***Salvation in a Nutshell***

If you are a bit confused or frustrated with the overwhelming rituals and ceremonies and other fluff that religions impose upon you, and you would like to streamline your faith or relationship to the almighty God, I want to offer you a solution or inform you of the bare necessity of faith in God required for your salvation. Thus, the name, “Salvation in a Nutshell.”

Why do people join a religion? Many seek salvation, search for God, find a way to heaven, avoid hell, be good, be forgiven of their sins, be free from sin and Satan, be happy, and other noble reasons.

They join a religion but get tied down to a complex number of duties and burdensome obligations.

There are only 2 steps you need to take to be saved. You can be happy on earth, then go to heaven. These 2 steps are spiritual and practical. It involves knowing who God and His Champion is and then follow a simple pathway.

Although I am not promoting one religion, this argument which is meant to be universal may seem to. Even if what I am promoting sounds similar to a particular religion, it is far more reasonable and analytical, yet simple.

Let’s start with agreeing that America is the greatest country in the world in terms of wealth and economic power, GDP, creativity (most patents), political and social freedom, food, media, sports, and the go-to place for anyone seeking opportunity, prosperity and fulfillment. It’s the most egalitarian country where God’s support and blessing is clearly evident. If you agree, please continue to read.

Following Jesus death, Christianity seems to be annihilated. Yet from the ashes of persecution and death rose this giant Pheonix call Christianity, and the countries that host it became the most powerful and successful country in the world culminating in America being the greatest empire ever. For almost 400 years, Christianity was persecuted, mocked, belittled, condemned, ostracized, killed, and a pariah religion until year 319 A.D., when Emperor Constantine and Theodosius in 380 A.D. declared Christianity as the recognized legal religion in the Roman Empire, thus ending national, widely accepted, persecution.

The Roman Empire, along with other Christian empires such as Spain were the most formidable Christian empires that rule the ancient world. In the modern era, the British Empire (eclipsing Russia in Christian fervor, thus in global control) became the dominant, most powerful empire to affect the world in the most significant way. This is followed by the now the greatest empire, the United States of America. These countries were all Christian. Other empires, though powerful, like the Ottoman Empire, have been relegated to the 2nd or 3rd tier of world power. The point is, it is clear, today, that God is behind the rise, power, and dominance of countries with Christianity as their religion.

Why is Christianity seem to be God’s vehicle He wants to bless and use as the influencer for the world today? Because God has an enemy Satan (named Lucifer before his fall) who has chained and enslaved His children from day 1 (Romans 6:16), He must raise (or send, from man’s view) a man who can defeat Satan (Matthew 4:11). Then all mankind who can “engraft” on to him may also be victorious over the struggle over sin and Satan. This champion of God is what is known as the Messiah. God even spoke from heaven, “This is my Son, listen to him.” (Mathew 17:5)

Seeing how God needs such a champion, He chose the Jewish people as his Chosen nation to receive the Messiah because, at that time, they were monotheistic and had saints among them who responded and advanced God’s Providence (Abraham, Jacob, Isaiah and Moses, to name a few).

Even though the Jewish leaders rejected Jesus Christ, the Messiah was born, lived and accomplished one major task, the victory over Satan (Matthew 4:3-10). He was meant to teach by word and example all the necessary guidance we fallen people need to live a sinless, joyful, and victorious life. However, Jesus suffered an untimely death. He, nevertheless, knowing he will be crucified, predicted his 2nd Coming.

Like John the Baptist, who came as the 2nd coming of Elijah (Mathew 11:14) but in a different body (a different person), Jesus returned in the new person named Sun Myung Moon. If anyone doubt this person, examine his words and deeds, just as Jesus said to those who doubted him, “Believe my works, so that you can know and believe the Father is in me and I am in my Father” (John 10:37). Jesus taught: 1. Love neighbor as thyself, which means give to all who asks, even those who cannot repay (Luke 6:30, 14:13); 2. While being tortured, Jesus said, “Forgive them for they know not what they do;” 3. A higher standard of morality (Mathew 5:28); and 4. That God is Our Father. What more did Jesus wanted to teach which the returning Messiah, Sun Myung Moon brings to completion? Rev. Moon teaches what Jesus taught and added the following: 5. Forgive, forget, love and unite; 6. Live for the sake of others. Rev. Moon takes Jesus’ words, regarding giving, one step higher, that what you can lend, just give and not seek any return; 7. Commit to Absolute Sex, meaning fidelity in mind and body (including pornography); 8. Rebirth through True Parents; 9. Exemplify the Family as the School of Love; and 10. ***Drink the Holy Wine, to change one’s blood lineage from Satan’s to God’s:***

These are some of the major points to believe and follow. There were many more important lessons which if all were written, there will not be enough room to contain them all. Likewise spoke the disciples of Jesus (John 21:25). So, what are those 2 steps one needs to take to be saved?

Step 1 – Accept Jesus as the Messiah for what he achieved for all mankind. Accept also the 2nd Coming for advancing and fulfilling God’s Providence, by drinking the ***“Holy Wine.”***

This is the Spiritual Victory - the Messiah already broke through. We must engraft (unite) to the Messiah, receive the Holy Wine Blessing (drink the Holy Wine with your partner), which is a sign of complete separation from Satan and change of blood lineage, from Satan to God.

Step 2 – Having been liberated, now we can begin to live the way we were originally designed like unfallen Adam and Eve.

This is the Practical and Substantial Victory- Discipline your body (become perfect Matt 5:48). Live life as true sons and daughters with true love, true life, and true lineage for our family and tribe by following the guidance (the Bible and Divine Principle) given by the Messiah, Jesus and Sun Myung Moon. Live for the sake of others. We have 100 years to become perfect. Be grateful and be happy! Our mission is to disseminate this revolutionary information to all mankind! Best Wishes! Amen and Aju (Korean)!

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