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# **"Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"**

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This was the question of the Philippian Jailer. No doubt this man was religious and had professed to have known God. But when he faced the apostles who had the only gospel, he found himself unsaved. Like many today, when their religious experience is brought up against the standard of the word of God they find themselves unsaved.

I am sure that there are many people today who have been in churches for years--no doubt have been deacons, trustees, missionaries, etc., and with all of that there is an unrest and dissatisfaction until they are asking themselves the question, "Am I really saved? And what proof have I, that I can know of a truth, that I have a Bible salvation? And if Jesus Christ should come would I be ready to meet Him or am I deceived?"

Dear reader, the only way to know we're saved is to know according to God's Eternal Word.

I've heard many times of ministers converting people and saying they were saved without any Bible proof, telling people to bow their heads and raise their hands, and accept Jesus Christ right where they are. And when they do that they say so many got saved through our ministry.

I want to say to you in the name of Jesus Christ, and according to God's Eternal Word that is just as far from the truth and being saved as the East is from the West.

They never mention repentance or Baptism to the People, didn't mention receiving the Holy Ghost, yet say they are saved.

Dear reader, let us now turn to the word of God, and see what the word of God has to say about it. Romans 3:4 says: "Let God be true and every man a liar." Now we will hear outlined the plan of salvation according to the word of God.

John said: "He indeed baptized with water unto repentance but Jesus Christ would baptize with the Holy Ghost and with fire." John didn't tell them to raise their hands right where they were and accept Christ. Jesus Christ, who is our example came to John and was baptized, and He received the Holy Ghost. ( Matthew 3:16)

Jesus Christ said to Nicodemus, except a man be born again of water and spirit, he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God. ( St. John 3:5)

Jesus Christ said in Mark 16:16 he that believeth and is baptized shall be saved, and these signs shall follow them that believe...In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues. I heard an awful statement made that there was no such thing in the Bible as speaking in tongues. But Isaiah prophesied seven hundred and twelve years before Jesus Christ came: "For with stammering lips and another tongue will he speak to his people." (Isaiah 28:11) Jesus Christ spoke in tongues, when he raised Jairus' daughter. He took the damsel by the hand and said unto her "Talitha cumi." (Mark 5:41)

On the day of Pentecost when the foundation of the Church was laid with and by them that walked and talked with Jesus Christ, and watched Him go up into the heavens, they also spoke in tongues as the spirit gave them utterance. (Read Acts 2:1-13)

When the multitude heard the gospel preached by Peter on the day of Pentecost, they were pricked in their hearts. They said unto Peter and the rest of the Apostles, "What shall we do?" Peter didn't say to them raise your hands and accept Christ as your personal Saviour, as it is told to the people today. Neither did he say join the church, but he said unto them, "Repent and be baptized everyone of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost." (Acts 2:38) And three thousand obeyed (Acts 2:41)

When Philip preached to the City of Samaria, he didn't tell the people to sit right where they were, and they didn't need to be emotional. And when the people believed the preaching of Philip, they were baptized in the name of Jesus Christ, and received the Holy Ghost. Read Acts the 8th Chapter, verse five to the twenty-second.

When Peter preached the same gospel to the Gentiles in Caesarea that he preached to the Jews on the day of Pentecost, they received the Holy Ghost, and spake with other tongues, and were baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. (Acts 10:44-48)

Let us turn again to the Word of God (Acts 19:5). When the Apostle Paul met John's disciples who had not received salvation under this dispensation, he said unto them, "Have you received the Holy Ghost since you believed?"

I want to say here, dear reader, there are thousands of people who have some kind of belief but except they believe as the Scriptures have said (St. John 7:38), their belief is in vain. They said unto Paul, We have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Ghost.

Paul then said unto them, "Unto what then were you baptized?" He goes on then to explain the truth unto them as I am explaining it unto you. They obeyed and were baptized in the name of Jesus Christ, and were filled with the Holy Ghost and spoke in other tongues. (Acts 19:1)

Now, dear reader, if you will take the word of God for it, you will see plainly that the apostles did not use the methods men are using today, to get people saved. Nowhere can it be found in all the Bible, that any of God's ministers told the people to bow their heads and raise their hands and receive Jesus right where they are, without mentioning repentance, baptism or receiving the Holy Ghost.

The Apostle Paul said: "If an angel from heaven preached any other gospel except that which they have preached, let him be accursed." (Galatians 1:8-9)

I want to say in my conclusion to you, nobody is saved regardless who he or she may be without having the water, spirit and the blood. These three agree in one (I John 5:8). If you have the spirit and refuse the water you yet aren't saved. You can't have the blood and refuse water and the spirit. The Bible says one Lord, one Faith and one Baptism (Ephesians 4:5)

Dear reader, if you haven't got it like the Scriptures have outlined it here, you, too, need to cry out in the language of the jailer: "What must I do to be saved?" May God open your understanding that you may understand the Scriptures, is my prayer.

To hear more of this truth, visit the church with a Standard, and the old-time Power, where the gospel is preached in its fullness, just as it was in the days of the Apostles. The sick are healed and the Holy Ghost given.

May God open your understanding to receive the light of His truth.

- ***John 6:12 (King James Version)***

*<sup>13</sup> Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.*

- ***John 14:15-17 (King James Version)***

*<sup>15</sup> If ye love me, keep my commandments.*

*<sup>16</sup> And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever;*

*<sup>17</sup> Even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.*

“Prove all things and hold fast that which is good.” - I Thessalonians 5:21

“...Let every man be fully persuaded in his own mind.” - Romans 14:5

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