



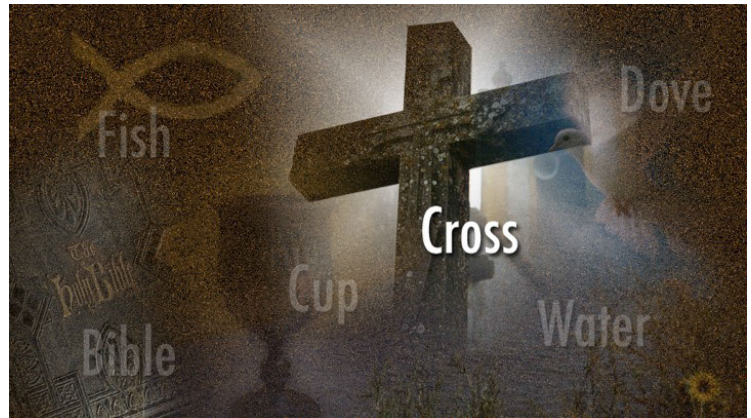
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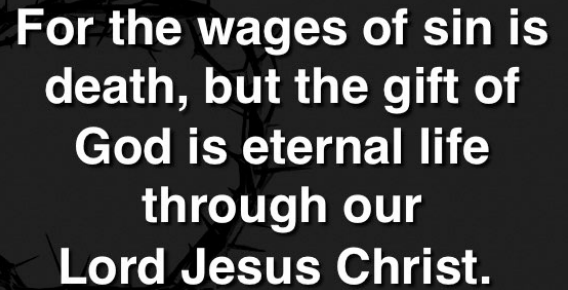
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**For all have sinned
and fallen short of the
glory of God.**

ROMANS 3:23

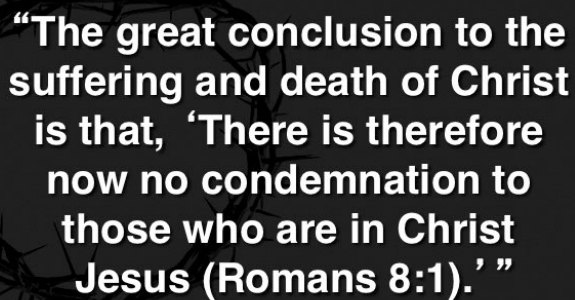
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**For the wages of sin is
death, but the gift of
God is eternal life
through our
Lord Jesus Christ.**

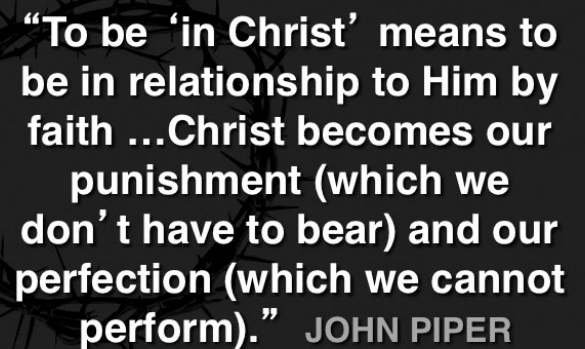
ROMANS 6:23

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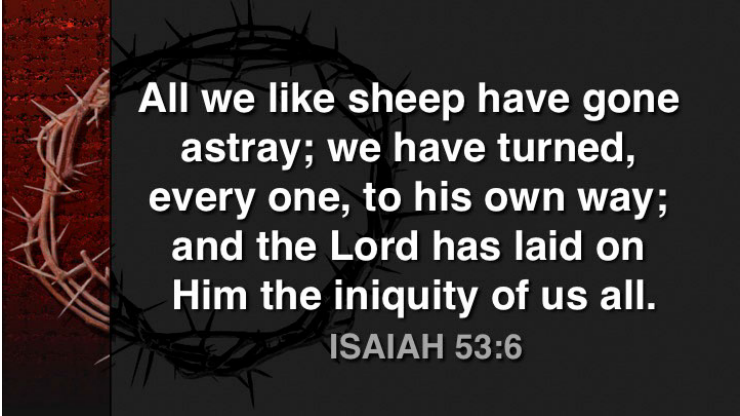
**“The great conclusion to the
suffering and death of Christ
is that, ‘There is therefore
now no condemnation to
those who are in Christ
Jesus (Romans 8:1).’ ”**

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**“To be ‘in Christ’ means to
be in relationship to Him by
faith ...Christ becomes our
punishment (which we
don’t have to bear) and our
perfection (which we cannot
perform).” JOHN PIPER**

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**All we like sheep have gone
astray; we have turned,
every one, to his own way;
and the Lord has laid on
Him the iniquity of us all.**

ISAIAH 53:6

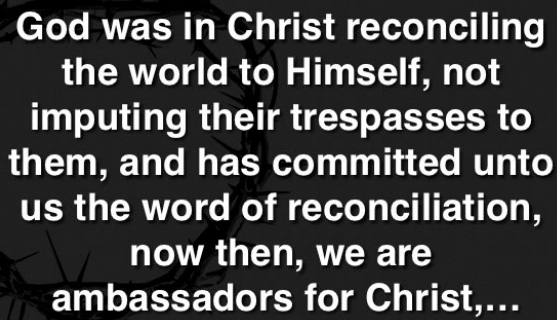
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**Why We Must Come by
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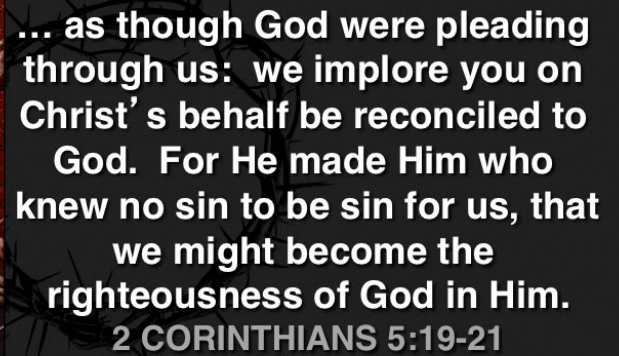
Reconciliation

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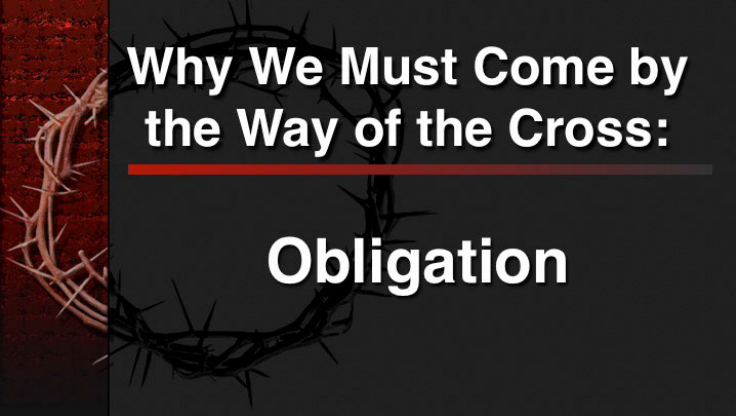
God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed unto us the word of reconciliation, now then, we are ambassadors for Christ,...

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... as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ's behalf be reconciled to God. For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.
2 CORINTHIANS 5:19-21

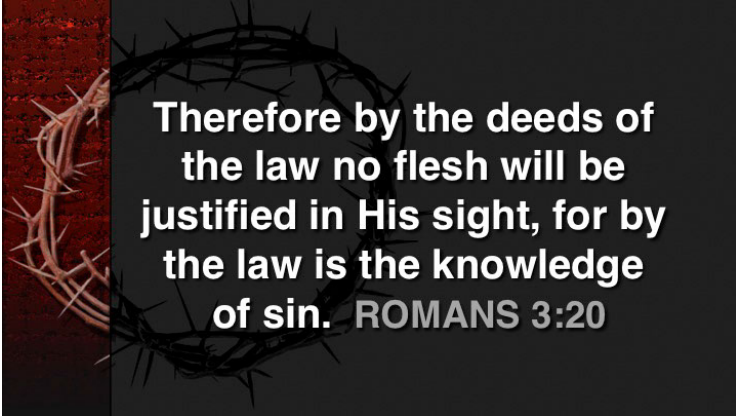
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Why We Must Come by the Way of the Cross:

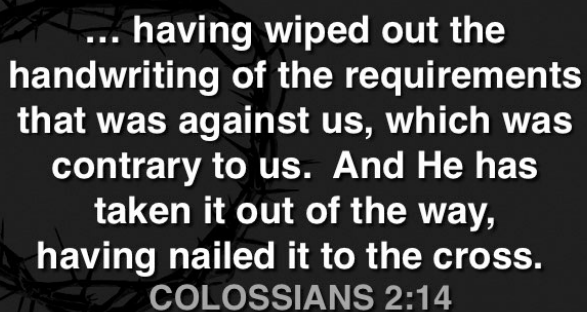
Obligation

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Therefore by the deeds of the law no flesh will be justified in His sight, for by the law is the knowledge of sin. ROMANS 3:20

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... having wiped out the handwriting of the requirements that was against us, which was contrary to us. And He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross.
COLOSSIANS 2:14

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But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. GALATIANS 4:4

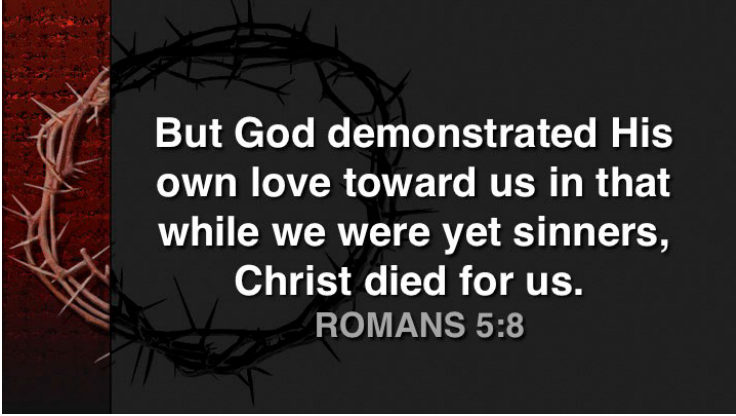
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**Why We Must Come by
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Substitution
“one for all”

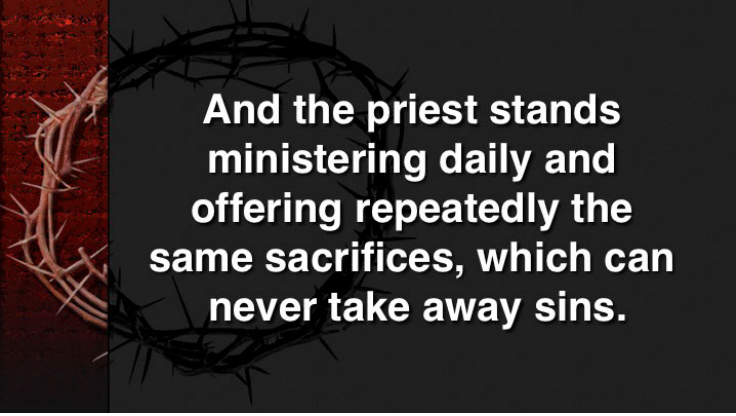
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**But God demonstrated His
own love toward us in that
while we were yet sinners,
Christ died for us.**

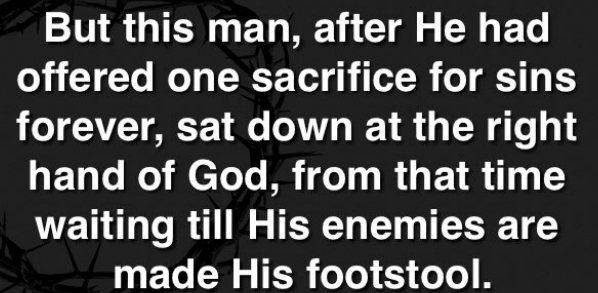
ROMANS 5:8

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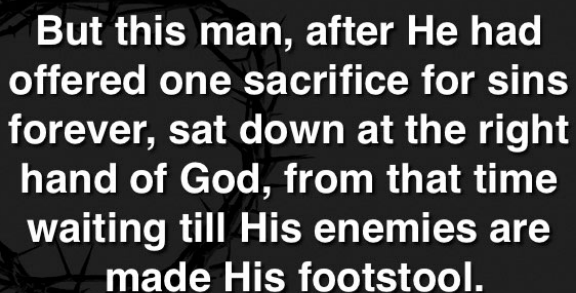
**And the priest stands
ministering daily and
offering repeatedly the
same sacrifices, which can
never take away sins.**

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**But this man, after He had
offered one sacrifice for sins
forever, sat down at the right
hand of God, from that time
waiting till His enemies are
made His footstool.**

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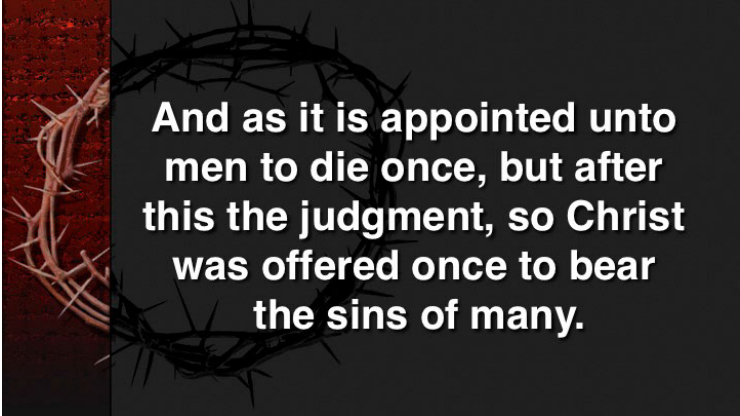
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**For by one offering He has
perfected forever those
who are being sanctified.**

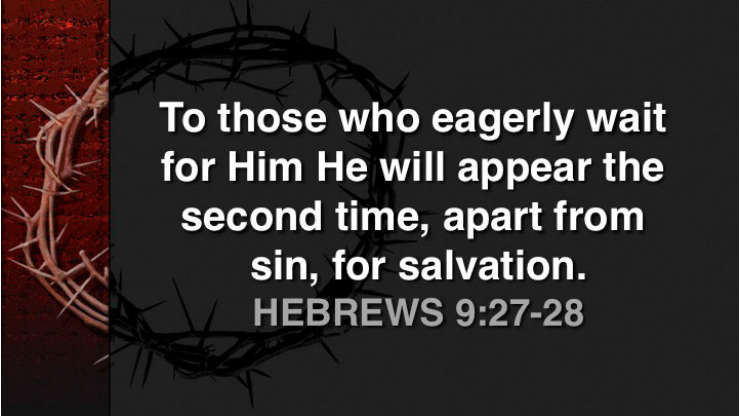
HEBREWS 10:11-14

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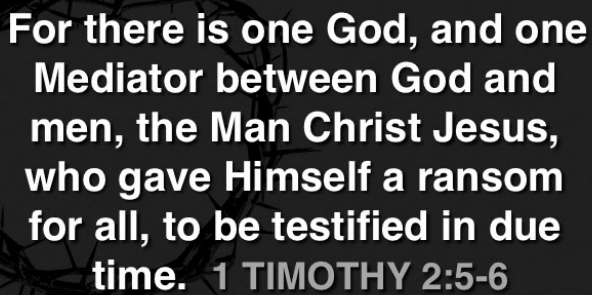
And as it is appointed unto men to die once, but after this the judgment, so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many.

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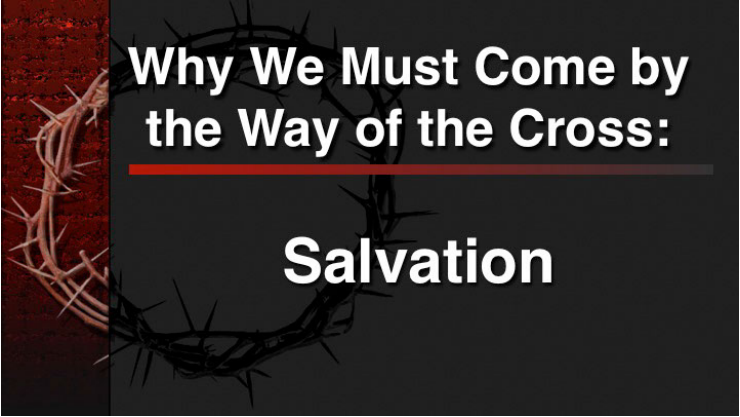
To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear the second time, apart from sin, for salvation.
HEBREWS 9:27-28

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For there is one God, and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time. 1 TIMOTHY 2:5-6

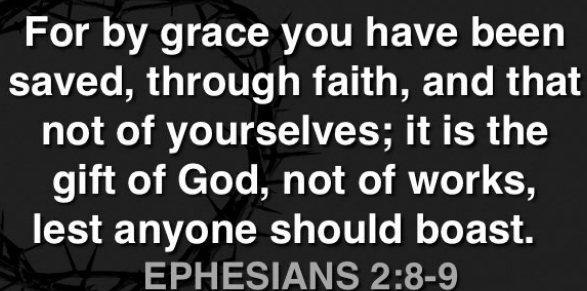
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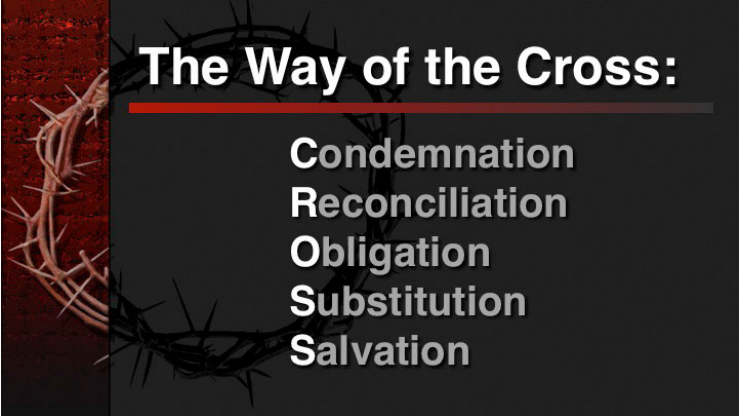
Salvation

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For by grace you have been saved, through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.
EPHESIANS 2:8-9

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The Way of the Cross:

**Condemnation
Reconciliation
Obligation
Substitution
Salvation**

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