

**FOURTH: WHAT GOD REQUIRES OF YOU.**

**-Repent**

You must recognize that you are indeed a sinner, and that your sin is an offense to God. Instead of being proud of your wickedness you should be ashamed. Humble yourself before God and ask him to forgive your sins. God not only wants you to do this, but he demands it.

And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent: Acts 17.30

**-Convert**

God hates you religion because it opposes His truth; because it only stimulates you to hypocrisy; because it teaches you to honour creatures like the virgin Mary, the priests, the saints, or yourself instead of the Creator. God, therefore, requires you to forsake your religion so that you can follow Him in spirit and in truth.

And I heard another voice from heaven, saying, Come out of her, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues. Revelation 18:4

**-Believe**

You cannot trust in Jesus *and* in the Virgin; in Jesus *and* in your own good works. To trust one is to say that the other is not sufficient. You must choose who you will trust in. Who is your Saviour? That is the question that you must ask yourself. Jesus is the answer. Believe on Him and only on Him.

And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house. Acts 16.31

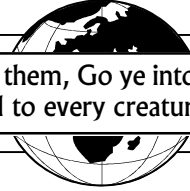
**-Confess**

In other words, with your own mouth, in your own heartfelt words, ask Jesus to save you. Jesus promises to save all those that do so according to the Scriptures.

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. Romans 10.13

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**THE GOSPEL**



And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. Mark 16.15

The message that we are sent to preach is called "the gospel." This message consists of several points which we would like to share with you through this tract.

**FIRST: GOD HAS SWORN TO JUDGE YOUR SIN.**

The Bible teaches that there is not one righteous person on earth, but that all are, by nature, sinners.

For there is not a just man upon earth, that doeth good, and sinneth not. Ecclesiastes 7:20

Since God is holy and just, He demands that you be judged for your works and swears that He will not forget a single sin you have committed. All things will be brought to light and no sin will go unpunished.

The LORD hath sworn by the excellency of Jacob, Surely I will never forget any of their works. Amos 8:7

The punishment that the Bible speaks of is the eternal Lake of Fire. It really does not matter if you think that this is unfair, God is in control—Not you! He established a long time ago that sinners would be condemned to Hell.

The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God. Psalms 9:17

Let death seize upon them, and let them go down quick into hell: for wickedness is in their dwellings, and among them. Psalms 55:15

For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus; 1 Timothy 2:5

intercede between us and God. Scriptures confirm that Christ is the only one that can realize that no one other the Jesus is qualified. Not the virgin, not the saints, not your pastor, not anyone. The death of a perfect and innocent man, you have to understand that your forgiveness is only obtained through only one that can reconcile you to God. If you truly knowing this, it shouldn't be a mystery that Christ is the

And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment: So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; Hebrews 9.27,28

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. John 3.16

However, God wants to save you from this condemnation. He wants for you to live with him in Glory for all eternity. For this reason He sent His only begotten Son to suffer the condemnation and punishment for *your* sins.

The soul that sinneth, it shall die. Ezequiel 18:4

For the wages of sin is death; Romans 6.23

declared that sin merits death and Hell—nothing less. But He demands true and complete payment. He has your sins so that you might be accepted into His presence. religious sacrifices, He does demand that *someone* pay for Although God will not accept your "good works" nor

**THIRD: JESUS CHRIST TOOK ON HIMSELF YOUR CONDEMNATION AND RECONCILED YOU TO GOD.**

And every priest standeth daily ministering and offering oftentimes the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins: Hebrews 10.11

God also has declared that He will not accept a sacrifice offered on your behalf by some other sinner. Like water baptism for the remission of sins or a mass to free souls from purgatory or a confession to a priest. You might think certain men and the sacrifices they offer up for you have power to absolve sins, but God says:

The sacrifice of the wicked is abomination: how much more, when he bringeth it with a wicked mind? Proverbs 21:27

God also will not be influenced by the religious sacrifices that you offer for yourself. For example: Rosaries, offerings, selling Watchtower magazines, community service, and etc. You not only fail in your attempt to influence God's judgment, but in reality you blaspheme against His justice. God cannot be "bought off" with money or religious sacrifices nor even good works.

For as many as are of the works of the law are under the curse: for it is written, Cursed is every one that continueth not in all things which are written in the book of the law to do them. Galatians 3.10

For whosoever shall keep the whole law, and yet offend in one point, he is guilty of all. James 2.10

God will not forgive your sins as a reward for some good work you might have done. Neither will he overlook the commandments that you have broken simply because there are some that you keep. He demands that you keep ALL of his law...ALWAYS! "I gave it my best shot" is synonymous with "I failed", and God will not overlook failure.

**SECOND: GOOD WORKS AND RELIGIOUS SACRIFICES CAN NEVER SAVE YOU FROM THE JUDGMENT.**