

Understanding Our REDEMPTION

It is God's desire that we understand His Word which gives us His plan for our redemption. There are two phases of redemption, the Completed Side and the Present Side. The cross of Jesus Christ in the center divides the two sides.

Each side has two major points to its understanding. The Completed Side of our Redemption begins with Christ's incarnation and ended when He sat down at the right hand of the Father on high and is legally ours NOW! The two major points to understanding the completed side are:

. Knowing Who He is and
. What He has Done for us in Christ,
so that you can understand:

The Present Side what the Holy Spirit is developing in us now through faith in God's Word. It begins at the new birth and ends when we leave this body to go and be with the Lord. It builds upon your understanding of the completed side. The two major points to understanding the present side are
. Knowing Who you are in Christ,
which enables you to ...

. Know your Rights and Privileges in Christ.

After having just completed teaching on the Completed Side, the purpose of this brochure is to provide a summary only of the main points. (See our book Understanding our Redemption).

COMPLETED SIDE

WHO HE IS:

God is our heavenly Father. Jesus said in *John 20:17* "...I am ascending to My Father AND YOUR Father and to My God and YOUR God." (*Eph. 1:3-14*).

He is OUR God —*Ezek. 36:26-28*—"I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will keep My judgments and do them. Then you shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; you shall be My people, and I will be your God."

Isa. 41:10 "Fear not for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I AM YOUR GOD. I will strengthen you, Yes I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand. (Jesus).

God Is Love —"He who does not love does not know God, for GOD IS LOVE." *1 Jn. 4:8* ".....the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us." *Rom. 5:5*.

All that God is and all that He has ever been—every dimension of His amazing personality awaits, and is ready to reach fulfillment in you—ready to complete your self-image. Your self-image will be complete only when you realize the complete image of who God wants to be in you! The names of God each express every aspect of His personality, His provision and the relationship God desires with us.

The names Elohiym, Jehovah and El Shaddai, all relate to the person of God. The name Adonai reveals his ownership of us as well as our responsibility.

Elohiym— means all mighty one, power and sovereignty (authority); it also refers to the plurality of God, revealing the divine trinity, God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. We first see it in *Genesis 1:1*. This the name in which God reveals His power and creativity. This power and creativity is what

allows Him to enter into covenant relationship with you and I. Paul understood the covenant relationship with the God of power. *Rom. 1:16*.

JEHOVAH—is the name in which God reveals His ways to those in covenant with Him. It literally means "revealing One". He reveals the holiness and righteousness of God, as our redeemer.

It also means to "live, to be or being". I AM. Jesus said in *John 8:58* "before Abraham was, I AM". *Ps 102:27* and *Heb. 13:8* tells us that "He never changes, He is the same yesterday, today and forever" Jehovah is a compound name revealing His holiness and righteousness as our redeemer so all these names refer or point to Calvary and the cross where we were redeemed.

Each name reveals what HE IS to us. He is: Jehovah Jireh—"Lord will provide Himself an offering (Christ Jesus).

Jehovah Nissi—Our banner, our victory.

Jehovah Rophe—Our Physician, our Healer.

Jehovah Shalom—Our Peace.

Jehovah Tsidkenu— Our righteousness.

Jehovah Rohi—Our Shepherd.

Jehovah Shammah—is there, present One.

Jehovah M'Kadesh—Our Sanctifier.

El Shaddai—God of blessings and all sufficiency. Derived from the word "field" as the fields produce abundance. Saddai means "breasty one", the God of more than enough.

He made a covenant with Abraham promising to bless him exceedingly. *Gen 17:1-2*. He can overrule natural events and He is the God who is more than enough.

Adonai—means "master, owner, Lord" (Lord

in the King James) and signifies ownership and our responsibilities from being owned by God! It is both plural and possessive so it gives us liberty. (*Ps 110, Acts 2:36; 1 Cor. 6:20 & 7:22; II Cor. 3:17*. Adonai confirms the fact of a triune Godhead (Father, Son and Holy Spirit). ADONAI PROTECTS, PROVIDES AND DIRECTS AS MASTER.

Israel allowed limited slavery (6 to 7 yrs). *Ex. 21:1-6*. An "awl" was placed in a servant's ear, symbolizing that "I am a servant by choice". He was pierced. Jesus became a servant to do the will of the Father. *Lk 22:42*.

Phil 2:5-7 says "gave himself as a slave (bond slave of Father) and was pierced on the cross. *Zach. 12:10* "they shall look upon me whom they have pierced and they shall mourn for Him, as one mourneth for an only son."

WE MUST ALSO RECEIVE JESUS AS OUR LORD AND SAVIOR. *Rom. 10:9-10*.

WHAT GOD "HAS DONE" FOR US IN CHRIST

God has done all that He could do in our redemption! When God planned our redemption, it covered our every need and Christ's finished work meets those needs.

He satisfied the claims (charges) against outlawed man.

He gave His only Son as a substitute for our sin.

He has provided us a perfect redemption for spirit, soul and body.

He has made it possible for us to stand in His presence, a righteous perfect being, an absolute new creation created in Christ Jesus.

He made it possible for every disease to be healed, every weakness turned to strength and all power of Satan nullified.

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Our Vision

Our Goal and desire is the same as that of our Lord Jesus Christ, to fulfill God's end-time calling to enlarge the Kingdom of God, by reaching the multitudes with the gospel of Christ for all levels of our society. We are bringing glory and honor to the Father of our Lord Jesus by teaching and preparing God's people for works of service through the Word and Anointed Worship, through the manifested presence and revelation power of the Holy Spirit.



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He bore our sins and diseases away and suffered until every need of man was fully met.

Then, God justified Him (made righteous) and He was made alive in the spirit.

Then, Jesus met our Adversary, conquered him, stripped him of his authority and dominion, and arose from the dead.

Then, Jesus carried His blood into the heavenly holy of holies, poured it out before the Father on the mercy seat and made an eternal redemption (covenant) for us.

All that Jesus did, He did for US. On the grounds of that work, any man can stand right with God; any man can be healed of all his diseases.

Satan's dominion over the new creation is utterly broken. Jesus was given the authority that the first Adam forfeited. With that restoration of authority, he was given added dominion and power, because of what He had done for the salvation of the human race. That authority and dominion has been given to us in the legal use of His name.

The Holy Spirit gave Jesus strength and courage to offer Himself on the cross.

We know it was the Holy Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead.

Now He stands ready to make good in everyone of our lives, all that God wrought for us in Christ.

Phil. 2:13—for it is God who worketh in you both to will and to work, for His good pleasure.”

1 Jn 4:4 “Greater is He that is in you than He that is in the world”.

The Spirit Himself will guide us into all truth. The Trinity now stands ready to meet your faith, whatever that faith may require. All three are ready now to meet every demand of yours.

As believers, we act upon the Word of the living God who raised Jesus from the dead and put disease and sickness away. Believing is taking.

First, your salvation, eternal life, new birth and union with God; next, it is taking the great mighty Holy Spirit as your indweller, your guide and teacher, your healer and your over comer, then, it is taking your perfect deliverance out of the hands of the enemy for your spirit, soul, and body.

You now know that it no more belongs on YOUR body, spirit and soul than it does on the spirit, soul, and body of Jesus Christ. You are a member of His body, and now you know it has no place there.

Hallelujah!