

Redemption

Romans 3:24-26

Redemption Summed Up “IN CHRIST”

1 Cor 1:30-31

*“But of him are ye **in Christ** Jesus, who was made unto us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and **redemption**: that, according as it is written, He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord.”*

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*Rom 3:23-26 "for all have sinned, and fall short of the glory of God; being justified freely by his grace through the **redemption that is in Christ Jesus:** whom God set forth (to be) a propitiation, through faith, in his blood, to show his righteousness because of the passing over of the sins done aforetime, in the forbearance of God; for the showing, (I say), of his righteousness at this present season: that he might himself be just, and the justifier of him that hath faith in Jesus."*

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Eph 1:7

"...in whom we have our redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace."

WHAT Is Redemption?

- English word redemption means to re-buy, “to regain possession of by repurchase.” (Webster’s Coll. Dict. p. 833)
- Two Greek words translated as Redeem.

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1. ***Exagorazo***, a strengthened form of agorazo, "to buy," denotes "to buy out" (ex for ek), especially of purchasing a slave with a view to his freedom. It is used metaphorically (a) in Gal 3:13 and 4:5, of the deliverance by Christ of Christian Jews from the Law and its curse; (b) in the middle voice, "to buy up for oneself," Eph 5:16 and Col 4:5, of "buying up the opportunity" (RV marg.; text, "redeeming the time," where "time" is kairos, "a season," a time in which something is seasonable), i. e., making the most of every opportunity, turning each to the best advantage since none can be recalled if missed.

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2. ***Lutroo***, "to release on receipt of ransom," signifying "to release by paying a ransom price, to redeem" (a) in the natural sense of delivering, Luke 24:21, of setting Israel free from the Roman yoke; (b) in a spiritual sense, **Titus 2:14, of the work of Christ in "redeeming" men "from all iniquity"** *1 Peter 1:18 (passive voice), "ye were redeemed,"* from a vain manner of life, i. e., from bondage to tradition. In both instances the death of Christ is stated as the means of "redemption."

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Man Needs Redemption

- Man chooses to become the servant of sin.
Rom. 6:16-18
- To belong to the Lord again, one has to be redeemed.
 - Bought with a price.
 - Actual deliverance or release from sin.

WHO Redeems us?

- **God the Father.**

- *Ps 111:9 "He hath sent redemption unto his people; He hath commanded his covenant for ever: Holy and reverend is his name."*

- *Ps 19:14 "Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, O Jehovah, my rock, and my redeemer."*

- *NOTE: 1 Cor. 1:17ff– ch. 2*

WHO Redeems us?

- **Christ the Son.**

Rev. 5:9; 1 Pet. 1:18-19; Tit. 2:14;

Phil. 2:5-7; Heb. 2:9; 1 Cor. 6:20

WHO Redeems us?

- **Man's inability.**

- *Tit. 3:5; Eph. 2:8-9*

- Since I could not pay my debt of sin, God in His grace, gave His son and made possible my peace with God ***"Through the blood of the cross" Col. 1:20; cf. Rom. 3:23-26.***

- It is Christ who ***"delivers us from darkness and translates us into the kingdom of his dear son."*** (*Col. 1:13*).

- It is Christ who is a ***"ransom."*** *Mt. 20:28; 1 Tim. 2:6*

FOR WHOM Was Redemption Provided?

The Scriptures Refute Calvin's TULIP

- **T**otal Inherited Depravity
Ezek. 18:20; Zech. 12:1; Rom. 14:12; 2 Cor. 5:10; John 5:28-29
- **U**nconditional Election
Eph. 1:3-6; Rom. 8:29-30; Acts 10:34-35
- **L**imited Atonement
Jno. 3:16; Heb. 2:9; 1 Tim. 2:3-6; 2 Pet. 3:9
- **I**rresistible Grace
Gospel Saves - *Rom. 1:15-17; 1 Cor. 4:15; 15:1-4;*
Jms. 1:18-21; 1 Pet. 1:23-25
One may resist - *2 Thess. 1:7-9; 2:13-14*
- **P**erseverance of the Saints
Jno. 15:1-7; 1 Cor. 9:24; 10:12; Gal. 5:4; Heb. 3:12-14

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- **Did Jesus provide atonement for only a few?**
 - *Jno. 3:16* "God so love the **WORLD... WHOSOEVER....**"
 - *Heb. 2:9* "that by the grace of God he should taste of death for **EVERY** (man)."
 - *Rev 22:17* "And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And **WHOSOEVER WILL**, let him take the water of life freely."
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 - *Acts 10:34-35* "And Peter opened his mouth and said, Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons: but in **EVERY NATION** he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is acceptable to him."

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- *Col 1:13-14 "who delivered us out of the power of darkness, and translated us into the kingdom of the Son of his love; IN WHOM we have our redemption, the forgiveness of our sins:"*
- *"Lutroo" the actual "deliverance," the setting at liberty, is obtained "**IN CHRIST.**"*
- **NOTE:** As long as one is out of Christ, he is not redeemed.

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- Redemption is ***"IN CHRIST."*** *Rom. 3:24*
- One is redeemed WHEN he gets into Christ.

We Enter Into Christ WHEN We Are Baptized INTO Christ

Gal 3:26-27 "For ye are all sons of God, through faith, in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ did put on Christ.

Rom 6:3-4 "Or are ye ignorant that all we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were buried therefore with him through baptism unto death: that like as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life."

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If I don't share the home of the redeemed, it won't be because God didn't include me in His provisions, but because I didn't obey Him!!!