


Soteriology
Session 12



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Soteriology Overview

- I. Definition
- II. Election
- III. Atonement
- IV. Salvation words
- V. **God's one condition of salvation**
- VI. Results of salvation
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This Session

V. God's One Condition of Salvation
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Response to Problem Passages

- Repent (Acts 2:38; 3:19; 17:30; 2 Pet 3:9)? Change of mind
- Lordship (Matt 16:24-25)? Discipleship vs. justification
- Receive/Accept Christ? – Synonym of faith (John 1:12)
- Believe and work (Eph 2:8-10; Jas 2:14-26)? Sanctification
- Believe and be baptized (Mark 16:15-16; John 3:5; Acts 2:38; Col 2:11-12; 1 Pet 3:21)? Context

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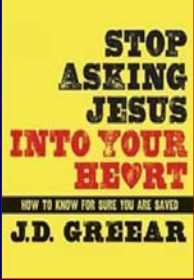
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Revelation 3:20 (NASB)

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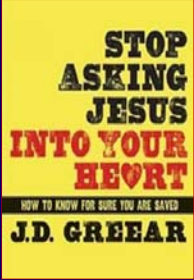


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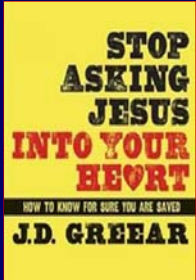


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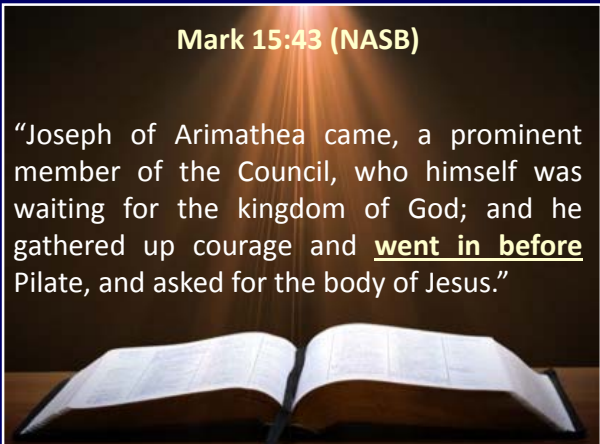
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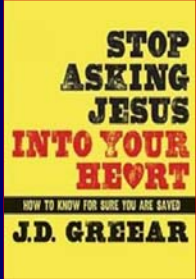
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Mark 15:43 (NASB)

“Joseph of Arimathea came, a prominent member of the Council, who himself was waiting for the kingdom of God; and he gathered up courage and went in before Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus.”



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Matthew 19:21-22 (NASB)

“Jesus said to him, “If you wish to be complete, go *and* sell your possessions and give to *the* poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me.” But when the young man heard this statement, he went away grieving; for he was one who owned much property.”




1 Timothy 6:10 (NASB)

“For the love of money is a root of all sorts of evil, and some by longing for it have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs.”



Matthew 27:57 (NASB)

“When it was evening, there came a rich man from Arimathea, named Joseph, who himself had also become a disciple of Jesus .”



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