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Salvation Snippets

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Topics.

- Three murders and salvation.
 - A drowning person and salvation.
 - A restaurant, a waiter and salvation.
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I pray, after reading the following three simple salvation snippets, all can confidently say:

- O death, where is your victory, where is your sting? The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law, but I thank God, who has given us the victory through the Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Corinthians 15:55–58).
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THREE MURDERS AND SALVATION

Let us imagine three of us are in a courtroom and all three of us are guilty of cold-blooded murder. The judge rightfully sentences each of us to die for our crimes. I appeal to the judge, asking if I can die for all three of us, and the other two be set free. The judge insists that since all three of us are guilty, all of us must die for our own crimes. This illustration is very similar to the problem facing all mankind. All are guilty of sin, which means no mere man could die for the sins of the world. The only person who could take our punishment was God's Son the Lord Jesus Christ, after living a sinless life, He died in the place of us all, because we have all sinned and come short of the glory of God.

- **Romans 3:23:** for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

A simple example: I may believe I am a much better person than Jack the Ripper, but not as good as Mary Poppins, but according to the Bible, neither of these comparisons are valid, because we are not to measure ourselves against the life of sinners, but against God's Holiness and Christ's perfect character and righteousness.

Ponder the following questions:

- How many murders would I have to commit before I was a murderer? That is right, one.
- How many bank robberies to be a bank robber? Again one.
- How many rapes to be a rapist? You guessed it, one.
- How may sins to be a sinner? That is right, one.

Imagine a person who had cold bloodedly killed three people in a large city, using as his defence the concept that out of forty million people he only killed three. We would all admit, that three people are only a tiny fraction of the number of people in the city. In this same vein, how can we hope to stand before a perfectly Holy God and expect Him to dismiss even one of our sins.

A DROWNING PERSON AND SALVATION

The importance of having faith in Christ, can be likened to a drowning person being dragged out to sea by a strong rip, and a man swimming out to save them. If the drowning person, because of panic, forcefully struggles and physically resist the person attempting to save them, it is most likely they will drown. For the drowning person to be saved, they must fully trust their rescuer. Likewise, we must completely surrender our lives and trust in Jesus in order to be saved from death to eternal life.

A RESTAURANT, A WAITER AND SALVATION

Imagine if I went to a restaurant for a meal with you and your friend. After we finished eating, the waiter placed our three bills on the table. In addition to picking up my own bill, I also picked up yours and your friends, then walked to the counter and paid all three. Now when you and your friend go up to the cashier, how much will the cashier say you owe? That is right, nothing. It is not that you did not owe something, you did, but I already paid the bill for you, this is exactly what Christ has done for us.

As the founder of Bible House of Grace, I would like to thank the many Christian scholars, commentators and theologians who have gone before me, and the many today, who have freely made available their works to enhance the knowledge of the Bible to all people worldwide. It is only with the help of these faithful writers that much of Bible House of Grace exists as it does today.

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