


INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE BELIEVERS IN CHRIST

SERIES. PART 1 - 5.

A photograph of a pink flower with green, curly tendrils against a blue sky. The flower is in the center, and the tendrils are winding around it. The background is a clear blue sky with some light clouds.

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ETERNAL SECURITY OF THE BELIEVERS IN CHRIST - PART 1

WHAT IT IS AND WHAT IS NOT

This is one of the most basic theme of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, but unfortunately it is one of the most misunderstood therefore controversial topic. When it is well understood and well taught, you will discover it is not supposed to be a disuniting topic, but something we must all embrace and rejoice about. It is meant to be a major assurance and empowerment for God's children, and the main difference between the Old and New Testament of God dealing with human being.

Because this topic has not been well taught or well understood, there have been so many misconceptions about it. This is the main purpose of this series. To shed light on this lovely topic, so we can all enjoy what God has in stock for us.

Please note: We are not being negligent or carefree about the Grace of God. We take His Grace very seriously, knowing what it costs Him to purchase us this Eternal Salvation. And that is the reason we want to enjoy ALL that His Sacrifice meant for us, so it would not be that He died in vain.

WHAT ETERNAL SECURITY IS NOT / WHAT IT IS (7 Points)

- 1) Eternal Security is not a gradual forgiveness of sins, upon showing of remorse or asking for forgiveness. Rather, It is a blessing of having ALL OUR SINS FORGIVEN in Christ Jesus ONCE AND FOR ALL.
- 2) Eternal Security is not a conditional promise that needs to be earned upon fulfillment of some conditions, neither is it a reward of obedience to God. Rather it is an awareness of an inheritance we have in Christ Jesus. It is meant to be understood and enjoyed, not earned.
- 3) Eternal Security is NOT A LICENSE TO SIN OR TO LIVE A CARELESS LIFE. Rather it is an assurance that while the Lord is working in us both to will and do His good pleasure, He is not about to condemn or reject us or kick us out. And an assurance that NOTHING shall separate us from His Love.
- 4) Eternal Security does not remove having physical and emotional consequences for sins. Rather, it removes the utmost penalty of sin - DEATH. Hence, Eternal Security should not be an encouragement to engage in a lifestyle of sin.
- 5) Eternal Security is not a secret blessing for some selected few and the favored of God's Children. Rather it is a blessing for ALL GOD'S TRUE CHILDREN, because all of God's children are, chosen, elected and favored.
- 6) Eternal Security is not for Non-Children of God. You don't get it by proclamation but by relationship. If you are not a Son or Daughter of God, if you are just very religious and take that for Salvation, please do not be in for a big surprise. Turn away (REPENT) from both your sins and good works today, turn towards the Good news of Jesus Christ today. He died for your sins and resurrected for your justification. God has prepared your eternal forgiveness in Christ Jesus. All you need to enjoy is by putting your FAITH in His death and resurrection FROM YOUR HEART. And secondly, CONFESS HIM WITH YOUR MOUTH AS YOUR LORD. You can do that right now and you will be saved, so that the rest part of this message can benefit you. (Please send me an inbox message of you just took this step right now)
- 7) Lastly, if you are a Son or a Daughter of God, Eternal Security is not for somebody else. Eternal Security is for you. Stop looking for someone's example who either misapplied this concept or did not understand it. Focus this upon yourself. THIS IS A GREAT TOOL FOR YOUR STABILITY IN CHRIST JESUS AND AN EMPOWERMENT TO STAY STRONG IN GOD.

ORIGIN OF ETERNAL SECURITY

#1. THE NATURE OF OUR SALVATION

There is no way we can understand Eternal Security otherwise called Eternal Salvation or Eternal Redemption without understanding the nature of Our Salvation. If anyone will not accept these Truths about Our Salvation, then such cannot access this blessing.

Point 1. Our Salvation is A GIFT FROM GOD. It is not a result of work of law. It is not a result of human performance. It is not based on what we do but based on accepting what Christ did on our behalf. He died for us and as us - which means our sins have been punished on Him.

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God. Not by works, so that no one can boast." Ephesians 2:8-9

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23-24.

"He saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit" Titus 3:5

The implication of this is that since our work did not save us, Our works do not keep us saved and Our works cannot unsave us. Nothing that we did or do contribute to our Salvation.

Our Salvation is 100% by Grace and 0% work. So, our work, though important, is NOT a factor in Our Salvation. His Grace saved us and keeps us saved. We as believers need to take focus off our works, unto Him for Our salvation. Focusing on our works will weaken or frustrate His Grace in our lives, and that is exactly what Satan wants us to do.

Point 2. GOD ONLY AUTHORS ETERNAL SALVATION AND HE ONLY GIVES ETERNAL LIFE.:
We have seen through the above Scriptures and tons of other Scriptures that Our Salvation is a Gift from God. This leads us to another point. GOD ONLY AUTHORS ETERNAL SALVATION, not temporary Salvation.

"I know that EVERYTHING GOD DOES SHALL BE FOREVER; nothing can be added to it and nothing taken from it. God does it so that people will fear Him" Ecclesiastes 3:14

Neither by the blood of goats and calves, but by His own blood He entered in once into the holy place, HAVING OBTAINED ETERNAL REDEMPTION FOR US." Hebrews 9:12

"Son though He was, He learned obedience from what he suffered, and, once made perfect, He became the SOURCE OF ETERNAL SALVATION for all who obey him and was designated by God to be high priest in the order of Melchizedek. Hebrews 5:8-10

So the question is where did you get your Salvation? If it is from God, then it must be eternal according to the Scriptures. He only authors Eternal Salvation. You can only have a non Eternal Salvation if you saved yourself. That would mean your Salvation depends on you with your instability. But if your Salvation is from God, it is stable, reliable and Eternal.

Some people believe that Salvation can be easily lost upon any careless action or sin. People have been threatened not to laugh or joke away their Salvation. If that is true, then such Salvation has never been from God. The Salvation that Jesus purchased with His blood can only be eternal.

God's Salvation is not weak or of low quality. It is strong, potent and eternal. Because it reflects the Strength of the Author. And that is the Salvation you got as a Believer in Jesus Christ.

God's Salvation does not show how great you are. It does not glorify your self denial, your good works and ability to overcome sin. God's Salvation does not glorify or consult with your strength. GOD' SALVATION IS ABOUT GOD'S POWER AND ABILITIES!!! That is why it is stable, reliable and Eternal. Glory!!!

ETERNAL SECURITY OF THE BELIEVERS IN CHRIST - PART 2

Under Part 1, we started examining the origin of Eternal Security and discussed the nature of our Salvation as one of the origins of Eternal Security. Our Salvation is a Gift of God's Grace, it is 100% God's Grace and hence does not depend on Our works. Also, we examined the fact that God only offers Eternal Salvation/ Redemption. And since we got our Salvation from Him, it must necessarily be eternal. Our Salvation is not a display of our strength or our goodness. Our Salvation is a display of God's goodness and His awesome power. Today, we are continuing to examine the 2nd Origin of Eternal Security.

ORIGIN OF ETERNAL SECURITY (CONTINUES)

2. WE ARE MEMBERS OF GOD'S FAMILIES.

One awesome thing about New Testament is that God did not only make us His people, but He made us to become members of His family. **HE BECAME OUR FATHER AND INTEGRATED US INTO MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY.**

We became sons and daughters of God, both by birth and by adoption. (John 1:12-13, 1 Peter 2:2, Galatians 4:5, Romans 8:15)

God became our Father. Jesus became our brother. Read the Scripture below:

"BOTH THE ONE WHO MAKES PEOPLE HOLY AND THOSE WHO ARE MADE HOLY ARE OF THE SAME FAMILY. SO JESUS IS NOT ASHAMED TO CALL THEM BROTHERS AND SISTERS." - Hebrew 2:11

FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS ARE SECURED AND PERMANENT NOT TEMPORARY

One of the reasons God created families on earth is to raise Godly children in a secured environment, not on the street. Family relationships are permanent and eternal. Blood is thicker than water.

When you see people that are connected by blood, though they may quarrel and disagree, yet their relationship remains unbreakable. They remain families no matter what.

There is no sane Dad or Mom on earth who will cast away his child because his child did something terrible or makes lots of mistakes or is not following the family rules. Such children can be disciplined if necessary but the father cannot disown them.

God Our Heavenly Father, the most caring Father, has such commitment to us His children. He remains ours and we are His forever. Where else shall we go? We have no other Father, no other family. **HE IS OUR ALL IN ALL.**

Even prodigal sons are still sons, they are not about to loose their relationships with the Father despite wasting their own inheritances. Prodigal sons may suffer consequences of their actions, disobedience and insubordination to the will of their Father. But the Father is not EVER thinking of disowning them.

"But when we are judged by the Lord in this way, we are being disciplined so that we will not be condemned with the world" 1 Corinthians 11:32

As regards being judged or disciplined by the Lord, it is referring to the consequences of our actions. For instance, the prodigal son was not judged by his dad, but he suffered the natural consequence for his stupidity. However, even that consequence stopped immediately the young man made his way back to his father. The Father showered him with so much affections that He was embarrassed by it. The real truth is that the Father was with him all through his falling and hardship period, working behind the scene to bring him to his senses.

FAMILY OF GOD IS FAMILY OF LOVE

For ages, God has been misrepresented as a hard to please task master, waiting for your mistake and hit you on the head, that is the cruel picture that religion has painted of God. But Jesus came to correct that image and restore the right image of God as Our Loving Father..

He said "Your Heavenly Father knows all your needs and He will provide" In another place, He said "Not even the hair of your head can fall to the ground without the knowledge of your Father" God is that detailed with us.

Our Father is LOVE PERSONIFIED, and He Himself made it clear that "In Love (God), there is no fear, but Perfect Love casts out fear..." God does not want us to grow up with fear of rejection, or threat of being about to lose our place in His family because of anything. Noooo. He wants us to cast away such fear. It is the demonic fear introduced by religion.

IF YOU DO STUPID THING:

Don't let the devil condemn you and threaten you that you have lost your Salvation. Note that you sin ONLY against GOD, and NOT the devil. Besides, devil is not part of God's family, He has no legal right to accuse you before God or in your heart. If you do a stupid thing, don't allow the intruder to condemn you. It is a Family Matter. Settle it with Your Father (God) only. And He does not condemn His own.

WHEN YOU FALL, GOD DOES NOT JUDGE YOU, BUT HE RESTORES YOU:

As Love, Our Heavenly Dad does not judge you for making mistakes or falling, but rather He supports you and restores you gently by His Holy Spirit.

First, He has given you new identities. He calls you RIGHTEOUS AND HOLY, and that Identity does not change even when you fall, Jesus stands on your behalf. God does not change His mind about you at any point in time. YOU ARE RIGHTEOUS AND HOLY BEFORE HIM 24 HOURS OF THE DAY, 7 DAYS OF THE WEEK. That is how He sees you and wants you to see yourself, so you don't stay down for a second anytime you fall.

Secondly "Love keeps no record of sins" 1 Corinthians 13:5. God is Love, and one of the attributes of Love is that It keeps no record of sin. So God does not remember your sins. They have been forgiven in Christ Jesus.

The habit of religious confession of sins negates this Truth about God, and suggests that God does not forgive any sin you did not confess. Confession of sin is an old testament practice, where the Priest confess the sins of the people on the sin offering and send it away. And that has to be done repeatedly, every year, every month, daily etc.

But under the New Covenant, Jesus, once and for all, was sacrificed and took away ALL our sins (past, present and future). They were forgiven in Him about 2000 years ago and that forgiveness has been credited to your account when you accepted Jesus. THAT IS ETERNAL SECURITY!!!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ. We are eternally secured in God's family. Nothing can separate us from the Father's Love. Encourage your heart with this RICH INHERITANCE and let nothing bring you down again in your relationship with God.

HE IS OUR FATHER. WE ARE HIS CHILDREN. WE BELONG TO HIM ETERNALLY. WE ARE HAPPILY STUCK WITH HIM. LET US REJOICE AND WALK WITH HIM WITH FULL ASSURANCE OF FAITH, KNOWING HE WILL NEVER LET GO OF US!!! GLORY!!!

ETERNAL SECURITY OF THE BELIEVERS IN CHRIST - PART 3.

In the previous parts, we examined two origins of eternal security of the believers in Christ. First one is the nature of our Salvation: Our Salvation is 100% by Grace and thus can only be sustained by the same Grace. We do good works because we are saved, we don't do good works to be saved. Also, God only offers Eternal Salvation, which implies that if we got our Salvation from Him, it must necessarily be eternal.

Secondly, Our Salvation is eternal because we become born and adopted into God's family at Salvation. And family relationships ain't temporary, they are secure and eternal. That is the more reason God declared in the New Testament, "I am not just going to have a people separated unto me (like the nation of Israel). I am going to have these folks integrated into my family". They will become my children, and brothers/ sisters to Jesus."

Because the New Testament is based on the SURE MERCIES OF DAVID where God declared to David: Even though your children sin against me, I will chastise them with the rod of men but MY LOVINGKINDNESS I WILL NOT TAKE FROM THEM like I did to Saul." He also declared regarding the New Covenant which we are in: "THEIR SINS AND INIQUITIES I WILL REMEMBER NO MORE".

ORIGIN OF ETERNAL SECURITY (CONTINUES...)

#3. YOU ARE HELD BY THE EVERLASTING ARMS OF GOD

One of the beauties of the New Covenant is that it is God- driven, and not man-driven. The Old Testament was a conditional Covenant which depended on both man and God: "If you do the words of this law, the Lord shall....." God remained faithful in the Old covenant, man was the problem, because man could not keep his own part of the covenant.

But in the New Testament, God removed the unstable factor - man. It is a one sided Testament. God by Himself took away the sins of the world. In fact, He was crucified by the same one He came to save. He decided to RECONCILE THE WORLD TO HIMSELF, NO LONGER COUNTING THEIR SINS AGAINST THEM, all by HIMSELF. (2 Corinthians 5:19)

In the New Testament, it is no longer we holding unto God, but He is the One holding unto us. And that is why we can't fall off. That is why we are eternally secure in Him. Because His Arms are eternally stable and His Word is YES AND AMEN (Not yes and no)!!!

JESUS PERSONAL COMMITMENT TO US:

"My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them ETERNAL LIFE, and THEY SHALL NEVER PERISH; NO ONE CAN SNATCH THEM OUT OF MY HANDS.. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all ; NO ONE CAN SNATCH THEM OUT OF MY FATHER'S HAND. John 10:27-29.

This is the Eternal Assurance: that the Lord will never let go of you if you are His Son or Daughter. Don't worry about you letting go. Even if you do, He will never let go of you. It is His commitment to you.

Why you don't ever need to think of letting go is because you are not the One holding Him. He is the One holding You. And He has promised to never let go of you... And that no one can snatch you from His hand, not even you. He won't let you. Why we have been having problems is because we have been taught we are the one holding unto Him, hence we are putting ourselves under law...

So, Rest, Relax. You are in the safe hand of God. Rest in His Eternal Love for you. You are held by the Everlasting Arm.

PLEASE READ THOSE PASSAGES BELOW WHERE GOD MADE THIS BLESSED ASSURANCE CLEARER:

Jude 1:24-25

"Now all glory to God, who is able to keep you from falling away and will bring you with great joy into his glorious presence without a single fault.. To the ONLY God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen. " .

Ephesians 5:25-27.

" ... just as Christ loved the church and gave Himself up for her, to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word. And to present her to Himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless."

Please note from the Ephesians 5:25-27 that "He is doing the washing and the presentation of the church holy and spotless to Himself. He is doing it all. This is simply for our information and assurance.

John 5:24

"Verily, verily, 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."

Isaiah 40:11

"He tends his flock like a shepherd: He gathers the lambs in his arms and carries them close to his heart; he GENTLY (NOT HARSHLY) LEADS those that have young (WEAK)."

1 Peter 1:4-5

"And into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, who through faith are SHIELDED BY GOD'S POWER until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time."

Hebrews 6:17-19

"God also bound himself with an oath, so that those who received the promise could be perfectly sure that he would never change his mind. God did this so that, by two unchangeable things in which it is impossible for God to lie, we who have fled to take hold of the hope set before us may be greatly encouraged. We have this hope as an ANCHOR FOR THE SOUL, FIRM AND SECURE. (THIS IS ETERNAL SECURITY). It enters the inner sanctuary behind the curtain,"

Note, He said, we who have fled to take hold of the Hope set before us. So if you have not fled, then you would not understand this. For me, I have tried to do the law-Christianity for more than two decades, I have finally fled to take hold of the Hope offered to me. Are you still holding unto your good works or have you fled to take hold of this glorious hope?

Our Salvation is eternally secure in Him because He is the one holding unto us. Our job is to rest in Him. Stop trying to do the holding. Arm of flesh will fail you. Only His everlasting arm is secure and can never fail.

For you to believe Him, He decided to swear by Himself that you are secure in Him and He is holding you. What else do you need to know you are eternally secure in the Lord?

God's Word is not Yea and Nea (Yes and No). His Word is YES AND AMEN!!!

He is not unstable, He is not unfaithful. In fact His faithfulness does not depend on yours, He remains faithful to His promise to keep you secure in Him.

1 Thessalonians 5:24

THE ONE WHO HAS CALLED YOU IS FAITHFUL. HE WILL ALSO DO IT!!! Amen.

LET US PRAY:

O Lord, we thank you for this glorious assurance and an anchor for our soul, firm and secure in you.

Lord, I pray for everyone reading this message that "the eyes of your understanding may be enlightened in order that you may know THE HOPE to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and what is the exceeding greatness of HIS POWER TOWARDS US WHO BELIEVE, according to the working of HIS MIGHTY POWER, which he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms." (Ephesians 1:18-20)

I further pray that they may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how WIDE and LONG and HIGH and DEEP is the LOVE OF CHRIST. (Ephesians 3:18)

May the Grace of the Lord continue to be with your spirit. Amen!!!

Keep enjoying His everlasting arms as He holds you secure in Him. You can not fall. You can not sink. He will surely see you through. Walk with Him with this assurance. Keep resting in Him!!! Glory!!!

ETERNAL SECURITY OF THE BELIEVERS IN CHRIST - PART 4.

So far in the previous parts, we have seen lots of wonderful Truths about our inheritance of eternal security in Christ Jesus as believers. We have discussed three Origins of our Eternal Security, namely: The Nature of Our Salvation, Secondly, We are Members of God's Families, and Thirdly, You are Held by the Everlasting Hands of God. In this part 4, we are looking at one more Origin of Eternal Security.

ORIGIN OF OUR ETERNAL SECURITY (CONTINUES...)

#4. THE HIGH PRIEST MINISTRY OF JESUS - THE AUTHOR AND FINISHER OF OUR FAITH.

The Salvation and Righteousness which God gave to us in the New Testament is contingent upon only one thing: Our FAITH. And we are going to examine how Jesus took care of this most important factor (Our Faith) so we can still continue to be eternally secure in Him, without having to worry about our Faith.

Romans 1:16-17 "For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. 17For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, "BUT THE RIGHTEOUS man SHALL LIVE BY FAITH."

Galatians 3:11 "Now it is evident that no one is justified before God by the law, for "The righteous shall live by faith."

As we can see in the above Scriptures and others, the Righteousness of God is revealed FROM FAITH TO FAITH. Our Faith in Him is the receiving factor for His righteousness to be credited into our account. Our continuous faith in Him leads to progressive revelation of His righteousness in our lives. "His righteousness is REVEALED FROM FAITH TO FAITH.

Also, the Righteous shall live by his faith. The righteous will continue to be alive by His faith in God. It is our very breath as Sons and Daughters of God.

Question: BUT DOES THIS CALL FOR WORRY AS PER OUR ETERNAL SECURITY IN GOD? Can I lose my faith as a child of God?

Answer: GOD IS AWARE OF THIS MOST IMPORTANT FACTOR AND HAS TAKEN CARE OF IT, TO ENSURE WE ARE ETERNALLY SECURE IN HIM. How?

.Hebrews 10:38-39. "The Righteous shall LIVE by his FAITH. If any man draws back (from what? from his faith), My soul will not have pleasure in Him. But we are not of them who draw back unto perdition; but of them that BELIEVE to the saving of the soul. "

Hebrews 12: 2 "...Looking unto Jesus, the AUTHOR AND FINISHER OF OUR FAITH...."

Because of how important Our Faith is to the whole package of our Salvation by Grace and our eternal security, God did not leave the issue of our faith in our hand.. JESUS CHRIST HIMSELF UNDERTOOK THE AUTHORIZING (starting) AND THE FINISHING OF OUR FAITH. He is in charge of our faith from Start to Finish.

God would not take that risk by letting us in our unreliability handle our faith. So brethren, you do not have to ever worry about failing in your faith. He is the one handling it. Don't look to yourself to sustain your faith, because you can't. Rather, look unto Him, and watch Him do it.

That is why the Hebrews 10:39, says emphatically that WE ARE NOT OF THEM WHO DRAWS BACK unto perdition BUT OF THEM THAT BELIEVE UNTO THE SAVING OF THE SOUL. Stop where the Bible stops. We are not of them means you are NOT going to draw back in your faith because the FINISHER of your faith is actively watching over your faith.....

THE HIGH PRIEST INTERCESSORY MINISTRY OF JESUS:

"Therefore HE (JESUS) is able to save them to the uttermost (save completely) those who come to God through him. HE LIVES FOREVER TO INTERCEDE WITH GOD ON THEIR BEHALF." Hebrews 7:25

"Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ Jesus who died--more than that, who was raised to life--is at the right hand of God and IS ALSO INTERCEDING FOR US." Romans 8:34

Compare those Scriptures with these three below:

"Unlike the other high priests, he does not need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for the sins of the people. He sacrificed for their sins once for all when he offered himself." Hebrews 7:27

"SO CHRIST DIED ONCE FOR ALL TIME AS A SCARIFICE TO TAKE AWAY THE SINS OF MANY PEOPLE. He will come again, not to deal with our sins, but to bring salvation to all who are eagerly waiting for him." Hebrews 9:28

From the latter Scriptures, JESUS ALREADY TOOK AWAY OUR SINS ONCE AND FOR ALL TIME when He died on the cross. But the first two Scriptures says HE IS SITLL PRESENTLY ACTIVELY INTERCEDING FOR US WITH GOD. What is He still interceding for? Surely, not our sin, because that is gone already.

Let us check the Scriptures:

"And the Lord said, Simon, Simon, behold, Satan hath desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat: BUT I HAVE PRAYED FOR YOU, SIMON, THAT YOUR FAITH MAY NOT FAIL. And when you have turned back, strengthen your brothers." Luke 22:31-32

This is an account where Jesus out rightly said "I have prayed (or interceded) for you" to Peter, and what was the prayer point: THAT HIS FAITH MAY NOT FAIL

Jesus know Peter would deny Him and in fact all other disciples would abandon Him, and this is an issue of faith. What did Jesus do? As the author and the keeper of his faith, Jesus prayed for him particularly that His faith would not fail. And was Jesus prayer answered? PETER'S FAITH DID NOT FAIL. This was not the doing of Peter, but of the Author and keeper of His faith.

That is the exact thing Jesus is doing in the presence of the Father on our behalf, praying and interceding for us, THAT OUR FAITH WOULD NOT FAIL. He knows we would go through situation that can shake our faith, but BY HIS PRAYERS, OUR FAITH WILL BE UPHELD AND WOULD NOT FAIL. This is the continuous ministry of Jesus for us as Our high priest. He is interceding for us forever, whether we are awake or sleeping, whether we are at the high point or low points in our lives.... He is PRAYING FOR US THAT OUR FAITH WOULD NOT FAINT, And guess what? ALL OF JESUS'S PRAYERS ARE ANSWERED. Not one of His request was ever denied.

Brothers and Sisters. Jesus is the One handling your faith from start to finish. And thus your faith is secure in Him, it will not fail. Your faith is being held by the Everlasting Arms of God. Jesus is interceding for you continuously. He is watching over your faith. You are eternally secure in Him.

Don't let Satan through religion make you to focus on the part that says "if any man draws back..." Rather focus on God's secure assurance that says in verse 39 "WE ARE NOT OF THEM WHO DRAW BACK UNTO PERDITION. God means what He said. It was a definite statement.

Stop where the Bible stops. He did not say "if you pray very well, you won't draw back to perdition". It is a SURE statement. WE ARE NOT OF THEM WHO DRAW BACK UNTO PERDITION, BUT OF THEM WHO BELIEVE UNTO THE SAVING OF SOULS. Glory!!!!

Father we thank you for this perfect assurance we have in you. For you know how important our faith in you is, and you have not allowed us to handle that else we might mess it up. You are the author and finisher of our faith. Thank you for you ever live to intercede for us, that our faith will not fail.

O Lord, we bless your name for this glorious assurance. Help us to continue to walk in this blessed revelation, that you are the one sustaining and upholding our faith in you. And thus Our Salvation is secure in you.. Thank you Our Glorious Father. Amen!!!

ETERNAL SECURITY OF THE BELIEVERS IN CHRIST - PART 5

It has been four glorious sessions that we have been looking into the topic of Our eternal security in Christ. We have seen what it and what it is not. We have discovered that it is NEVER A LICENSE TO SIN OR LIVE A CARELESS LIFE, but AN ETERNAL ASSURANCE THAT GOD IS ETERNALLY COMMITTED TO YOU AS YOU GROW INTO MATURITY IN HIM. He is not about to condemn you or cast you off. YOU ARE HIS, AND HE IS YOURS. You are member of His family, His child both by adoption and birth. And children relate with parents not based on deeds but on blood, it is stronger than any other type of relationship on earth. Family relationships are not temporary, they are eternal and secure!!! We didn't work for it. He did and invited us in to enjoy freely.

We also discovered that not only does God not condemn us, HE PERSONALLY HOLDS US WITH HIS EVERLASTING ARM, SO THAT WE CAN BE SECURE IN HIM. He said ""My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them ETERNAL LIFE, and THEY SHALL NEVER PERISH; NO ONE CAN SNATCH THEM OUT OF MY HANDS.. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all ; NO ONE CAN SNATCH THEM OUT OF MY FATHER'S HAND. John 10:27-29.

No one, nothing on earth or in heaven, known or unknown can separate or pluck you from His hand. That is His personal commitment to us. And He did not only stop at promise. HE SWORE BY HIMSELF, so that we can be sure He cannot change His mind. We also learnt that because everything Salvation by Grace is hung on our continuous faith in Him, He is seating in the Father's presence to intercede for us 24-7, not about our sins, but that OUR FAITH WILL NOT FAIL!!! Glory!!!

In this part 5, I will be going one step further to look at the how God sealed our eternal security in Him, and this one is super vital to us. Let's enjoy the ride together...

HOLY SPIRIT - THE SEAL OF OUR ETERNAL SECURITY IN CHRIST.

When Jesus was close to the end of His physical ministry on earth, He promised His disciples to send another Comforter- the Holy Spirit to be with us forever.

"And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever" John 14:16 NIV

"And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever;" John 14:16 KJV

"And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you." John 14:16 NLT

So, the MAIN purpose of the Holy Spirit is TO BE WITH BELIEVERS FOR EVER. A question might come up "Does every believer have Holy Spirit?" Yes, every true believer has Holy Spirit presence in their lives.

In fact, Salvation is not possible without the Holy Spirit. We are born of the Water (the Word of God) and the Spirit at Salvation (John 3:5)

Also "The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children." Romans 8:16. and Roams 8:9 says ".....And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, they do not belong to Christ."

When you confessed Jesus as your Lord, the Holy Spirit came in to dwell inside of you as a Seal. Read 1 Corinthians 12:3 ".....and no one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit." That is why you must confess with your mouth Jesus is Lord to be saved (Romans 10:9-10), and at that time the Holy Spirit comes into your heart to dwell with you forever.

However, there are higher level of operation with the Spirit. The first level is Salvation, then Baptism of the Holy Spirit, evidenced by speaking in other tongues. I will be discussing a series on the Holy Spirit very soon, God willing.

Now that we have seen from the Scriptures above that the Holy Spirit is resident in every true believer who confessed Jesus as Lord at Salvation. Now let us go deeper to understand the function of the Holy Spirit in our eternal security.

"For the Son of God, Jesus Christ, who was preached among you by us--by me and Silas and Timothy--was not "Yes" and "No," but in him it has always been "Yes." For no matter how many promises God has made, they are "Yes" in Christ. And so through him the "Amen" is spoken by us to the glory of God." 2 Corinthians 1:19-20

According to this Scripture above, Our God is not God of uncertainty "Yes and No" as religion told us. Our God is God of certainty and security - YES AND AMEN" When He said I am upholding you by my right hand, and no man can pluck you from my hands, He means it. It is YES AND AMEN!!! Guys, we are super-secure in His hand.

Now let us continue reading that passage, the next three verses will show us that He is referring to our eternal security in Christ as sealed by the Holy Spirit.

"Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us, and set his seal of ownership on us, and put his Spirit in our hearts as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come." 2 Corinthians 1:21-22

Glory!!! This is wonderful. As God was assuring us that His promise to keep us are YES AND AMEN - certain, sure. He went us to make it clearer in verse 21 that HE IS THE ONE WHO MAKES US STAND FIRM IN CHRIST. Wow!!! We are not the One who makes ourselves stand firm. He is holding and making us to stand firm and unmovable in Christ, because only His hand is the only safe place. And that is why we are eternally secure in Him!!!

Furthermore, He explains the function of the Holy Spirit in this eternal security. GOD HAS PUT HIS SPIRIT IN US AS A DEPOSIT, GUARANTEEING WHAT IS TO COME" The work of the Holy Spirit in us is to be God's seal and deposit - to guarantee that we are His and He is coming back for us. He is God's Guarantor, He stands to show that we are His and He is ours FOREVER!!!

Now let us read more Scriptures (out of 2 or 3 witnesses...)

2 Corinthians 5:5 "Now the one who has fashioned us for this very purpose is God, who has given us the Spirit as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come."

Ephesians 1:13-14 "And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession--to the praise of his glory."

Ephesians 4:30 "And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption."

As confirmed by at least 4 different Scriptures directly above, Holy Spirit main purpose in our lives is to be A SEAL, A DEPOSIT AND A GUARANTOR- to confirm that we are God's children and complete the redemption of Our body at the Lord's coming. He is there to tell us "Don't fear. I am God 's signature of FULL GUARANTEE" that you are eternally secure in Christ.

That is why Jesus said ""And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you AND HE WILL BE WITH YOU FOREVER" John 14:16

IF YOU SIN, HE IS GRIEVED, BUT DOES NOT LEAVE.

Religion has taught us for years that when you sin, the Holy Spirit leaves you. But that is a complete anti-Scriptural statement. Jesus said clearly "HE WILL BE WITH YOU FOREVER". He did not say "If you do not sin, Holy Spirit will be with you forever" It is a non-conditional promise.

HIS WORK IS TO COMFORT US. And when does someone need comfort most? Is it not when things are not going okay? Believers need Holy Spirit most when we blow it. That is when He wraps His arm of Love around us, to assure us to not be discouraged and that everything is gonna be okay. And He helps us to continue as God's Righteousness.

A COMFORTER THAT LEAVES WHEN YOU NEED COMFORT MOST IS NOT A COMFORTER.

Jesus knows that we will have lots of down time while on earth because of the presence of sin, and that is why He sent the Holy Spirit to be with us, to comfort, to strengthen us above these unfavorable conditions. In fact, Jesus said, I will not leave you as orphans. **MANY BELIEVERS TODAY ARE LIVING AS ORPHANS, BECAUSE THEY DO NOT LET THE HOLY SPIRIT TO DO HIS WORK - TO COMFORT THEM.**

In conclusion, my dear brethren, God did not only promise to keep us eternally, He guaranteed His promise by depositing Holy Spirit in us as a Seal until the day of redemption.

Holy Spirit works in us to help us live for God and to live out the resurrected life through us. Not only that. He comforts and strengthen us when we blow it,so we don't get discouraged but to continue as the Righteousness of God in Christ Jesus, which we are. Lastly and most importantly, Holy Spirit is God's Deposit and Seal upon us, guaranteeing our eternal redemption in Christ Jesus. Enjoy the sweet presence of the Holy Spirit always. Enjoy His help and His comfort.

YOU ARE ETERNALLY SECURE IN CHRIST, HELD BY THE EVERLASTING HANDS AND SEALED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT UNTO THE DAY OF REDEMPTION. WHAT A BLESSED ASSURANCE WE HAVE IN CHRIST!!!

LET US WORSHIP HIM IN SONGS OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP:

These are songs of praise submitted by God's children in response to this post. To God be the Glory!!!

1. BLESSED ASSURANCE

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels, descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest,
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

2. IN CHRIST ALONE, MY HOPE IS FOUND

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
this Cornerstone, this solid Ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! who took on flesh
Fulness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones he came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied -
For every sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain:
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave he rose again!
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,

For I am His and He is mine -
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath.
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

3. REDEEMED

Redeemed—how I love to proclaim it!
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb;
Redeemed through His infinite mercy,
His child, and forever, I am.

Refrain:

Redeemed, redeemed,
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb;
Redeemed, redeemed,
His child, and forever, I am.

Redeemed and so happy in Jesus,
No language my rapture can tell;
I know that the light of His presence
With me doth continually dwell.

I think of my blessed Redeemer,
I think of Him all the day long;
I sing, for I cannot be silent;
His love is the theme of my song.

I know I shall see in His beauty
The King in whose way I delight;
Who lovingly guardeth my footsteps,
And giveth me songs in the night."

5. SAFE IN THE ARMS OF JESUS

Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe on His gentle breast,
There, by His love o'ershaded,
Sweetly my soul shall rest.

Hark! 'tis the voice of angels
Borne in a song to me
Over the fields of glory,
Over the jasper sea.

Refrain:

Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe on His gentle breast,
There, by His love o'ershaded,
Sweetly my soul shall rest.

Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe from corroding care,
Safe from the world's temptations--
Sin cannot harm me there.
Free from the blight of sorrow,
Free from my doubts and fears;
Only a few more trials,
Only a few more tears!

Jesus, my heart's dear refuge,
Jesus has died for me;
Firm on the Rock of Ages
Ever my trust shall be.
Here let me wait with patience,
Wait till the night is o'er,
Wait till I see the morning
Break on the golden shore.

6. MY FAITH

1 My faith has found a resting place, Not in device nor creed; I trust the Ever- living One, His wounds for me shall plead. I need no other argument, I need no other plea; It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.

2 Enough for me that Jesus saves, This ends my fear and doubt; A sinful soul I come to Him, He'll never cast me out.

3 My heart is leaning on the Word, The written Word of God, Salvation by my Savior's name, Salvation through His blood.

4 My great Physician heals the sick, The lost He came to save; For me His precious blood He shed, For me His life He gave.

7. Amazing Grace will always be my song, of praise

For it was grace that bought my liberty.

I'll never know just why he came to love me so

He looked beyond my faults and saw my needs

I shall for ever lift mine eyes to calvary ,
To view the cross, where Jesus died for me
How marvelous, the grace that bought my fallen soul
He looked beyond, my faults and saw my needs.

8. He loves me I can not say why
He loves me I can not say why
On Calvary's tree He suffered for me
He loves I can not say why

9. Grace, grace, God's grace,
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;
Grace, grace, God's grace,
Grace that is greater than all our sin!

10. My faith has found a resting place, Not in device or creed; I trust the ever living One, His wounds for me shall plead.
Refrain I need no other argument, I need no other plea, It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me. Enough for
me that Jesus saves, This ends my fear and doubt; A sinful soul I come to Him, He'll never cast me out. Refrain My heart
is leaning on the Word, The living Word of God, Salvation by my Savior's name, Salvation through His blood.

Refrain My great physician heals the sick, The lost He came to save; For me His precious blood He shed, For me His life
He gave.

11. YOUR LOVE NEVER FAILS – Jesus Culture

Nothing can separate
Even if I ran away
Your love never fails

I know I still make mistakes
But You have new mercies for me everyday
Your love never fails

You stay the same through the ages
Your love never changes
There maybe pain in the night but joy comes in the morning

And when the oceans rage
I don't have to be afraid
Because I know that You love me

Your love never fails

The wind is strong and the water's deep
But I'm not alone in these open seas
Cause Your love never fails

The chasm is far too wide
I never thought I'd reach the other side
But Your love never fails

You make, all things, work together for my good.

12. He is jealous for me, loves like a hurricane, I am a tree
Bending beneath the weight of His wind and mercy
When all of a sudden I am unaware of these afflictions
Eclipsed by glory and I realize just how beautiful You are
And how great Your affections are for me

And oh, how He loves us, oh
Oh, how He loves us, how He loves us all

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Bending beneath the weight of His wind and mercy
When all of a sudden I am unaware of these afflictions
Eclipsed by glory and I realize just how beautiful You are
And how great Your affections are for me

Oh, how He loves, yeah, He loves us
Oh, how He loves us, oh, how He loves us
Oh, how He loves

And we are His portion and He is our prize
Drawn to redemption by the grace in His eyes
If His grace is an ocean, we're all sinking

And heaven meets earth like an unforeseen kiss
And my heart turns violently inside of my chest
I don't have time to maintain these regrets
When I think about the way

Oh, how He loves us, oh
Oh, how He loves us, how He loves all
How He loves

Yeah, He loves us, oh, how He loves us
Oh, how He loves us, oh how He loves
Oh, I love

Yeah, He loves us, yeah, He loves us
How He loves us, oh, how He loves us all

13. MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS

1. My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

2. When darkness veils His lovely face,
I rest on His unchanging grace;
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

3. His oath, His covenant, and blood
Support me in the whelming flood;
When every earthly prop gives way,
He then is all my Hope and Stay.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

4. When He shall come with trumpet sound,
Oh, may I then in Him be found,
Clothed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne!
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

14. what unbelievable love, what unshakable love, grace found me, grace gave me all that belongs to God, forever I am forgiven, am blameless n faultless, God called me His beloved, I am now the apple of God's eye. Thank you Jesus is all about you.

15. When peace like a river attended my way
When sorrows like sea billows roll
Whatever my lot, though has taught me to say
It is well, it is well with my soul

It is well with my soul,
With my soul it is well
It is well, it is well with my soul

" My sin—oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!—
My sin, not in part but the whole,
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more,
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!"

16. Begone, unbelief; my Saviour is near,
And for my relief will surely appear;
By prayer let me wrestle, and He will perform;

With Christ in the vessel, I smile at the storm.

Though dark be my way, since He is my guide,
'Tis mine to obey, 'tis His to provide;
Though cisterns be broken, and creatures all fail,
The word He has spoken shall surely prevail.

His love in time past forbids me to think
He'll leave me at last in trouble to sink;
Each sweet Ebenezer I have in review
Confirms His good pleasure to help me quite through.

Determined to save, He watched o'er my path,
When, Satan's blind slave, I sported with death;
And can He have taught me to trust in His name,
And thus far have brought me to put me to shame?

Why should I complain of want or distress,
Temptation or pain? He told me no less;
The heirs of salvation, I know from His Word,
Through much tribulation must follow their Lord.

Since all that I meet shall work for my good,
The bitter is sweet, the medicine, food;
Though painful at present, 'twill cease before long;
And then, O how pleasant the conqueror's song!

16. 'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just to take Him at His Word;
Just to rest upon His promise;
Just to know, Thus saith the Lord."

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him
how I've proved Him o'er and o'er
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus
O for grace to trust Him more!

O how sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to trust His cleansing blood;
Just in simple faith to plunge me
Neath the healing, cleansing flood!

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus
Just from sin and self to cease;
Just from Jesus simply taking
Life and rest and joy and peace

I'am so glad I learned to trust Thee

Precious Jesus, Saviour, Friend;
And I know that Thou art with me
Will be with me to the end.

17. Amazing Grace How sweet the sounds that saved a wretch like Me.
I was once lost but now I am found.
I was blind but now I see.

Praise God Praise God Praise God.
Praise God Praise God Amen
Praise God Praise God Praise God Praise God
Praise God Praise God Amen.

18. Wonderful Grace Of Jesus - Haldor Lillenas

Wonderful grace of Jesus, Greater than all my sin; How shall my tongue describe it, Where shall its praise begin? Taking away my burden, Setting my spirit free; For the wonderful grace of Jesus reaches me. Refrain: Wonderful the matchless grace of Jesus, Deeper than the mighty rolling sea; Wonderful grace, all sufficient for me, for even me. Broader than the scope of my transgressions, Greater far than all my sin and shame, O magnify the precious Name of Jesus. Praise His Name! Wonderful grace of Jesus, Reaching to all the lost, By it I have been pardoned, Saved to the uttermost, Chains have been torn asunder, Giving me liberty; For the wonderful grace of Jesus reaches me. Wonderful grace of Jesus, Reaching the most defiled, By its transforming power, Making him God's dear child, Purchasing peace and heaven, For all eternity; And the wonderful grace of Jesus reaches me.

19. Jesus my help
I call on Your name
I cast my cares on You
Jesus my hope
Your my tower of strength,
My faith is found in You
I see You pierce,
Wounded for me
When I look to the cross ,I see

I see Grace ,
sealed by Your sacrifice
I see love, reaching for me
Precious blood ,washes and sanctify
Healing flows setting me free
I see Grace, I see love

Bearer of sin ,
Afflicted and tried
You paid redemption price,
Bearing my curse
You set me on high,

Your death has brought me life
I see Grace, I see love.

20. He has done so much for me.
He had taken away my sorrow.
Oh Glory Hallelujah.
He is coming to take me home.

- 21. Praise Him! praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
Sing, O earth, His wonderful love proclaim!
Hail Him! Hail Him! highest archangels in glory,
Strength and honor give to His holy name!
Like a shepherd, Jesus will guard His children;
In His arms He carries them all day long.
Praise Him! praise Him! Tell of His excellent greatness!
Praise Him! praise Him! Ever in joyful song!

22. To God be the glory, great things he has done. So loved he the world that he gave us his son. Who yielded his life an atonement for sin. & open the life gate that ALL may go in.

Ref: Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice. Oh come to the father through Jesus the son. & give him the glory, great things he has done.

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
to every believer the promise of God;
the vilest offender who truly believes,
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.
(Refrain)

3. Great things he hath taught us, great things he hath done,
and great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son;
but purer, and higher, and greater will be
our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

23. How can I say thanks
for all the things you have done for me
Things so undeserved
Yet you gave to prove your love to me
The voices of a million angels
Cannot express my gratitude
All that I am and ever hope to be
I owe it all to Thee

(Chorus)
To God be the glory
To God be the glory

To God be the glory
For the things He has done
With His blood, He has saved me
With His power, He has raised me.
To God be the glory
For the things he has done

(Bridge)

Just let me live my life
Let it be pleasing, Lord to Thee
Should I gain any praise,
Let it go to Calvary.

With His blood, He has saved me
With His power, He has raised me.
To God be the glory
For the things he has done.

24. "There is a redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy One,

Jesus my redeemer,
Name above all names,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Oh, for sinners slain.

Thank you oh my father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit,
'Til the work on Earth is done.

When I stand in Glory,
I will see His face,
And there I'll serve my King forever,
In that Holy Place.

Thank you oh my father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit,
'Til the work on Earth is done.

There is a redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy One,

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For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit,
'Til the work on Earth is done.

And leaving Your Spirit,
'Till the work on Earth is done."

25. ORE OFE (GRACE IN YORUBA)

Ore ofe sha ni igbekele mi...

Jesu ku fun araye...

O ku fun mi pelu.

26. I will worship the Lord as long as I live, I will sing praise to my God while I have my being

27. What the Lord has done for me. I can not tell it all.

What the Lord has done for me. I can not tell it all.

What the Lord has done for I cannot tell it all. HE SAVED ME AND WASHED ME IN HIS BLOOD.

So I can shout Hallelujah!

I can shout Hallelujah.

I can shout PRAISE THE LORD.

28. Thank you for the cross Lord
Thank you for the price You paid
Bearing all my sin and shame
In love You came and gave amazing grace

Thank you for this love Lord
Thank you for the nail pierced hands
Washed me in Your cleansing flow
Now all I know Your forgiveness and embrace

Worthy is the Lamb
Seated on the throne
Crown You now with many crowns
You reign victorious
High and lifted up
Jesus, Son of God
The Darling of Heaven crucified
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So worthy, so worthy
So worthy Lord
So worthy Lord
We're praising the Lord
So worthy Lord
We'll worship You
[Incomprehensible]
My heart and my soul
Will sing for joy to [Incomprehensible]
[Incomprehensible]
To You, to You oh, Lord

29. I was sinking deep in sin,
far from the peaceful shore,
Very deeply stained within,
Sinking to rise no more,
But the Master of the sea
Heard my despairing cry,
From the waters lifted me,
Now safe am I

Love lifted me! Love lifted me!
When nothing else could help, Love lifted me.
Love Lifted me! Love Lifted me!
When nothing else could help, Love lifted me

30. You gave me courage to believe
That all Your goodness I would see
And if it had not been for You
Standing on my side,
Where would I be

If not for Your goodness
If not for Your Grace
I don't know
Where I would be today
If not for Your kindness
I never could say,
I'm still standing

If not for Your mercy
If not for Your love
I most likely
Would have given up
If not for Your favor
I never could say,
I'm still standing
But by the Grace of Grace of GOD

31. Christ is my reward
And all of my devotion
Now there's nothing in this world
That could ever satisfy
Through every trial
My soul will sing
No turning back
I've been set free

Christ is enough for me

Christ is enough for me
Everything I need is in You,
Everything I need

Christ my all in all
The joy of my salvation
And this hope will never fail
Heaven is our home
Through every storm
My soul will sing
Jesus is here
To God be the glory

I have decided to follow Jesus
No turning back, no turning back
The cross before me
The world behind me

Christ is enough for me
Christ is enough for me
Everything I need is in You.

32. Bless the Lord oh my soul and all that is within me bless His Holy name

33. he paid a debt he didnt owe
i owed a debt i couldn't pay
i needed someone to wash my sins away
and now i sing a brand new song "amazing grace"
christ jesus paid the debt that i could never pay.

he paid the debt at calvary
he cleansed my soul and set me free
i'm glad that jesus did all my sins erase,
i, now can sing a brand new song "amazing grace"
christ jesus paid the price that i could never pay

one day he is coming back for me
to take me home eternally,
won't it be glory to see him on dat day
i then will sing a brand new song "amazing grace"
christ jesus paid the price that i could never pay

yes jesus paid the price that i could never pay.

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yes jesus paid the price that i could never pay.

35. Majesty, Majesty.

Your grace has found me just as i am
Empty handed but alive in Your hands
Majesty, Majesty....

36. O the passion

O the wonder
Of the fiery love of Christ
King of Glory
On the altar perfect Lamb of sacrifice
Who are we that He would love us
Who by He would give His life
O the passion
O the wonder
Of the fiery love of Christ

O the wisdom
O the wonder
Of the power of the cross
Love so rare No words could tell it
Life Himself has died for us
Who are we that He would save us crucified to give us life
O the wisdom
O the wonder
Of the power of the cross

O the passion
O the wonder of the fiery love of Christ
Death defeated by His rising

Darkness conquered by His light
We will sing His praise forever worthy is the Lamb of Life
O the passion
O the wonder
Of the fiery love of Christ

Who are we that He would love us
Who but He would give His life
O the passion
O the wonder
Of the fiery love of Christ

37. Grace ,your Grace am nothing without you! Your Grace,your Grace shines on me,shines on me,shines me.....

38. i give u glory Lord, and i worship you (2*)....you are wonderful , you are worthy o Lord(2*)

39. He set you free
So you could see
How much He loves you
Just take a look
It's in His book
How much He loves you
His Word reveals
All that He feels
He spelled it out
Never a doubt

He loves you
Just because He loves you
Just because He loves you
He loves you
Just because He loves you
Just because He loves you
There's nothing you can do to make Him
love you more
There's nothing you can do to make Him
love you less
He loves you
Just because He loves you
Just because He loves you

Once we were lost
Needing the cross
Needing a Savior
He came to earth
A humble birth
Born in a manger

His words were truth
His life was proof
He was God's Son
Sent for each one

He loves you
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Just because He loves you
Just because He loves you
There's nothing you can do to make Him
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love you less
He loves you
Just because He loves you
Just because He loves you

He loves you
He loves you
There's nothing you can do to make Him
love you more
There's nothing you can do to make Him
love you less
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Just because He loves you
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40. Savior, He can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save.
He is mighty to save.
Forever, author of Salvation
He rose and conquered the grave.
Jesus conquered the grave.

TO GOD BE THE GLORY FOR HIS AMAZING GRACE!!! WE LOVE YOU LORD!!!

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