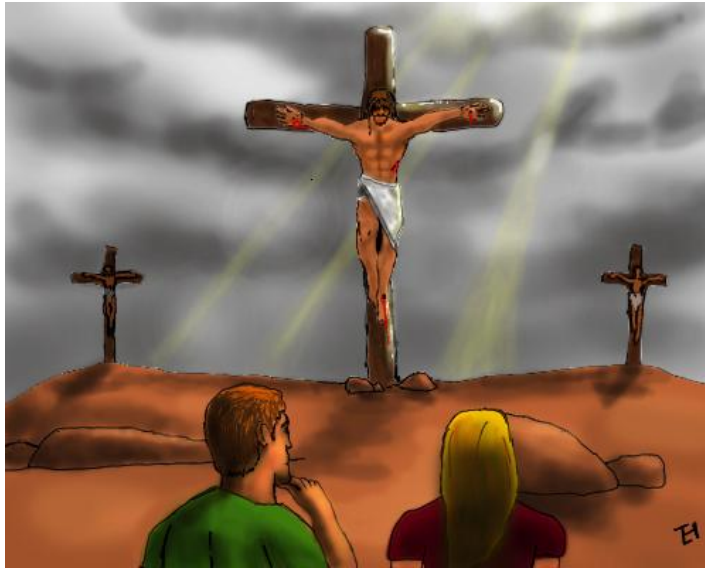


GOD'S SIMPLE PLAN OF SALVATION FROM JOHN



Why did Jesus die?

1. Man by nature does evil (wrong).

John 3:19 “And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.”



We are all sinners!

2. By that nature we are condemned.

John 6:40 “And this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life: and I will raise him up at the last day.”

Yoano 3:18 — “Aye wamwitabilá kechi wazhatwa ne: pakuba awa wabulá kwitabila wazhatwa kala, mambo kechi waitabila mu jizhina ja Mwana Lesa yenkawa umo ne.”

John 3:36b “...and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him.”



There is a cost for sin!

3. Jesus was in the world and he died for us.

Yoano 14:6 “Kumvwa Yesu wamwambile’mba, Amiwa ne jishinda, ne bukine, ne bumi: ka paji wíya kwi Batata ne, poso pe amiwa.”

Yoano 3:17 Mambo Lesa kechi watumine Mwananji panopantanda mu kwibazhachisha ba panopantanda ne; poso amba ba panopantanda bapulukile mwi aye.”

John 1:10,12 “He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name:”

4. Salvation is a free gift, not by good works. You must take God’s word for it, and trust Jesus alone!

Eph. 2:8-9 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast.

Titus 3:5 Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;

Byubilo 4:12 “Kabiji lupulukilo kechi luji mu mukwabo nangwa umo ne: pakuba kechi paji jizhina jikwabo muno munshi, japewá mu bantu, jo twafwainwa kupulukilamo ne.”

5. TWAFWAINWA KUKETEKELA MWI KILISHITU AMBA TUPULUKE

Yoano 5:24 — “Kine, kine, nemwambila namba, Aye waumvwa mambo ami, ne kumwitabila aye wantumá uji na bumi bwa myaka, kechi ukeya mu kije ne, pakuba mu lufu wafumamo, wapitaila ku bumi.”

Byubilo 16:31 — “Kumvwa abo amba, Itabilai Nkambo Yesu, musakupuluka anweba, ne ba mu nzubo yenu pamo.”

John 6:47 “Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life.”

John 10:28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.



If you want to accept Jesus Christ as your Savior and receive forgiveness from God, here is prayer you can pray. Saying this prayer or any other prayer will not save you. It is only trusting in Jesus Christ that can provide forgiveness of sins. This prayer is simply a way to express to God your faith in Him and thank Him for providing for your forgiveness.

"Lord,

I know that I am a sinner. I know that I deserve the consequences of my sin. However, I am trusting in Jesus Christ as my Savior. I believe that His death and resurrection provided for my forgiveness. I trust in Jesus and Jesus alone as my personal Lord and Savior. Thank you Lord, for saving me and forgiving me! Amen!"