

There is an example in the side which really shows whoever calls on Jesus will have eternal life. There was a blind beggar named Bartimaeus sitting on the side of the road. He had no job or a place to live. He depended on his begging to survive. One day, he heard a great commotion and asked what was happening. He was told Jesus of Nazareth was passing by. He called out to Jesus, but the crowd told him to be quiet. He yelled louder calling Jesus the Messiah, the Savior. Jesus stopped and had Bartimaeus brought to him. Jesus then healed his eyes and said your faith, has saved you! God's love was on the blind beggar, and with his confession came eternal life! If God's love could reach down to Bartimaeus, it certainly can reach you.

Luke 18:42 And Jesus said unto him, Receive thy sight: thy faith hath saved thee,

Eternal Life

The Bible says that God loves the world, but only whosoever trusts in Jesus as Savior will be in heaven. In the Book of Revelation, there is a verse telling us why the people are in heaven. They believed Jesus died and shed his blood for them! These people are from every tribe, language, all people and every nation. This is because God loves the world.

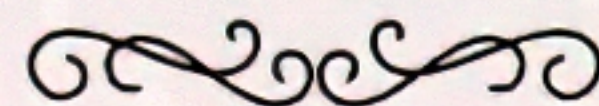
Revelation 5:9... for you were slain, and have redeemed us to God by your blood out of every tribe, and tongue, and people, and nation;

To receive God's love and assurance of eternal life, a prayer like this will do:

"God I repent of sin and turn to Jesus Christ. I believe that in love you sent Jesus to die on the cross and shed his blood to pay the price for my sin. I also believe he rose from the dead. I now confess Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior. Because Jesus is my Savior, I now have eternal life, and you are now my Abba Father. Thank you in Jesus name."

Father, you also sent Jesus to heal the brokenhearted. I ask you heal all the readers of a broken heart: a heart broken from the passing of a loved one, violence, full of fear and depression, a broken family, being molested or subject to trauma. Please free all minds in bondage to strongholds of sin. Father, free all who are oppressed of the devil and in torment. And, with your great love, free anyone thinking of suicide or addicted to drugs. May everyone experience your great love, joy and peace.

Romans 8:32 He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all, how shall he not with him also freely give us all things?



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JOHN 3:16

God
**so loved the world,
that He gave His only
begotten Son.**



**that whosoever believeth in
Him should not perish, but
have everlasting life.
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For God so Loved the World

The Bible tells whoever is reading this brochure that God loves you. It does not matter your age, sex, wealth, position in life, where you live or what your background is God loves you. This is very comforting to know the Creator of the universe loves you. With all the incredible power God has as the Creator, at his core, the Bible says that God is love. Because God is love, he is very interested in a love relationship with you.

1 John 4:8 He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.

God created us in his image and likeness. This means because God is love, he created us to receive and give his love. There is a place in our inner being that is made for God's love.

There are three things we need physically to live which are air, water and food. Without air we die in minutes: without water in days and without food a month. This is also true spiritually. To live spiritually, we need love, faith and hope. Without love people can be hateful, cruel, show no mercy and emotionless, murderers and those with a loathing for God.

These people are spiritually dead, but the people filled with God's love are full of peace, joy, mercy, and kindness.

What exactly is the love relationship God wants with us? This relationship is that of a loving father with his very young children. This is very tender where the children call him daddy or in Hebrew "Abba." This love is deep, and powerful and Abba Father never leaves or forsakes his little children!

Romans 8:15 For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father.

How can you be sure God loves you? Words are easy to say without real meaning. There are professional liars who can easily fool you with words. Words by themselves without being tested have little assurance. The best way to test someone's word is by watching their actions. It's the action which shows the real person. By testing God's action we can completely trust his word. The ultimate proof is God sent Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, to die on the cross to pay the penalty for your sin. There can be no greater proof than this!

1 John 4:5 in this was manifested love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him.

That He Gave His Only Begotten Son

Romans 5:8 But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

The reason God sent Jesus Christ into the world was to die on the cross and shed his blood to pay the penalty for our sin. God is holy and his holiness will not allow us into heaven without the penalty of sin being paid. The penalty is separation from God in a place called hell. Although God is holy but, because of his love through Jesus Christ, he paid the penalty for our sin. We now can have assurance of eternal life in heaven with Abba Father.

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Whosoever Believes in Him Should Not Perish, But have Everlasting Life