



Beyond the Sermon

A Sermon Application Guide

Title: Jesus: Our Redeemer

This guide offers a simple tool for those wanting to take the next step with Sunday's message. You can print this guide to study on your own or use it in a group and experience transformation together.

Message Theme

Delivered Once and for All

Prayer Focus

Jesus, thank You for what You did on the cross by taking my sin and shame and paying the price for it. Because of this, I can walk in freedom. As I continue to live in a close relationship with You, please show me the true weight and depth of Your sacrifice. In Your holy Name, amen.

Key Truths

God created man and woman to have dominion over the Earth. The authority given to them is similar to when someone rents out their house. They own the house, but the owners must still ask permission to enter so long as the renters live there. Adam and Eve were given dominion in the garden but gave it away to the enemy when they listened to him and disobeyed God. Initially, God created Satan as a cherub angel named Lucifer who rebelled against God and used Adam and Eve's authority to cause chaos on Earth.

After Adam and Eve ate from the tree, they didn't die physically; their death was spiritual. They could no longer walk closely with God like they used to, and they feared telling Him what they had done and tried to avoid Him. Likewise, when our relationship with God weakens, we may feel distant from Him and fear Him.

The Bible talks about two "Adams" who changed the course of history. The first Adam was in the Garden of Eden, representing us when he let sin enter the world. The second Adam was Christ, representing us when He died on the cross for our sins. Traditionally, a priest would go to the temple to kill a pure animal to pay for people's sins. The sacrifice was temporary, requiring the priest to perform the ritual annually. The Father sent His only Son as a final blood sacrifice to permanently and forever pay for our sins. When we accept Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, we are righteous in God's eyes. He no longer sees our sins but the same righteousness Jesus carried.

Practical Application

Remind yourself of the story. We can live in freedom through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ. What are you still hanging onto that Jesus paid for at the cross? Shame? Anxiety or worry? Addiction, maybe? Whatever it may be, hand it over to God and let Him speak to your heart.

Think of this good news: As a child of God, you're on the winning team! Christ already defeated the enemy at

the cross--one final sacrifice for all people.

Is there an area in your life where the enemy has a foothold? Maybe a persistent fear, an addiction, or a broken relationship? Today is the day to claim your victory in Christ by taking an active stand in your faith.

1. **The Word is Your Weapon:** Knowing and speaking the truth of God's Word will counter the devil's schemes. It's not just knowing the Word but boldly declaring it against the enemy. We can use the Word as a sword against falsehoods and lies the enemy plants in our minds. I want to encourage you to memorize verses relevant to your struggles as an active way to combat the enemy in every situation.
2. **Prayer is Power:** Position prayer as a tool to enforce your authority, dismantle the devil's plans, and protect yourself spiritually. Prayer is a direct line to Jesus, who has already defeated the devil. Through prayer we align ourselves with God's victory and His Power. Boldly declare your authority, breaking all spiritual strongholds in your household. Consistent prayer keeps us spiritually protected.
3. **Walking in God's Power:** Living a life surrendered to God, unlocks the full power and authority available in Christ. We should be abiding, not striving, true and lasting strength comes from surrender. When we step out in obedience to God, no matter how small, it creates a flow of power in our lives, but it is not by our own cleverness or might that creates this power, it's relying on the Holy Spirit who dwells within us.

The devil is not just a metaphorical concept, but a real spiritual entity who seeks to undermine God's plan and steal our joy. By actively wielding the sword of God's Word, engaging in strategic prayer, and surrendering our lives to Christ, we walk in the fullness of the dominion restored to us.

Reference Verses

- Genesis 1:26-28
- Psalms 8:5-6
- Luke 4:5-7
- Ezekiel 28:14
- 1 John 3:8
- James 2:26
- Romans 5:12
- 1 Corinthians 15:22-24, 15:45
- Galatians 2:20
- Mark 1:15, 1:27
- Colossians 2:15
- Revelation 1:18
- Hebrews 9:7, 9:12, 9:26-28
- Romans 4:25, 1:16
- 2 Corinthians 5:21
- Revelation 20:10

Declarations

- Jesus paid my debt so I can live a life of freedom.
- I'm made holy through Jesus' blood.
- Perishable things like silver or gold did not redeem me, but the precious Blood of Christ. (1 Peter 1:18-19)

What's Next?

Now it's time to write down anything the Lord has spoken to you. Praise Him, thank Him, and ask the Holy Spirit to help you walk this out.

Scripture References

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Genesis 1:27-28 NKJV So God created man in His *own* image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth."

Psalms 8:5-6 NKJV For You have made him a little lower than the angels, And You have crowned him with glory and honor. You have made him to have dominion over the works of Your hands; You have put all things under his feet...

Psalms 89:34 NKJV My covenant I will not break, Nor alter the word that has gone out of My lips.

James 2:26 NKJV For as the body without the spirit is dead...

2 Corinthians 5:17 NKJV Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.

Luke 4:5-7 NKJV Then the devil, taking Him up on a high mountain, showed Him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time. And the devil said to Him, "All this authority I will give You, and their glory; for this has been delivered to me, and I give it to whomever I wish."

2 Corinthians 4:4 KJV ...the god of this world...

Ezekiel 28:14 NKJV "You were the anointed cherub who covers..."

Psalms 89:34 NKJV My covenant I will not break, Nor alter the word that has gone out of My lips.

Revelation 20 NKJV REF

1 John 3:8 AMPC The reason the Son of God was made manifest (visible) was to undo (destroy, loosen, and dissolve) the works the devil [has done].

Genesis 3:15 NKJV "And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."

1 John 3:8 NKJV For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.

Romans 5:12 NKJV Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned—

Revelation 20:10 NKJV The devil, who deceived them, was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone where the beast and the false prophet are. And they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.

Revelation 21:4-5 NKJV And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away." Then He who sat on the throne said, "Behold, I make all things new."

1 Corinthians 15:45 NKJV And so it is written, "The first man Adam became a living being."

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Mark 1:27 NKJV Then they were all amazed, so that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What is this? What new doctrine is this? For with authority He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey Him."

Colossians 2:15 NKJV Having disarmed principalities and powers, He made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them in it.

Galatians 2:20 NKJV I have been crucified with Christ...

John 19:19 NKJV JESUS OF NAZARETH, THE KING OF THE JEWS.

Colossians 2:14 NKJV ...the handwriting of requirements that was against us...having nailed it to the cross.

Exodus 31:18 NKJV REF And when He had made an end of speaking with him on Mount Sinai, He gave Moses two tablets of the Testimony, tablets of stone, written with the finger of God.

Exodus 25:22 NKJV REF And there I will meet with you, and I will speak with you from above the mercy seat, from between the two cherubim which are on the ark of the Testimony, about everything which I will give you in commandment to the children of Israel.

1 Peter 1:18-19 NKJV ...knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, like silver or gold, from your aimless conduct received by tradition from your fathers, but with the precious blood of Christ...

Acts 20:28 NKJV ...God which He purchased with His own blood.

Hebrews 9:12 NKJV Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption.

Hebrews 10:10 NKJV By that will we have been sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

Romans 4:25 NKJV ...who was delivered up because of our offenses...

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2 Corinthians 5:21 NKJV For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

Romans 1:16-17 NKJV For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed...

2 Corinthians 5:8 NKJV ...to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord.