

Topic: **THE CHRONOLOGY OF SALVATION, PT. 2**

**Rom 8:28 - 30 (KJV)**

<sup>28</sup>AND WE KNOW THAT ALL THINGS WORK TOGETHER FOR GOOD TO THEM THAT LOVE GOD, TO THEM WHO ARE THE CALLED ACCORDING TO HIS PURPOSE.

<sup>29</sup>FOR WHOM HE DID FOREKNOW, HE ALSO DID PREDESTINATE TO BE CONFORMED TO THE IMAGE OF HIS SON, THAT HE MIGHT BE THE FIRSTBORN AMONG MANY BRETHREN.

<sup>30</sup>MOREOVER WHOM HE DID PREDESTINATE, THEM HE ALSO CALLED: AND WHOM HE CALLED, THEM HE ALSO JUSTIFIED: AND WHOM HE JUSTIFIED, THEM HE ALSO GLORIFIED.

1. **Election** = pre-determined by God in eternity past
  2. **Conversion** = hearing, confessing, infilling. (Belief and Baptism)
  3. **Transformation** = separation, sanctification, maturation.
  4. **Glorification** = transfiguration, immortalization.
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1. *Election*

**Eph 1:11 - 14 (NLT)** <sup>11</sup>Furthermore, because we are united with Christ, we have received an inheritance from God, for he chose us in advance, and he makes everything work out according to his plan.

<sup>12</sup>God's purpose was that we Jews who were the first to trust in Christ would bring praise and glory to God.

<sup>13</sup>And now you Gentiles have also heard the truth, the Good News that God saves you. And when you believed in Christ, he identified you as his own by giving you the Holy Spirit, whom he promised long ago.

<sup>14</sup>The Spirit is God's guarantee that he will give us the inheritance he promised and that he has purchased us to be his own people. He did this so we would praise and glorify him.

2. *Conversion*

1. **Hear** - recognize – God exists and He requires holiness. realize – you are a sinner

2. **Believe** - repent – turn from sin and turn to God; confess – declare that Jesus Christ is Lord over you

**Last week's: Monday Morning Moment**

**S = separate**

**a = anointed**

**v = victorious**

**e = enlightened**

**d = destined**

**S = separate** - **2 Cor 6:17 (NLT)** <sup>17</sup> Therefore, come out from among unbelievers, and separate yourselves from them, says the LORD. Don't touch their filthy things, and I will welcome you.

**a = anointed** - **2 Cor 1:21 - 22 (NASB)** <sup>21</sup> Now He who establishes us with you in Christ and anointed us is God, <sup>22</sup>who also sealed us and gave us the Spirit in our hearts as a pledge.

**v = victorious - Rev 15:2 (NASB)** <sup>2</sup>And I saw something like a sea of glass mixed with fire, and those who had been victorious over the beast and his image and the number of his name, standing on the sea of glass, holding harps of God.

**e = enlightened - Eph 1:18 (NASB)** <sup>18</sup>*I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened, so that you will know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,*

**d = destined - 1 Thess 5:9 (NASB)** <sup>9</sup>For God has not destined us for wrath, but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ,

**Transformation** = separation, sanctification, maturation.

### **Rom 12:1 - 2 (NLT)**

<sup>1</sup>And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him.

<sup>2</sup>Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.



To know God and be ready for heaven, follow these steps:

#### **A. Admit you are a sinner.**

"There is no one righteous, not even one ... for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." Romans 3:10,23. (See Romans 5:8; 6:23.)

Ask God's forgiveness.

"Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Romans 10:13

#### **B. Believe in Jesus**

(put your trust in Him) as your only hope of salvation.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16 (See John 14:6.)

Become a child of God by receiving Christ.

"To all who receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God." John 1:12 (See Revelation 3:20.)

#### **C. Confess that Jesus is your Lord.**

"If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." Romans 10:9 (See verse 10.)