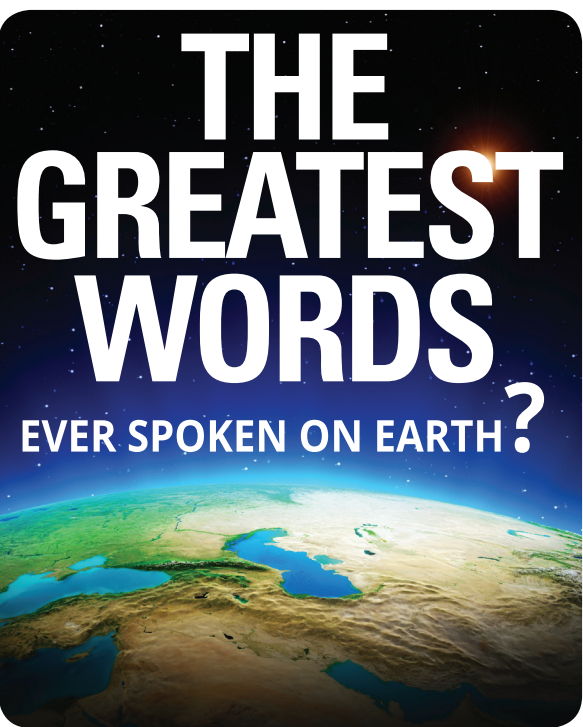


Please visit a Bible-preaching church in your area this Sunday morning so that you can learn more about the One who said
"It is finished!"

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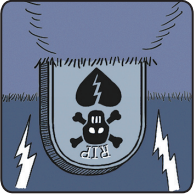
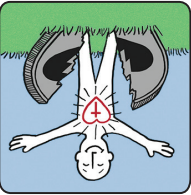
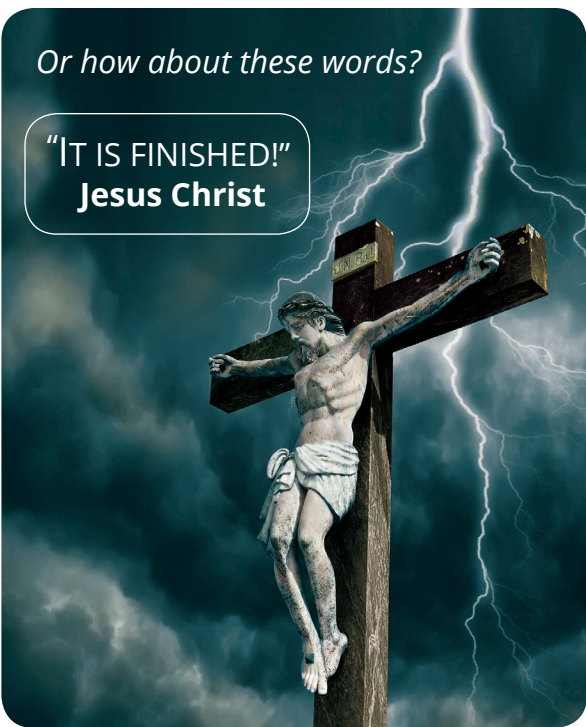
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"THE UNEXAMINED LIFE IS NOT WORTH LIVING."
Socrates

"I KNOW NOT WHAT COURSE OTHERS MAY TAKE, BUT AS FOR ME, GIVE ME LIBERTY OR GIVE ME DEATH!"
Patrick Henry

"THOSE WHO CANNOT REMEMBER THE PAST ARE CONDEMNED TO REPEAT IT."
George Santayana

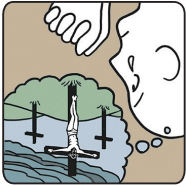


"OH GOD, I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM A GUILTY SINNER AND DESERVE YOUR JUDGMENT. THANK YOU THAT JESUS CHRIST DIED ON THE CROSS FOR MY SINS—AND ROSE AGAIN FOR ME. I ASK YOU TO CLEANSE ME FROM ALL MY SIN. PLEASE CHANGE ME! I GIVE YOU ALL OF MY LIFE. IN THE NAME OF JESUS, AMEN."



The words "It is finished" are applied to us when we ask Jesus for forgiveness. The following prayer expresses what is involved in receiving Christ's forgiveness:

"IF WE SAY WE HAVE NO SIN, WE DECEIVE OURSELVES, AND THE TRUTH IS NOT IN US. IF WE CONFESS OUR SINS, HE IS FAITHFUL AND JUST TO FORGIVE US OUR SINS AND TO CLEANSE US FROM ALL UNRIGHTeousNESS." (1 John 1:8-9)



One who said "It is finished!"
(2) Knowing who to ask—the forgiveness.
(1) Recognizing that we are guilty and in need of forgiveness.
Oh, God, I know I am a sinner...

"THEREFORE, SINCE WE HAVE BEEN JUSTIFIED BY FAITH, WE HAVE PEACE WITH GOD THROUGH OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST." (Romans 5:1)

Jesus died for us, so that we could be freed from our sin-guilt. Then, rather than condemning us, God chose to justify us through Christ's death. Our part is to believe in Him—to trust in what Jesus did for us.

"FOR ONE WILL SCARCELY DIE FOR A RIGHTeous PERSON—THOUGH PERHAPS FOR A GOOD PERSON ONE WOULD DARE EVEN TO DIE—BUT GOD SHOWS HIS LOVE FOR US IN THAT WHILE WE WERE STILL SINNERS, CHRIST DIED FOR US. SINCE, THEREFORE, WE HAVE NOW BEEN JUSTIFIED BY HIS BLOOD, MUCH MORE SHALL WE BE SAVED BY HIM FROM THE WRATH OF GOD." (Romans 5:7-9)

As Jesus bore our sins, God showed us His immense love for us. And it is by His death that we are made righteous in God's sight.

"ALL WE LIKE SHEEP HAVE GONE ASTRAY; WE HAVE TURNED—EVERY ONE—TO HIS OWN WAY; AND THE LORD HAS LAID ON HIM THE SIN OF US ALL." (Isaiah 53:6)

When Jesus spoke these words from the cross, what had He finished? Jesus had fulfilled all the prophecies related to His first coming—including paying the sin-debt for every person in all of human history!

Jesus said, "TRULY, TRULY, I SAY TO YOU, WHOEVER HEARS MY WORD AND BELIEVES HIM WHO SENT ME HAS ETERNAL LIFE. HE DOES NOT COME INTO JUDGMENT BUT HAS PASSED FROM DEATH TO LIFE." (John 5:24)

Paul wrote, "WRETCHED MAN THAT I AM! WHO WILL DELIVER ME FROM THIS BODY OF DEATH? THANKS BE TO GOD THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD!" (Romans 7:24-25)

Consider then these verses: