reason every person needs salvation:

2. Who Is Jesus Christ?

Read **John 3:16–17** and **John 14:6**.

Who did God give because He loved the world?

Why did Jesus come into the world?

According to John 14:6, Jesus is:

The _____, the _____, and the _____.

Can anyone come to the Father apart from Jesus?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Holy Highlight

Jesus is not merely one possible way to God. He is the Savior God sent to rescue sinners. Salvation is found in Jesus Christ.

3. What Did Jesus Do for Us?

Read **1 Corinthians 15:3–4**.

Complete the following truths:

Christ _____ for our sins.

He was _____.

He _____ again on the third day.

Why is the resurrection important?

Read **2 Corinthians 5:21**.

Jesus had no _____, but He took our sin upon Himself so that we could be made right with God through Him.

Think About It

On the cross, Jesus willingly received the punishment our sins deserved. His resurrection demonstrated His victory over sin and death. Because Jesus lives, everyone who trusts in Him can receive eternal life.

4. How Do We Receive Salvation?

Read **Ephesians 2:8–9**.

We are saved by _____ through _____.

Is salvation something we earn through good works?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Why can no one boast about earning salvation?

Read **Acts 3:19**.

What are we commanded to do?

Read **Romans 10:9–10**.

What must we believe in our hearts?

What are we called to confess?

Biblical Definitions

Grace: God's undeserved favor and kindness toward us.

Faith: Trusting in Jesus Christ and relying on what He accomplished through His death and resurrection.

Repentance: A sincere change of mind and heart about sin that turns us away from sin and toward God.

Confession: Agreeing with God about our sin and openly acknowledging Jesus Christ as Lord.

5. Can Good Works Save Us?

Place a check beside the correct answer.

Salvation is received through:

- ☐ Being a nice person
- ☐ Attending church
- ☐ Giving money
- ☐ Performing enough good deeds
- ☐ Faith in Jesus Christ
- ☐ Having Christian family members

Read **Titus 3:4–7**.

Did God save us because of our righteous works?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

According to this passage, God saves us because of His:

Holy Highlight

Good works do not purchase salvation. Good works are the fruit of a life that has been changed by Jesus.

6. What Happens When Someone Is Saved?

Match each Scripture with the truth it teaches.

Scripture	Truth
_____ 2 Corinthians 5:17	A. We receive peace with God
_____ Romans 5:1	B. We become children of God
_____ John 1:12	C. We become a new creation
_____ Colossians 1:13–14	D. We are redeemed and forgiven
_____ Romans 8:1	E. We are no longer under condemnation

Write three blessings we receive through salvation:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

7. Does Salvation Mean We Will Never Struggle Again?

Read **Galatians 5:16–17** and **1 John 1:9**.

After salvation, believers may still face:

- ☐ Temptation
- ☐ Spiritual battles
- ☐ Difficult circumstances
- ☐ The need to confess sin
- ☐ All of the above

When a believer sins, what should that person do?

Salvation does not mean we instantly become perfect. It means we belong to Jesus and the Holy Spirit begins transforming us. We are called to grow in obedience, renew our minds through Scripture, and turn away from our former way of living.

8. Evidence of a Changed Life

Read **Galatians 5:22–23**.

List the fruit the Holy Spirit produces in a believer's life:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____

Which area would you like the Holy Spirit to help you grow in?

Why?

9. Examining My Heart

Answer honestly before God.

Do I understand that I have sinned and need a Savior?

☐ Yes

☐ I am still learning

Do I believe Jesus Christ is the Son of God who died for my sins and rose again?

☐ Yes

☐ I have questions

Have I repented and placed my faith in Jesus Christ?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ I am not sure

Am I trusting in Jesus or in my own goodness to save me?

Is there any sin I need to confess and surrender to God?

What questions do I still have about salvation?

My Response to the Gospel

If you are ready to receive God's gift of salvation, respond to Him sincerely. A prayer does not save us by itself; salvation comes through genuine repentance and faith in Jesus Christ. You may use these words to help express what is in your heart:

Heavenly Father, I know that I have sinned and need Your forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ is Your Son, that He died for my sins, and that He rose again. I repent of my sins and turn toward You. I place my faith in Jesus Christ as my Savior and confess Him as Lord. Please forgive me, give me a new heart, and teach me to follow You. Thank You for Your grace and the gift of eternal life. In Jesus' name, amen.

My Salvation Decision

Today, I:

- ☐ Placed my faith in Jesus Christ for salvation.
- ☐ Recommitted myself to following Jesus faithfully.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

My Next Steps

After receiving salvation, I will:

- ☐ Tell someone that I have trusted in Jesus.
- ☐ Begin reading the Bible daily.
- ☐ Pray and develop my relationship with God.

- ☐ Connect with a faithful Bible-teaching church.
- ☐ Be baptized as an outward testimony of my faith.
- ☐ Build relationships with other believers.
- ☐ Turn away from sinful habits and ask for accountability.

Memory Verse

“Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved.”

Acts 16:31 NKJV

Write the memory verse in your own handwriting:

Closing Truth

Bible Besties, salvation is not about becoming religious or trying to make yourself worthy of God. It is about recognizing that you need a Savior and placing your faith in Jesus Christ.

Jesus paid the price we could never pay. He offers forgiveness we could never earn and gives new life that we could never create for ourselves.

Salvation is by grace alone, through faith in Jesus Christ.

Answer Key

1. sin
2. gift
3. grace; faith
4. Jesus
5. saved

John 14:6: way, truth, life

First Corinthians 15:3–4: died, buried, rose

Ephesians 2:8–9: grace, faith

Scripture matching:

- 2 Corinthians 5:17 — C
- Romans 5:1 — A
- John 1:12 — B
- Colossians 1:13–14 — D
- Romans 8:1 — E

Fruit of the Spirit: Love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.

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