

Can Religion and Good Works

Help Us Escape Future Judgment ?

I want to ask you, are you sure you will escape future judgment? Please don't throw this tract down, but read it all the way through, because it is important to your life. Many people say, All religions teach us to do good. (Thai idiom) That is a true statement. But in order to escape future judgment, God's standard is "For as many as are of the works of the law are under the curse: for it is written, Cursed is every one that continueth not in all things which are written in the book of the law to do them." According to God's standard, the person who will escape future judgment in Hell must obey all the tenants of his religion from infancy to death. He cannot do wrong even one time. But if he doesn't obey all of them, then he is cursed (in Hell). Truly, no one can meet God's standard. In God's sight, the best a person can do is described as "filthy rags."

You might be asking, How then can I be saved? Once the Philippian jailor asked this same question of Paul and Silas saying, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" Paul and Silas answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ." Why did he have to believe on Jesus Christ? Because we have no other way to be saved. The Bible says, "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God. There is none righteous, no, not one: There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. They are all gone out of the way." All men have denied the God who loves them and provides them with all things. "For the wages of sin is death (in Hell)" All men have sinned and face judgment in Hell.

The Bible says, "Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus." While on the cross Jesus said "It is finished." This means that you can be saved through the way of salvation that God has given. That way is already "finished." "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." Man's spiritual condition can be compared to a paralyzed man who cannot help himself. He cannot even feed himself, but has to have someone else feed him. Jesus Christ has prepared spiritual food for you, which is eternal life (in Heaven). All you have to do is pray to God, "God be merciful to me a sinner."

Sinful man is separated from God who is holy. Sinful man will face future judgment in Hell. But Jesus Christ loves you. All you have to do to be saved is receive God's grace "As though God did beseech you by us: we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God."

If you receive Jesus Christ as your Savior:

- 1.. You will instantly receive eternal life (in Heaven). You will be saved from future eternal judgment in Hell.
- 2.. You will be freed from the power of Satan. No evil spiritual beings will have power over you in the future. 3. You will be a child of God. God will be with you always and you can trust Him as you walk with Him in this life. God loves you and is ready to forgive your sin. If you would like to know more about this, want to receive some free literature, or want to receive Jesus Christ as your Savior, mark an X in the box below. I want to know more, send me some free literature Send me a free correspondence course I want to receive Jesus Christ as my Saviour. Have someone visit me at my home. Name Address

Dear Brother Tom: Along with this email I'm sending the English translations of 3 tracts that have been set up in the Thai language. Some phrases that might sound out of place in English have been marked as Thai idioms and are very effective in reaching the Thais. If you can give me an address, I could mail the Thai tracts there. Two of the tracts have pictures on the cover, the other doesn't because there wasn't room for one. I think the Thai tracts are set up correctly as per page size, etc., but if not, they can be adjusted. Yours for Thailand, Philip Pope