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The meaning and scope of Salvation

- **Salvation** - derived from the word for savior, the Greek word is "soteria" - deliverance, preservation
- **How "soteria" is used in the New Testament**
  - of material and temporal deliverance      Acts 7:25, Acts 27:34
  - of spiritual and eternal deliverance      Acts 4:12, Rom 1:16
  - of the present experience of God's power to deliver      next section
  - of the future deliverance of the believer      next section
  - of the deliverance of the nation of Israel      Luke 1:69-71
  - to sum up all the blessings of God for the believer      1 Pet. 1:9
- **Old Testament verses on salvation**
  - Psalm 3:8 --- salvation belongs to the LORD
  - Jonah 2:9 --- salvation is of the LORD



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- **Scope of Salvation includes the following:** substitution, redemption, reconciliation, propitiation, conviction, repentance, faith, regeneration, forgiveness, justification, sanctification, preservation, glorification
- "The word salvation represents the whole work of God by which He rescues man from the eternal ruin and doom of sin and bestows on him the riches of His grace, including eternal life now and eternal glory in heaven"
- **Salvation is the saving work of God**
  - made fit to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints      Col 1:12
  - made accepted in the beloved      Eph. 1:6
  - made the righteousness of God      2 Cor. 5:21
  - made near to God      Eph. 2:13
  - made sons of God      John 1:12
  - made citizens of heaven      Phil. 3:20
  - made a new creation      2 Cor 5:17
  - made members of the family and household of God      Eph. 2:19
  - made complete in Christ      Col. 2:10

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from the power of Sin

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- salvation from the reigning power of sin
- we are to walk in Him by faith

from the presence of Sin

Future Tense


- saved into full conformity to Christ
- yet to be saved from the presence of sin

The three tenses of Salvation

- **from:** the penalty of sin (eternal death)
- **to:** eternal life
- Eph. 2:8 For by grace you have been saved through faith
- Jn. 5:24 - he who believes - has passed out of death into life
- Jn. 10:28 - shall never perish - no one shall snatch them out of My hand
- Rom. 8:1 no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus

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- **from:** power of sin (sin nature)
- **to:** being alive to God
- Rom. 6:6 Knowing this, that our old self was crucified with Him, that our body of sin might be done away with, ---
- Rom 6:11 Even so consider yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus
- called the "Identification Truths"

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- 1 Jn. 3:2 --- it has not appeared as yet what we shall be -- when He appears, we shall be like Him
- 1 Pet 1:5 -- protected -- for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last times
- Phil 1:6 --- will perfect it (a good work in you) until the day of Christ Jesus

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Salvation is conditioned upon Faith alone

- In 115 passages of the NT, salvation of a sinner is declared to depend only upon believing - In 35 passages it is declared to depend upon faith
- **Belief** (Greek - pisteuo) and **Faith** (Greek - pistis) are synonymous
- God alone can save - only through the sacrifice of His Son
- Man is to believe God's message concerning His Son
- Believing is the opposite of doing anything - it's trusting another instead
- Salvation depends only upon believing
- For salvation it is not required that one
  - believe and pray
  - believe and confess sin
  - believe and confess Christ
  - believe and repent
  - believe and make restitution