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# GOD'S SIMPLE PLAN OF SALVATION

## God Loves You

John 3:16 tells us, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life." God showed His love to each of us by sending His Son to die in our place for our sins. Why?

## Our Sin Separates Us From God

Romans 3:23 says, "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." Each of us has disobeyed God, have fallen short of His standard, and sinned. Our sin deserves wrath from God and we have a debt that we're unable to pay.

## Jesus Paid for Your Sins

1 John 2:2 says, "He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world." Jesus took on the punishment of God's wrath and paid the debt that you owed so that you can be saved from your sin and have Jesus' righteous life added to your account, making you right with God. He rose 3 days later, showing that He was a perfect sacrifice and God's wrath was satisfied.

## Trusting Jesus by Faith is the only Way

Romans 10:9 says, "Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved." It requires you to acknowledge your sins, ask God to forgive them through the death of Jesus, trust Him as your only way to salvation, and surrender your life to His Lordship, where He has complete authority over your life from here on out. His promise is found in Romans 10:13, "For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."