

SALVATION Elder Harry L. Jackson

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I. What Does It Mean To Be Saved?

- To become a new creation (2 Cor. 5:17 Rom. 6:1-11)
- To enter into a new kingdom (Col. I:13, Eph. 2:19)
- To be accepted by God (Rom. 5:1, Eph. 1:6)
- To be made alive (Gal. 2:20, Eph. 2:1, 2:6)
 with Christ

2. Why is salvation necessary?

- Because when Adam, the first man, sinned, sin came upon all men (Gen. 2:16,17, Gen. 3:1-6, Rom. 3:23, Rom. 5:12).
- Sin separated man from God (Rom. 6:33). Therefore, man needed to be restored to fellowship with God (John 14:6, Rom. 5:2, Eph. 3:12).

3. How does one remain saved?

- By abiding (living in, remaining in) Christ (John 15:4-7)
- By bearing fruit (Mk. 4:20, John 15:1-3, 15:16, Phil. 2:12)
- By growing in grace (I Pet. 2:2, 2 Pet. I:5-6, 2 Pet. 3:18)

4. WHAT are we saved from?

There are three parts or components of salvation:

- A. Justification
- **B.** Sanctification
- C. Glorification

A. Justification- to be saved from the **penalty** of sin-

- Rom:3:24- "Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus..."
- Romans 5:1-"Therefore being justified by faith, (in the blood of Christ) we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ..."
- Rom:5:9- "Much more then, being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him."

A. Justification- to be saved from the **penalty** of sin-

- Justification or to be Justified is a legal or judicial term that means that one has been declared to be righteous or not guilty.
- Another related term is Propitiation, which means "That which satisfies the wrath of God" (Rom. 3:25, IJn. 2:2, IJn. 4:10)
- Also Ref. Romans 1:18

B. Sanctification- to be saved from the power of sin (see Phil. 2:12)

- To be sanctified means to be "separated," or "set apart."
- When we are sanctified, we are separated from sin, and unto God.
- Sanctification has two parts. It is both:
 - A one-time event and
 - 2. An on-going process

B. Sanctification— to be saved from the power of sin (see Phil. 2:12)

- I. A one-time event (separation from the world)-
- I Corinthians 6: I I "And such were some of you: but ye are washed, but ye are sanctified, but ye are justified in the name of the Lord Jesus, and by the Spirit of our God."
- I Peter 2:9-"But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light:"

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- 2.An ongoing process-
- By the Word (Eph. 5:26)
- By the Spirit (1 Pet. 1:2)
- By separation from ungodliness (2 Tim. 2:21)

C. Glorification- To be saved from the **presence** of sin

I.A future event (taking on the fullness of Christ)

- I John 3:2- "Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is."
- Rom 8:29- "For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren."