

Restoration from the Fall

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Man was created by the Master's Hands;
created in His image uniquely to stand.
He made man without blemish - completed
and finished,
so he could subdue the land and never
diminish.
He was gently fashioned by the Master's
Hands - both the man and the woman –
to fit in His plan.
Adam and Eve were placed in the Garden of
Eden, given instructions by God and told to
live there.
God gave Adam and Eve a choice.
He told them they could eat from every tree
in the Garden except one tree,
the tree of Good and Evil they were not to
eat from. Would they obey or disobey?
They disobeyed and ate the forbidden fruit.
Adam and Eve chose to be deceived by
Satan.
Man became a transgressor against God.
Man was now a sinner and could not carry
out God's divine plan.
Thanks be to God! He had a Master Plan,
and He chose to redeem fallen man.
Because of the fallen nature of Adam and
Eve, every person born is born in Adam's
sinful image.

All men and women are sinners upon being
born into the world.

For the scriptures teach us in Romans 5:12-
“Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into
the world, and death by sin, and so death
passed upon all men for they all have
sinned.”

Psalms 51:5, “Behold, I was shaped in
iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive
me.”

The sin debt had to be paid.

Man must be redeemed from his sinful
nature, or man is sentenced to hell for
eternity.

The sin debt had to be paid so that man can
come into fellowship with God and be made
righteous with God.

Jesus Christ was God manifested in the
flesh, and He came to fulfill the law.
(Matthew 5:17)

The law demanded a payment for sin.
Because God loves us so much (*we were
lost*), He gave His Only Begotten Son as
payment for our sins.

(John 3:16) For God so loved the world that
He gave His Only Begotten Son, that
whosoever believeth in Him should not
perish, but have everlasting life.

Jesus Christ paid the death penalty for our
sins.

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He died on the cross.

He arose from the grave on the third day
with all power in His hands.

Jesus took our place instead.

On a cross – profusely He bled.

Grace and mercy held His feet
so there would be no defeat.

Acts 16:31 - “Believe on the Lord Jesus
Christ, and thou shall be saved, and thy
house.”

Romans 10:9 “That if thou shalt confess
with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt
believe in thine heart that God hath raised
Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.”

Ephesians 2:8-9 “For by grace are ye saved
through faith, and that not of yourselves, it is
the gift of God, not of works, lest any man
should boast.”

Yes, indeed, Salvation is free!

But the price the Savior paid wasn't cheap.

God picked us up when we fell.

He made a way for us to escape a fiery hell.

