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Go	d's word mus	t be honored at all	
	tin	nes.	
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## "Walk By Faith"

The apostle Paul wrote in 2 Corinthians 5:7, "For we walk by faith, not by sight." This is our situation as we are at home in the body and absent from the Lord (2 Corinthians 5:6). What does this mean? We live our lives by trusting in the words of Christ since we don't see Him directly. Romans 10:17 says, "So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." We must hear the word of God to have faith. In Hebrews 11:6, the Bible says, "But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him." Notice that without faith we cannot please God. Therefore, without a word from God, we cannot please God. This is why it is critically important that we do everything by the authority of the Lord Jesus Christ (Colossians 3:17). We must have a word from God to walk by faith and to be pleasing to God. Consider what Paul wrote to the church in Thessalonica about being pleasing to God. He said, "Finally then, brethren, we urge and exhort in the Lord Jesus that you should abound more and more, just as you received from us how you ought to walk and to please God; for you know what commandments we gave you through the Lord Jesus" (1 Thessalonians 4:1-2). From this verse we learn that 1) we can please God; 2) we please God by walking according to the commandments the apostles gave us, 3) outside of receiving the commandments of the apostles, we cannot say that we are pleasing God. We must have a word from God to please Him.

God bless you, and I love you. Kevin Cauley

# The Paradoxes of the Cross

## JESUS CHRIST -

Came into the World 1 Tim. 1:15: Mt. 20:28 Was Born in Flesh Jno. 1:14: 1 Jno. 4:2-3 Was Born of Woman Gal. 4:4: Isa. 7:14

Became Son of Man Phil. 2:5-8; Lk. 19:10

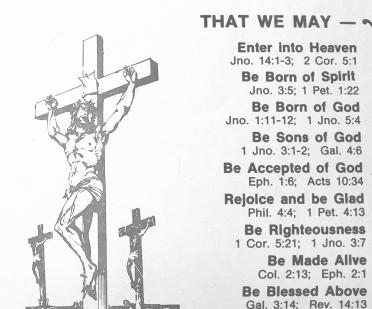
Was Rejected of Men Jno. 1:11-12: Isa. 53:3:

**Became Man of Sorrows** Isa. 53:3; Mt. 23:37

Was Made Sin for Us 2 Cor. 5:21; 1 Pet. 2:22-24

Was Put to Death Lk. 24:46; Mt. 16:21

Was Cursed on Earth Gal. 3:13; Isa. 53:7-8



**Enter into Heaven** 

Be Born of Spirit

Jno. 3:5; 1 Pet. 1:22

Be Born of God

**Be Sons of God** 

Eph. 1:6; Acts 10:34

Phil. 4:4; 1 Pet. 4:13

**Be Righteousness** 

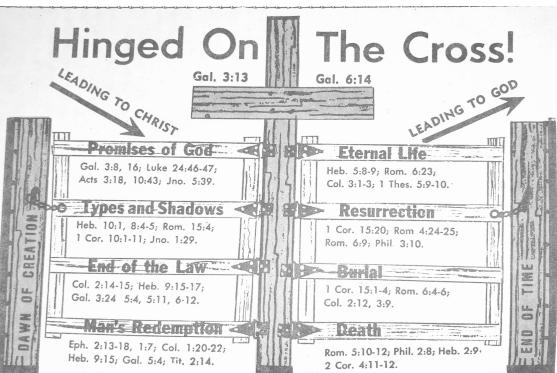
**Be Made Alive** 

Col. 2:13; Eph. 2:1

Gal. 3:14; Rev. 14:13 .

**Be Blessed Above** 

1 Jno. 3:1-2; Gal. 4:6



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# **OUR FAITH IN ACTION** SUNDAY, May 17, 2020

Bible Classes
AM Worship 59
PM Worship n/a
Contribution \$2,810.00
Average to Date \$3,083.68
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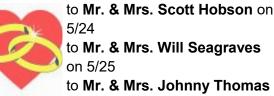
#### Wednesday, May 13-----

#### Happy Birthday to



Robin Upson on 5/24 Doug Wages on 5/28

## Happy Anniversary



5/24 to Mr. & Mrs. Will Seagraves on 5/25

to Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Thomas on 5/28

*Can* you help our pantry stay stocked? Canned fruit and Canned greens will round us out.





Please Pray For these in need

- With	
Don Grider	Clara Inman
James Love	Faith Salfen
Robin Upson	Enoies Curbow
Billy Johnson	Terry Woods
Amanda Georgakis and family	Juanita Hig- ginbotham
Winnie Tucker	Blake Drinkard
Sara Jo Vance	Meg Shelton
Juanita Shelton	Marie McPherson
Keith & Helen Clark	Charles Lansford



The Senior Class of New Boston High School announces its Commencement Exercises Friday, June 5,

2020, at 8 PM at the Lion Stadium. Facebook livestream will also convey the ceremony. (The invitation from Grace Duffer is posted on the bulletin board.)



Allie is Gayle Floyd's youngest granddaughter. She is graduating from Pearland High School here in TX. She's got plans to attend Texas Tech this Fall.