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Do everything without complaining and arguing, <sup>15</sup> so that no one can criticize you. Live clean, innocent lives as children of God, shining like bright lights in a world full of crooked and perverse people.

## Philippians 2:12-13 (NLT)

...Work hard to show the results of your salvation, obeying God with deep reverence and fear. <sup>13</sup> For God is working in you, giving you the desire and the power to do what pleases him.

## Philippians 2:7-8 (NLT)

<sup>7</sup>...When he appeared in human form, <sup>8</sup> he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal's death on a cross.

# **The RESULTS of our SALVATION**

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## This is NOT about Being SAVED

- we are **Saved BY** Grace through Faith  
NOT by Works
- we have been **Justified BY** Faith
- we have **Peace** with God **BY** Faith

Philippians 1:6 (NIV)

...being confident of this,

that **He who began a good work**

**IN YOU**

**WILL carry it on to completion**

until the **DAY of Christ Jesus.**

**Legalism** is adding **man-made rules**  
that are supposed to bring about  
godliness



Mark 12:30-31 (NIV)

**Love** the **Lord your God** with  
all your **heart** and with **all your soul**  
and with **all your mind** and with  
**all your strength**.<sup>31</sup> The second is this:

**Love your neighbor as yourself.**

There is no commandment greater  
than these.

Mark 12:32-33 (NIV)

...You are right in saying that

**God is ONE** and **there is NO OTHER**  
but Him.

<sup>33</sup> To love **HIM** with **all your heart**, with  
**all your understanding** and with  
**all your strength**, and to love your  
neighbor as yourself is **more important**  
than **ALL burnt offerings and sacrifices.**

# How can we Spend Time with God?

- OTHERS
- TALK
- LISTEN
- WORSHIP
- MEMORIZE
- FOCUS

Jeremiah 29:13 (HCS)

You will **seek Me** and **find Me**

**WHEN** you **search for Me**

with

**ALL** your **heart.**

<sup>17</sup> But **I will rejoice even if I lose my life**,  
pouring it out like a liquid offering to God,  
just like **your faithful service**  
**is an offering to God.**

And I want all of you to share that joy.

(NLT)

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Matthew 5:15-16 (NLT)

**No one** lights a lamp and then puts it **under a basket**. Instead, a **lamp** is placed on a **stand**, where it **gives light** to everyone in the house.

<sup>16</sup> In the same way, **let your good deeds SHINE** out for all to see, so that everyone **will praise your heavenly Father.**



Acts 3:18-19 (NIV)

Repent, then, and turn to God, so that  
your sins may be wiped out,  
**that times of REFRESHING**  
**may COME from the Lord...**

Philippians 1:27 (NIV)

Whatever happens, conduct yourselves  
in a manner **WORTHY** of the **gospel**  
of **Christ**...

Philippians 2:3-5 (NIV)

Do **NOTHING** out of **Selfish Ambition**  
or vain conceit, but in humility  
**consider others better than yourselves.**

<sup>4</sup> Each of you should **LOOK not only** to  
your own interests, but also  
to the **INTERESTS** of others.

<sup>5</sup> Your **ATTITUDE** should be  
the same as that of **Christ Jesus:**

2 Timothy 3:16-17 (NLT)

**All Scripture** is **inspired by God** and is **USEFUL** to teach us what is **TRUE** and to make us realize what is **WRONG** in our lives.

It **corrects us** when we are **WRONG** and **teaches us to DO** what is **RIGHT**.

<sup>17</sup> God uses **IT** to **prepare and equip** His people to **DO** every **good work**.

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# God Uses His WORD

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- to **DO** every **Good Works**