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Bible Class LESSON TEXTS

Sunday, October 31, 2021 #11	Wednesday, October 20, 2021 #12
Hagar; Sarah Laughs Gen 16:1-16; 18:1-15	Sodom and Gomorrah Gen 18:16-33; 19:1-29

GOD'S SALVATION PLAN

Divine Love:..... John 3:16
God's Grace: Ephesians 2:8
Christ's Blood:..... Romans 5:9
Holy Spirit's Word: Romans 1:16
Sinner's Faith: Acts 16:31
Sinner's Repentance:..... Luke 13:3
Sinner's Confession:..... Romans 10:10
Sinner's Baptism:..... Acts 22:16
Christian's Love: Matthew 22:37
Christian's Work: James 2:24
Christian's Hope: Romans 8:24
Christian's Endurance: Revelation 2:10

SERVICES

SUNDAY: WEDNESDAY:

Bible Class 9:30am Ladies' Bible Class
Worship 10:25 am 10:00 am

Worship 6:00 pm Bible Classes 7:00 pm

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John David Thomas	Blake Tyndell
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Happenings in God's Family



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Disqualified

“But I discipline my body and bring *it* into subjection, lest, when I have preached to others, I myself should become disqualified” (1 Corinthians 9:27).

When a person is disqualified, he has not met the minimum requirements to participate in something. In 1 Corinthians 9:24-27, Paul is talking about how being a Christian is like participating in sporting activities like running and boxing. If one has not sufficiently trained himself, he will not be able to compete and earn the crown of victory. He concludes that he must bring his body into subjection so that he will not be disqualified himself. How could the apostle Paul have been disqualified?

He could have been disqualified by not exercising his faith. In the very next chapter, he discusses how the children of Israel failed to exercise their faith and consequently fell in the wilderness. He concludes, “Therefore let him who thinks he stands take heed lest he fall” (1 Corinthians 10:12). He knew that he was subject to that warning also. That was why he practiced self-discipline.

He could have been disqualified by not exercising self-control. Paul made it clear that sin was not to reign in our bodies. In Romans 6:12, he wrote, “Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its lusts.” One must practice self-control, one of the fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:23). Lack of self-control leads to fulfilling the works of the flesh, and those who practice such will not inherit the kingdom of God. They will be disqualified.

Not everyone will be qualified to enter heaven. Jesus said that only a few would (Matthew 7:14) and that the lawless would not (Matthew 7:23). We must be faithful if we expect to receive the crown of life (Revelation 2:10).

God bless you, and I love you.

Kevin Cauley

OUR FAITH IN ACTION
Wednesday, Oct 20, 2021

Evening -----	41
SUNDAY, Oct 17, 2021	
AM Bible class-----	57
AM Worship-----	79
PM Worship-----	44
Contribution-----	\$3,367.00
Average to Date-----	\$2,828.87
Budget-----	\$3,100.00

Servants, Oct 31	
Announcements: Tommy McGee	
AM Prayers	PM Prayers
Jim Patterson	Ernest Shelton
Jamey Thomas	Dave Conley
Lord's Table	
Ben Dooley	Derrell Patterson
Mike Raney	
PM Communion: Mike Raney	
Pick up cards: Gavin Cauley	
Servants, Nov 7	
Announcements: Ernest Shelton, Jr	
AM Prayers	PM Prayers
Jim Patterson	Scott Overstreet
Ben Dooley	Mike Raney
Lord's Table	
Thomas McGee	Jimmy Smith
Jamey Thomas	
PM Communion: Jamey Thomas	
Pick up cards: Maddux Tyndell	
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Please Pray for ...

Don Grider Mary Hankins Meg Shelton Winnie Tucker Marie McPherson James Love Clara Inman Mary Hankins Amanda Georgakis Charles Downs Stephanie Wages Norma Crawford Stephanie Lebsack James Posey Janiece Richardson Jimmie Thomas Jamey Thomas Valerie Martin Jon Schwiethale Axton Hornbuckle Dale Stephens Tim White, Mary Jo Orr's dad	Wyvon May Faith Salfen Gerald Watkins Robin Upson Blake Drinkard Keith & Helen Clark Ginger Plumlee Henry Murray Kimberly (Shute) McDaniel Cayden Harris Linda Roberts Vince Hardage Virginia Parrish Marc Higgs Eddie Wayne Parrish Art Schwiethale Cameron Taylor Romeo Romo Peyton Clark
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<u>Birthdays!</u>	
Janie Martin	Nov 6
Deacon Tyndell	Nov 6
Russell Tyndell	Nov 6

Reminder
 Daylight Savings Time ends November 7



Canned beans
 (green, navy, kidney, lima, pinto)

The Wrath of God

The wrath of God is His eternal detestation of all unrighteousness. It is the displeasure and indignation of Divine equity against evil. It is the holiness of God stirred into activity against sin. It is the moving cause of that just sentence which He passes upon evil-doers. God is angry against sin because it is a rebelling against His authority, a wrong done to His inviolable sovereignty. Insurrectionists against God's government shall be made to know that God is the Lord. They shall be made to feel how great that Majesty is which they despise, and how dreadful is that threatened wrath which they so little regarded. Not that God's anger is a malignant and malicious retaliation, inflicting injury for the sake of it, or in return for injury received. No; while God will vindicate His dominion as the Governor of the universe, He will not be vindictive.

That Divine wrath is one of the perfections of God is not only evident from the considerations presented above, but is also clearly established by the express declarations of His own Word. "For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven" (Rom_1:18). Robert Haldane comments on this verse as follows:

It was revealed when the sentence of death was first pronounced, the earth cursed, and man driven out of the earthly paradise; and afterwards by such examples of punishment as those of the Deluge and the destruction of the Cities of the Plain by fire from heaven; but especially by the reign of death throughout the world. It was proclaimed in the curse of the law on every transgression, and was intimated in the institution of sacrifice. In the 8th of Romans, the apostle calls the attention of believers to the fact that the whole creation has become subject to vanity, and groaneth and travaileth together in pain. The same creation which declares that there is a God, and publishes His glory, also proclaims that He is the Enemy of sin and the Avenger of the crimes of men . . . But above all, the wrath of God was revealed from heaven when the Son of God came down to manifest the Divine character, and when that wrath was displayed in His sufferings and death, in a manner more awful than by all the tokens God had before given of His displeasure against sin. Besides this, the future and eternal punishment of the wicked is now declared in terms more solemn and explicit than formerly. Under the new dispensation there are two revelations given from heaven, one of wrath, the other of grace.

To be continued next week.
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