


Soteriology
Session 16



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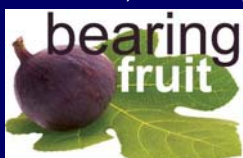


JUSTIFICATION – SALVATION	DISCIPLESHIP
FREE GIFT	COSTLY
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INSTANT	LIFE-LONG PROCESS
JUSTIFICATION	SANCTIFICATION
JESUS PAID THE PRICE	BELIEVER PAYS THE PRICE
TRUSTING JESUS AS SAVIOR	FOLLOWING JESUS AS LORD
BELIEVE THE GOSPEL	OBEY THE COMMANDS
ONE CONDITION	MULTIPLE CONDITIONS
EXPERIENCED BY ALL CHRISTIANS	EXPERIENCED BY SOME CHRISTIANS
RESULTS IN ETERNAL LIFE	RESULTS IN REWARDS & AUTHORITY

Adapted from <http://www.gracelife.org/resources/gracenotes.asp?id=23>

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4 Kinds of People in 1 Cor. 3:1-3

¹ And I, brethren, could not speak to you as to **spiritual people** but as to **carnal**, as to **babes** in Christ. ² I fed you with milk and not with solid food; for until now you were not able *to receive it*, and even now you are **still not able**; ³ for you are still carnal. For where *there are* envy, strife, and divisions among you, are you not carnal and behaving like *mere men*? (NKJV)

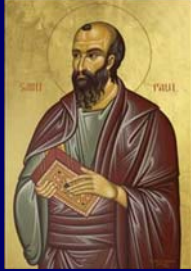


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Carnal Christianity
"an unfortunate possibility"

- Exod. 19:1ff
- Acts 10:14
- Gal. 2:11-14
- Acts 19:18-19
- 1 Cor. 1:2, 7
- 1 Cor. 3:15
- 1 Cor. 6:19
- 1 Cor. 9:24-27
- Philip. 4:2-3
- Lot – Gen. 13:12; 19:4-8, 14, 30-38 vs. Gen 19:22; 2 Pet. 2:7-8



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- Three tenses
 - Past – 1 Cor. 1:2
 - Present – John 17:17
 - Future – 1 Thess. 3:13; 5:23
- Sanctifier: Trinity
 - Father – John 17:17
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 - Spirit – 1 Pet. 1:2
- Means of sanctification
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Romans 8:29-30

²⁹ For those whom He **foreknew**, He also **predestined** to become conformed to the image of His Son, so that He would be the firstborn among many brethren; ³⁰ and these whom He predestined, He also **called**; and these whom He called, He also **justified**; and these whom He justified, He also **glorified**. (NASB95)




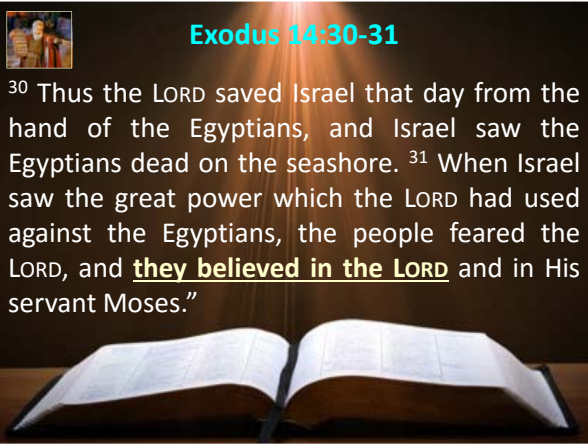
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- Sanctification
 - Gal. 5:22-23; 2 Cor. 3:6-11
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Exodus 14:30-31

³⁰ Thus the LORD saved Israel that day from the hand of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians dead on the seashore. ³¹ When Israel saw the great power which the LORD had used against the Egyptians, the people feared the LORD, and they believed in the LORD and in His servant Moses.”



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Similar Yet Different System

- Texas v. California example
- Differences:
 - Ceremonial & civil
 - Punitive (Num. 15:32-36)
 - Empowerment (Gal 5:16)
- NT system given a different name
 - Law of Christ (Gal. 6:2)
 - Law of the Spirit (Rom. 8:2)



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Miscellaneous Privileges

- Heavenly citizenship – Philip. 3:20
- Membership in a priesthood – Rev. 1:6
- Engaged & soon to be married – Eph. 5:22-33; Rev. 19:7
- Inheritance – 1 Pet. 1:4
- Peace – Rom 5:1, 8; 8:1



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