

The Gospel: God's Plan for Me



God Rules!

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The Bible tells us God created everything, including you and me, and He is in charge of everything.

Genesis 1:1

1 In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.
(Genesis 1:1)

Colossians 1:16-17

16 For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. 17 And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. (Colossians 1:16-17)

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We Sinned.

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We all choose to disobey God. For preschoolers, it is anything I think, anything I say or anything I do that makes God unhappy. The Bible calls this sin. Sin separates us from God and deserves God's punishment of death.

Romans 3:23

23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, (Romans 3:23)

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God Provided.

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God sent Jesus, the perfect solution to our sin problem, to rescue us from the punishment we deserve. It's something we, as sinners, could never earn on our own. Jesus alone saves us.

John 3:16

16 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)

Ephesians 2:8-9

8 For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— 9 not by works, so that no one can boast. (Ephesians 2:8-9)

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Jesus Gives.

God Gives.

He lived a perfect life, died on the cross for our sins, and rose again. Because Jesus gave up His life for us, we can be welcomed into God's family for eternity.

Romans 5:8

8 But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
(Romans 5:8)

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We Respond.

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Believe in your heart that Jesus alone saves you through what He's already done on the cross. Repent, turning from self and sin to Jesus. Tell God and others that your faith is in Jesus.

Romans 10:9-10

9 If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. (Romans 10:9-10)