

SACRED TRUTHS

The Security of our Salvation

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How secure is our Salvation? How you answer that likely depends on what you believe about salvation. If we believe we came to faith by our own choices, then we could change our mind and not believe. But if we believe God is responsible for saving us, then the security of my salvation is in Him.

Based on Ephesians 2:8-9, how are we saved?

Why is this controversial?

The term: "Once saved always saved"

Some people would say it's a license to sin. Nothing could be further from the truth.

- 1 Cor. 3:10-15
- 2 John 8
- Hebrews 12:5-11
- Acts 5:1-11

What does the Bible tell us about God's hold on us?

- John 6:37-40
- John 10:27-29

What about God's power?

- Romans 8:31-39
- Eph. 1:13; 4:30
- Jude 24-25

Q If God is all powerful and He promises that He will never leave you, how could you ever get away from Him?

The assurance of salvation is...

- The realization that we have eternal life in Christ, because of Christ.
- Our sins, past, present and future have been covered by the blood of Christ.
- We are objects of God's personal love and care as His children.
- God the Father paid the ultimate cost to save us, His Son. His promise is that nothing will ever separate us Romans 8:31-39
- The simple truth of 1 John 5:11-12; if we have a faith based relationship with Jesus, we have eternal life.