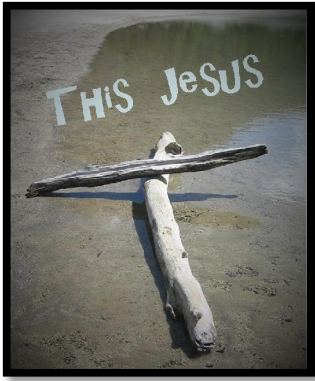


This Jesus - Colossians 2:13-14



Throughout the life of Christ, once His ministry began in earnest,  
we see Him healing the blind, the lame, the deaf.  
We see Him proclaim forgiveness of sin, and exhort to sin no more.  
We see Him choose fishermen, tax collectors, and all who would,  
to follow after Him, to teach them, to teach all, about the glory of God. He  
cast out demons, He raised the dead, He fed the thousands,  
both physically and spiritually.

*This Jesus. This Son of God, come down to earth, to live and die for us.*

In three short years of ministry He turned the world upside down.

And because of Him we will never be the same.

We were of darkness, but He brought us into the Light.

We were sinners, but He gave us His righteousness.

We were lost, but in Him we are found - perfect, spotless, holy.

Oh what a Savior, Oh, what a friend.

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***"When you were dead in your transgressions and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He made you ALIVE together with Him, having forgiven all our transgressions, having canceled out the certificate of debt consisting of decrees against us, which was hostile to us; and He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross." Colossians 2:13-14***

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As we remember His great sacrifice this weekend,  
thinking back on all He suffered on that cruel cross,  
may we live in awe and wonder of the resurrection that meant

*victory*

over all that had passed before and after.

Our sins were canceled, our debt has been paid. Death has no sting.

All because of

*This Jesus. This Son of God, come down to earth, to live and die for us.*



*Father, we don't understand Your ways, but we know they are so much better than ours. Thank You for providing a Savior that canceled the debt we owed because of our sin. Thank You for Jesus.*

For further reading:

Luke 23:33-34, 44-46

Romans 10:8-11

Luke 24:1-9

Colossians 2:6-7, 3:1-4