

The Knowable God:

Who Will Rescue Me?

! YOU AND I HAVE A PROBLEM OF _____.

For the wages of sin is death..

Romans 6:23 (NLT)

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Jesus replied, "I tell you the truth, everyone who sins is a slave of sin.

John 8:34 (NLT)

Once we, too, were foolish and disobedient. We were misled and became slaves to many lusts and pleasures.

Titus 3:3 (NLT)

... you are a slave to whatever controls you.

2 Peter 2:19 (NLT)

The trouble is with me, for I am all too human, a slave to sin. ¹⁵ I don't really understand myself, for I want to do what is right, but I don't do it. Instead, I do what I hate.

Romans 7:14 (NLT)

I have discovered this principle of life—that when I want to do what is right, I inevitably do what is wrong. ²² I love God's law with all my heart. ²³ But there is another power¹ within me that is at war with my mind. This power makes me a slave to the sin that is still within me.²⁴ Oh, what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death?

Romans 7:21-24 (NLT)

Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Romans 7:25 (NLT)

For we died and were buried with Christ by baptism. And just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glorious power of the Father, now we also may live new lives.

⁵ Since we have been united with him in his death, we will also be raised to life as he was.⁶ We know that our old sinful selves were crucified with Christ so that sin might lose its power in our lives. We are no longer slaves to sin.⁷ For when we died with Christ we were set free from the power of sin.⁸ And since we died with Christ, we know we will also live with him.⁹ We are sure of this because Christ was raised from the dead, and he will never die again. Death no longer has any power over him.¹⁰ When he died, he died once to break the power of sin. But now that he lives, he lives for the glory of God.¹¹ So you also should consider yourselves to be dead to the power of sin and alive to God through Christ Jesus.

Romans 6:4-11 (NLT)

Don't you realize that you become the slave of whatever you choose to obey? You can be a slave to sin, which leads to death, or you can choose to obey God, which leads to righteous living.¹⁷ Thank God! Once you were slaves of sin, but now you wholeheartedly obey this teaching we have given you.¹⁸ Now you are free from your slavery to sin, and you have become slaves to righteous living.

Romans 6:16-18 (NLT)

! THE SOLUTION IS IN THE _____ OF JESUS CHRIST.

For without the shedding of blood, there is no forgiveness.

Hebrews 9:22 (NLT)

But God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners.

Romans 5:8 (NLT)

He personally carried our sins
in his body on the cross
so that we can be dead to sin
and live for what is right.

By his wounds

you are healed.

1 Peter 2:24 (NLT)

He himself is the sacrifice that atones for our sins—and not only our sins but the sins of all the world.

1 John 2:2 (NLT)

For God presented Jesus as the sacrifice for sin. People are made right with God when they believe that Jesus sacrificed his life, shedding his blood. This sacrifice shows that God was being fair when he held back and did not punish those who sinned in times past,²⁶ for he was looking ahead and including them in what he would do in this present time. God did this to

demonstrate his righteousness, for he himself is fair and just, and he makes sinners right in his sight when they believe in Jesus.

Romans 3:25-26 (NLT)

They replied, "Believe in the Lord Jesus and you will be saved, along with everyone in your household."

Acts 16:31 (NLT)