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Christ Redeemed Us

3:6-14

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1 Corinthians 11:27-28

“Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup.”



PREPARATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LORD'S SUPPER

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Have I repented of my sins and surrendered to him as
The King of my life and lifestyle?

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Luke 19:

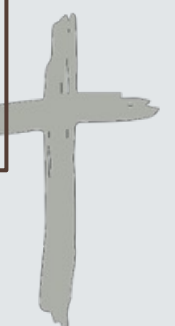
5 When Jesus came to the place, He looked up and said to him, **“Zaccheus,** hurry and come down, for today I must stay at your house.” **6** And he hurried and came down and received Him gladly. **7** When they saw it, they all began to grumble, saying, “He has gone to be the guest of a man who is a sinner.” **8** Zaccheus stopped and said to the Lord, “Behold, Lord, half of my possessions I will give to the poor, and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will give back four times as much.” **9** And Jesus said to him, **“Today salvation has come to this house, because he, too, is a son of Abraham. 10** For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost.”

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11 Now that no one is justified by the Law before God is evident; for, "THE RIGHTEOUS MAN SHALL LIVE BY

FAITH." **12** However, the Law is not of faith; on the contrary, "HE WHO PRACTICES THEM SHALL LIVE BY

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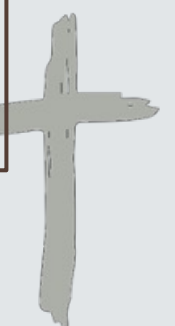
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Point #1: Being made right with God on the basis of faith goes all the way back to Abraham.



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Faith results in an initial surrender & an on-going surrendering marked by trust in & imitation of King Jesus for God's glory.

The holy, creator **GOD** was confronted with **MAN's** rebellion and sin. So **JESUS** has given Himself in love to become the Redeemer and Restorer of man to God and God's purposes made possible by grace through faith and **SURRENDER** to the crucified, risen King.



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Point #2: Gentiles from among the nations are made right with God on the basis of faith and are blessed with Abraham.

Faith —> Abraham (Israel) —> Gentiles



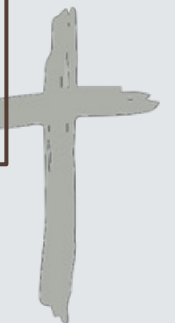
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(Deuteronomy 27:26 & Habakkuk 2:4)

Point #3: The law was never intended to be the way for people to be saved.



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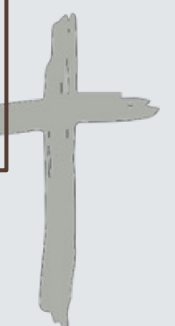
Point #4: Those who trust in the faith system in order to be right with God abandon a works system or the idea of being right with God because of works.





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Point #5: Jesus redeemed us by bearing the sins of the world in His death on the cross, overcoming evil.



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PRACTICAL APPLICATION

1. Understand what it means to move from a state of guilt to a status of acceptance by God through the merit of Christ's death.
2. Move forward in faith & surrender



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