



SURVIVAL KIT

Prepare today. Overcome tomorrow.

WEEK 6—SALVATION: BEGINNING AND END

Three Aspects—Same Event

Day 1

Read Philippians 1:3-11. Memorize Philippians 1:6

With that first prayer of faith and surrender you became a free, forgiven, Christ-indwelt child of God. You also received some rights and an inheritance. Those rights are yours to use in the present. The inheritance is yours to claim in the future.

The gift of Salvation comes in three stages: past, present and future. How does Philippians 1:6 indicate this truth?

Pray for vs. 9-11 to be yours today. How is that asking for what we have already learned?

Salvation Past

Day 2

Read Ephesians 2:3-6, 8-9, 12-13, 17-19.

Verse 5 says God made us A_____ with Christ when we were D_____ in our sin.

He also R_____ us up with Christ. In vs. 8-9 what did you do to deserve this gift?

Take time to express your thanks for the access we now have to God through Jesus.

Father, Son and Spirit—The Trinity Living In You

Day 3

Read Romans 8:9-11; 1 John 4:12-16. Quote Philippians 1:6 from memory.

Paul reminds us we are not to be controlled by the old nature but by the Spirit. How is that working itself out in your life?

Can you see where these Scriptures show us that we are a container for God the Father, for Jesus the Son and for the Holy Spirit? This is a finished act that will never need repeated.



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Salvation—Future

Day 4

Read Ephesians 1:13-14; 1 Peter 1:3-9, 13.

Ephesians 1:13 teaches that you received the Holy Spirit at the moment you put your faith in Jesus Christ. What important truth is also revealed in vs. 14?

Your Bible may use the words pledge or guarantee in vs. 14. He is the down payment or earnest money indicating that the full amount promised will be paid at a future time. One day you will be taken to heaven to be with Jesus and your salvation will be complete.

Which aspects of your salvation are in 1 Peter 1? Past? Present? Future? All Three?

As you read your Bible be alert to all the aspects of your salvation.

Free from the Old Nature

Day 5

Read Romans 5:12; 6:23; 1 Corinthians 15:50-57; 2 Corinthians 5:1-9

How will our future salvation be different from what we have now?

Find 2 words in Romans today that cause our need for salvation: D_____ and S_____.

Read the vs. in 1 and 2nd Corinthians.

Will we ever be rid of our old sinful nature? A day is coming when we will leave the old and be completely changed. Right now we are groaning for our new home, a new body, our salvation future. Everything we have is because of what Jesus has done for us. Until that day we live in Salvation Present, Controlled by the Spirit, with the life of Jesus working in and through us.

Congratulations. You just finished your sixth week! Every new habit takes time and effort. Pretty soon it will be natural and the Word of God will be with you everywhere you go. Next week the focus is on Salvation—Our Daily Progress.

Got questions or feedback? Creative ways to help make this happen? Send me a text or email. 918-638-1066 or fbcramona@windstream.net. - Pastor Kevin