

WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED? — PART ONE

Name _____

Date _____

Directions: Read each statement. Then read the supporting Bible passage (if one is given) using your Bible or the supplied Bible references sheet. Mark each statement as either **A** (agree), **D** (disagree), or **NS** (not sure).

RELIGIOUS BACKGROUND

_____ There is a God and the Bible is God's written word.

_____ Jesus Christ is God's only begotten Son.

_____ There will be a final day of judgment for all people when God will fix each person's eternal destiny as either saved or lost.

_____ If the previous statement is true, then "What must I do to be saved?" is the most important question a person can ever ask.

_____ I am willing to hear what the Bible says about the things of salvation.

HEARING THE GOSPEL MESSAGE

1. _____ (ROMANS 10:13-14) A person must hear about the LORD before they can believe and call on his name for salvation.

2. _____ (ROMANS 10:15-17) Faith comes by hearing the good news of the gospel message found in God's word.

3. _____ (ROMANS 1:16) The gospel of Christ is the drawing power of God for bringing salvation to those who believe.

4. _____ (2 CORINTHIANS 4:3-4) Those who do not believe the gospel have been blinded by the "god of this age."

5. _____ (MARK 16:15-16) Those who do not believe the gospel will be condemned.

JESUS CHRIST — OUR GOD AND CREATOR

1. _____ (NEHEMIAH 9:6) The LORD God created all things.

2. _____ (GENESIS 1:26-27) God refers to himself with words like "us" and "our," which suggest that God is a plurality of persons.

3. _____ (JOHN 1:1-3) God's plurality is confirmed in this passage where the "Word" is said to be God, but is also said to be with God.

_____ The Word created everything that was made.

4. _____ (JOHN 1:14) The Word became flesh and lived among people, and is referred to as "the only begotten of the Father."

5. _____ (EPHESIANS 3:8-9) If Jesus created all things and the Word created all things, we conclude that Jesus is the Word that became flesh.

6. _____ (MATTHEW 3:16-17) A three person union is seen in this account of Jesus' baptism: Jesus, the Spirit of God, and a voice from heaven.

_____ The voice from heaven declared that Jesus is "my beloved Son."

7. _____ (MATTHEW 28:18-19) Jesus has all authority in heaven and earth and is named in conjunction with the Father and the Holy Spirit.

_____ We can conclude that God can be identified as God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

GOD'S HOLINESS AND JUSTICE

1. _____ (*DEUTERONOMY 32:3-4*) God is perfect in justice, truth, and righteousness.
2. _____ (*LEVITICUS 19:2*) God created us in his own image and commands us to be holy just as he is holy.
3. _____ (*EZEKIEL 18:4*) God's judgment against sin is death.
4. _____ (*PSALMS 97:1-2*) God's throne is upheld by his righteousness and justice; his judgment against sin must and will be executed.
5. _____ (*1 JOHN 1:8*) All people have sinned and are subject to God's judgment against sin.

JESUS CHRIST — OUR GOD AND SAVIOR

1. _____ (*JOHN 3:16*) God offers eternal life to us as a gift in his Son.
2. _____ (*1 CORINTHIANS 15:1-4*) The gospel message can be summed up as the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ.
3. _____ (*LEVITICUS 17:11*) God provided atonement (cleansing) for sin through blood (animal) sacrifices before the time of Jesus.
4. _____ (*HEBREWS 10:1,4*) Animal sacrifices were merely a shadow of better things to come, because their blood could not actually remove sin.

5. _____ (*1 PETER 2:21-24*) Jesus lived a sinless life and then took the punishment of our sins as he died on the tree (cross).
6. _____ (*ROMANS 3:23-26*) Jesus is God's true atoning sacrifice for our sin, and his atoning blood becomes effectual to us through faith.
_____ Jesus' atoning death allows God to be just while justifying the sinner who places faith in Jesus.

JESUS CHRIST — OUR GOD AND JUDGE

1. _____ (*ECCLESIASTES 12:13-14*) We will all give an account of our life to God for every word, thought, and deed.
2. _____ (*2 CORINTHIANS 5:9-10*) God will judge the world by Jesus Christ.
3. _____ (*2 THESSALONIANS 1:7-9*) Those who do not believe and obey the gospel of Christ will be eternally destroyed in fiery judgment.

PERSONAL RESPONSE

_____ I am a sinner in need of a Savior.

_____ I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, he died for my sins, was buried, and he rose again from the dead after three days.

_____ I want to know more about what God requires of me to be saved.