

Today, the world has a must *read*; must *have*, or must *see* something, but the only truly *Must read* is a *message* of God's full Truth! Every answer to prayer that believers received from God in the Bible, He is obligated to give to believers today—health, healing, protection, provisions, peace, righteousness, and eternal life Malachi 3:6 "*For I am the LORD, I change not.*"

An eternal existence awaits every living soul on earth—with only two possible destinations — Heaven or Hell—and only the Bible explains how to reach either one of the two. Heaven is where we enjoy eternal happiness with God and His Son; and the other is where Revelation 14:11 "*The smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever: and they have no rest day nor night.*" God's *Truth* from God's *Word* must be *known* and *lived*.

It is really not possible to describe the torment; the agony and suffering in Hell, but it is *real*; and it is where most people *go*—because most of the world will *not* believe in God; will *not* repent of their sins; and they will *not* trust the Son of God for the forgiveness they need!

The man tormented in the flames asked for a drink—but was not able to receive it Luke 16. It shows how *horrific* that is and how serious faith in *God* is. The man's anguish would only increase if he sees his family eventually joining him. There could *not* be a worse fate—but it *could* have been avoided and the outcome so *different*—with his loved ones joining him in *Heaven*—if they

had been shown a right example of faith in Christ on earth—but the man never *showed* them that example.

Suffering in the world ends at some point but the *next* suffering *never* ends! We *must* be prepared here—by God—who wants to give everlasting life to everyone. The only place for this spiritual work to be done in us, is right *now* in this life and right *here* on this earth. If we are not prepared here, there is no other way to escape the flames! Hebrews 9:27 "It is appointed to men once to die, but after this the judgment."

Satan is doing everything he can to have us *unprepared* for eternity—by hindering spiritual *growth*! He will use any *person*, any *thing*, or any erroneous *teaching* to achieve that dreadful objective. If God has enlightened us to understand the importance of spiritual *growth*, then we should readily identify the many religious *delusions* today. The true *Gospel* is about a true *preparation* for eternal life—one that teaches about believing *faith* in Jesus—*that* would be a *Must-read Message*!

If this earth is the *only* place to be prepared for Heaven, then we must live here in a way that gives *access* to it—which is by trusting in faith on the unseen God. Ephesians 5:15 "See then that ye walk circumspectly [be very careful how you live and act], not as fools, but as wise, 16 Redeeming the time, because the days are evil."

Redeeming the time is taking the time to *read* and *do* God's Word and taking advantage of every spiritual lesson on trusting God. This *life* is our only *chance* for being ready for the next. Jesus died on the cross and rose to life to deliver us from the devil's power, and to restore God's blessings lost through rebellion.

The resurrection power of Christ enables *righteousness, health, healing, protection, peace,* and victory over the devil. Any teaching that does

not explain about the power of the *Blood* overcoming the power of the *devil*, would seriously hinder our preparation for Heaven.

God cannot change; Jesus will be the same alway, and His atoning Blood provides healing, health, protection, provisions, peace, and deliverance from Satan's influence. The Holy Spirit is with us today and will inspire us in *faith* to put our trust on *God*.

A righteous standing before God is essential; crucial; absolutely necessary—but such a standing is only possible by a believing faith in the Atonement Blood of Jesus! That perfect sacrifice enables us to enjoy health and healing without prescriptions or medications; provides financial needs without government assistance or bank loans; and gives answers to prayer concerning all situations.

God has not changed Malachi 3:6; James 1:17, because Hebrews 13:8 "Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever." No favoritism is ever shown to anyone of any nation Ephesians 6:9. All that God did in the Bible He is obligated to do today—we just meet His easy conditions of faith and trust on Him. Acts 3:16 "It is His name—faith in that name being the condition—which has strengthened this man [made this man strong]."

It is just as fatal to believe the lie of the devil that God *has* changed in the 21st century, as it was for the Jews to reject the divinity of Christ in the 1st century! Following false teaching will lead to the flames! Satan attempts to convince people that God does *not* manifest His power today! It was *Adam's* sin—rejecting God's *Truth* and accepting Satan's *lie*.

The devil has convinced the world in general that God *has* changed and does *not* do things for people today—but the root of *all* sins is to ignore God and go our own way. The worst thing we could believe *is* that God has *changed*—when His Word says the opposite—that He *cannot* change.

Believing that God *has* changed seriously hinders our *faith* in Christ and our *hope* of Heaven. Isaiah 30:9 "*This is a rebellious people, lying [deceitful] children, children that will not hear [unwilling to listen to] the law of the LORD.*" Jeremiah 13:10 "*This evil people, which refuse to hear my words, which walk in the imagination of their heart, and walk after other gods, to serve them, and to worship them, shall even be as this [belt—completely useless!"*]

To enter Heaven, an individual will have to accept an unchanged *God*; an unchanged *Jesus*; an unchanged *Holy Spirit*; and an unchanged *Atonement* for sin—because a changed God is really no God at all.

There is no excuse for any church to teach or for anyone to believe, that God has changed, as the Bible clearly teaches that He has not. John 1:1 *"In the beginning was the Word"*—and the *Word* does not change because *God* cannot change.

At some point in time, everyone will choose what teaching they accept or doctrine they follow, but the only right choice is to believe *God*, and to prove in our *own* life that what He did for His children in the Bible, He will do for His children today—Hebrews 13:8.

2 Corinthians 4:3-4 "If our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost [on the way to perdition]: In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine to them."

Believing what the devil *lies*, instead of believing what the Bible *says*, has robbed millions of all that Jesus died on the cross to give them things in *this* life and eternity in the *next*. If there is no repentance or true change of heart, they will go to the fires of Hell—and most likely see their relatives there—with no one to blame but themselves—because the Bible spoke the *Message of Truth*! The conditions that must be met to be ready for Heaven, have been forgotten or rejected by most of the world—which generally has no clue of these conditions. The vast majority believe that if they are relatively honest; if they live a decent moral life; and if they profess belief in the historical facts of the Bible, they will enter Heaven.

But no one can be preached into heaven—we either *meet* the conditions that qualify for it, or we do *not meet* them and do *not* enter Paradise. The *qualifications* are presented in the Word; but most people do *not* read nor *heed* those words. And even if they *do* read the Bible, they do *not* accept its teaching; do *not* believe the words; and do *not* live by them.

Qualifications for God's Kingdom are— Conversion by rebirth; Surrender of our life to God; and Spiritual growth under the teaching of the Holy Spirit—called "the Spirit of truth," Who will guide us John 16:13 "into all truth." We must meet those three qualifications: *1/Conversion; 2/Surrender; 3/Growth!*

Rebirth is not an automatic, one-way ticket to Heaven, but it is a *first* and very important *step* in our *preparation* for it. John 3:3 "*Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.*" The *old self* that will *not* trust God for *anything,* must be replaced with a *new self* [changed attitude] that will trust God for *everything.*

Only one thing counts in our preparation for eternity—Galatians 6:15 "A new creature [renewed nature]." Anyone who has a new nature will know how many wrong doctrines and delusions there are today—like: Once saved; Always saved, and others. A qualification for president is being born in the USA, but what direction their life takes after their birth is what matters. It is the same with our spiritual rebirth—whether we keep trusting God after we say we accept Christ.

A born-again believer does *not oppose* Bible teaching. Just *knowing* Bible facts does *not* qualify anyone for eternal life; but *believing* what the Atonement Blood of Christ *did*, and then living by *faith* in God for all things in life, *will* qualify us. Abraham's faith was valid—James 2:22 "*His faith was co-operating with his actions, and that by his actions his faith was perfected.*" God considered him righteous, so God would consider anyone *else* righteous by that same faith.

John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever [is believing] in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." To believe in Jesus, is to believe that through faith in His Blood, our sins are forgiven, so our prayers will be answered. It means enjoying good health; being delivered from Satan's attacks; filled with the Holy Spirit; having enough money each day—and all by a trusting and believing faith in the Atonement of Christ.

We are *forgiven* when we *confess* to God— He promises. Proverbs 28:13 "He who covers his sins will not prosper, But whoever confesses and forsakes them will have mercy." 1 John 1:9 "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

God always *forgives* when we truly *confess* because He cannot change. The Holy Spirit *then*inspires us to *believe* that this forgiveness is a *true fact*, based on the authority of God's *Word* and through the merit of the precious Blood of *Christ*. *That* is our preparation for *Eternal Life;* and *that* is a <u>Must-read Message</u>!

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