

The Baptist's Corner - Eternal Security

As we go out and witness to folks about what Jesus Christ did for us and our need to believe on His death, burial and resurrection, in order to be saved from eternal damnation, we will find many people who do not understand the doctrine of eternal security. Many of those who do proclaim to believe in the Gospel of Jesus Christ as their means of salvation are not convinced their salvation is forever guaranteed. They believe they must work to maintain their salvation. Friends, just as we are not able to earn our salvation when we are lost, we are not able to earn

our damnation once we are saved! Scripture backs us up on this statement.

We have talked previously about what establishes our salvation, so we will go onto the point that our salvation is eternal.

John 3:14-15 is a great place to start.

14 And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of man be lifted up:

15 That whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life.

Here God's Word promises us that whosoever believes in Jesus shall

not perish, but have eternal life. This is because Jesus was lifted up. He was nailed to the Cross, died, was buried and rose again all according to Scripture to pay for our sins. Verse 15 specifies this produces eternal life when we believe on Him. There are no other conditions applied here. John 3:16, a very famous verse, continues this statement,

16 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.

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- ◆ Check out the new Bible Study website located at www.2timothy2-15.org
- ◆ Radio Program on WHKC 91.5 FM. Saturdays at 11:00am and Sundays at 9:30pm.

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Bible Believers Baptist Fellowship had it's beginnings in June 2006. We started as a small group dedicated to the idea of working for Christ. Some have come and some have gone. Some of those who have left though, have left to help reshape the thinking of other local churches. Our core group remains strong though. With only a core group of nine believers, we have been able to literally reach out to the whole world. I do

not say this to brag, but only to let others know that you do not have to be part of a huge mega church with a millions of dollars budget to preach the Gospel to the entire world!

Scripture is clear we are not to work to earn our salvation. We know we are saved by grace through faith, but we also know we were created in Christ Jesus unto good works which God has ordained that we should walk in them.

Jesus did indeed serve as our model when He came to the earth the first time. He was here to do the Father's will. Paul calls himself a servant of Christ. We are servants not only of Jesus but also each other. We should have a servant's attitude just as Jesus did and Paul did.

We are fortunate in this day and age to have tools available to us that make it much easier to spread the Gospel!
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The Pastor's Post



HB 176 Passed In Ohio

It is amazing. I am dumb-founded, though I know better than to be surprised. HB 176 has passed with a majority of votes in the Ohio House of Representatives and is now going to the Ohio Senate for a vote (tentatively scheduled on Tuesday, the 22nd).

Satan is enjoying a Sodomite Revival and Christians... where are they? Our little ministry is doing our part. The American Family Association sent out the alarm on their radio network and e-mails.

But where are the mega-churches and the large denominations? Why are so few Christians even AWARE of this encroachment upon our God-ordained liberties (Romans 13:1-4)?

I believe the answer is in the fact that we are living in the last days. The mass of professing Christians are in a state of perpetual lukewarmness. The sleeping, snoring saints are too comfortable to

care.

That will all change when they begin seeing the horrible effects on our state if HB 176 passes and if Issue 3 wins in November, allowing Casinos to be built all over the state of Ohio.

Ohio is on the brink of becoming Sodom. Genesis 19 and Revelation chapters 6 thru 19 tell us how it will end.

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Work

We have transportation available to us that allows us to literally travel thousands of miles in a matter of hours instead of weeks. We have technology that allows us to broadcast our message of the salvation through Jesus over the airwaves. We have a technology called the internet that allows us to take our message into the uttermost parts of the earth within seconds. All of this is available, but so little is done. As I mentioned earlier, our group of nine believe in taking advantage of all these opportunities. So far, we

have been able to get the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to every state in the United States and over 30 countries all over the world. There are many ways to spread the Gospel message. In addition to those already mentioned, we also use Scripture cards to get the message out. On the front is John 3:16 and on the back, the Gospel message. These cards can be left anywhere and everywhere! Leave a card at a restaurant with your tip, place a card in the envelope when you mail in bill payments, leave cards on the shelves of a

store, you can leave a card in the bowl where people leave their business cards in the hope of winning something. Why not just give a person a card in passing. We are seed planters and it is God who brings the increase. But we need to be working! When Jesus returns, will He find you working on the job He commanded us to do? We are servants of Jesus Christ and need to continue working until Jesus comes! Go out and spread the Gospel, baptize those who believe and teach others to do the same!

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World Persecution Watch: China

According to Voice of the Martyrs (www.persecution.com) Christians make up about 7.25% of China, 28.5% are of a folk religion and 49.58% are of a non-religious or other

affiliation. China is a communist nation and maintains a tight hold over its people. Brothers and sisters in communist China are imprisoned daily; kidnapped, tortured, martyred, their Bible’s confiscated for their faith in the Lord. Unregistered house churches must meet in secret.

Despite all their sufferings, they gladly pick up their cross daily and carry it for the Lord. Pastor Hua Huiqi, China states: “It doesn’t matter whether I live or die, as long as Christ shines in me and the gospel increases.” We have so much to learn from our brothers and sisters in China and

around the world that suffer daily for Jesus Christ and the gospel. Please, keep them in your prayers.

Puzzle Corner

1 John 5:11 - 13

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¹¹ And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.

¹² He that hath the Son hath life; *and* he that hath not the Son of God hath not life.

¹³ These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

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TRUTH!

An Invitation To Visit

If you are looking for a church of Bible believing Christians, look no further. We here at Bible Believer's Baptist Fellowship believe that we should be as the Bereans who Paul commended in Acts 17:11,

"These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so."

Contact us at the number listed on this page, and we would be happy to talk with you further and pray with you.

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We look forward to hearing from you!

Security

Verse 16 not only reiterates what verse 15 said about eternal life, but gives us the reason why this gift is given to us. We receive eternal life not because we have earned it, but because God so loved us! Once again, though, the key word here is eternal. It does not say life until we do something to lose our salvation.

John 6:37-38 has this to say,

37 All that the Father giveth me shall come to me; and him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out.

38 For I came down from heaven, not to do mine own will, but the will of him that sent me.

This is Jesus speaking. Jesus promises us that all the Father gives him, he will in no wise cast out! We are with Jesus and once we believe on Him

for salvation, we remain his forever! Verse 38 tells us he does this because he is only doing the will of God the Father. It is the Father which sent the Son to die for the sins of the world because He loved the world so much. Let's look at verses 39 and 40 in John chapter 6,

39 And this is the Father's will which hath sent me, that of all which he hath given me I should lose nothing, but should raise it up again at the last day.

40 And this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life: and I will raise him up at the last day.

Jesus will be raising us up on that last day because it is the

will of the Father that none should perish. All who believe on the name of Jesus for salvation will in no wise be cast out!

John 10:27-29 sums up this whole question perfectly!

27 My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me:

28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.

29 My Father, which gave them me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand.

Jesus tells us we are eternally saved. God's will is that we have eternal life. If God said it, that settles it!