



***What good thing shall I do, that I may have eternal life?***  
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**In one occasion a young man came to Jesus and said:**  
And, behold, one came and said unto him, **Good Master**,  
***what good thing shall I do, that I may have eternal life?***

**Jesus said to him**, “***Why do you call Me good?*** No one is good but One, that is, God: but if you want ton enter into life, keep the commandments. (Matthew 19:16-30; Mark 10:17-31, Luke 18:18-30)

**Approximately 1500 years before the birth of Jesus Christ, God revealed to Moisés, the prophet, “the Decalogue”, that is to say, the Ten Commadments. That they are in the Old Testament in Exodus - 20:1 17 and Deuteronomy 5:1 – 21:**

- 1** And God spoke all these words, saying,
- 2** I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.
- 3** You shall have no other gods before Me.
- 4** You shall not make for yourself a carved image, any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth;
- 5** you shall not bow down to then nor serve them. For I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the

fathers upon the children to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me;

**6** But showing mercy to thousands, to those who love Me, and keep My commandments.

**7** You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes His name in vain.

**8** Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

**9** Six days you shall labor and do all your work,

**10** but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD your God. In it you shall no work: you, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your male servant, nor your female servant, nor your cattle, nor your stranger who is within your gates.

**11** For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.

**12** Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long upon the land which the LORD your God giving you.

**13** You shall not kill.

**14** You shall not commit adultery.

**15** You shall not steal.

**16** You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

**17** You shall not covet your neighbor's house, you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his male servant, nor his female servant, nor his ox, nor his donkey, nor anything that is your neighbor's.

**The young man said to Him,** All these things I have kept from my youth. What do I still lack?

**Jesus said to him,** If you want to be perfect, go, sell what do you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me.

But when the young man heard that saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.

When his disciples heard it, they were greatly astonished, saying:

## ***“Who then can be saved?”***

**But Jesus looked at them and said to them,** With men this is impossible; but with God all things are possible.

**There are many people that are looking are trying to find a way to become save, but in occasion they want to do it their own way, with their own strength, which makes it even harder. In other words, base on the Holy scriptures ( The Bible) I will try to show you the way.**

### ***I. You have to reconize:***

#### ***1. The excistece of God and his works.***

“Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one! You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. And these words which I command you today, shall be in your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.

You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. You shall write

them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.”  
**Deuteronomy 6:4-9.**

*I believe in Natural Spiritual and Infinite, Immutable, Creative and Governing God of Visible and the Invisible things and the Spiritual things; with the supreme intention to rescue or to redeem the Humanity”.*

**2. The Love Gob is always shown towards the nature and humanity.**

*“For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” John 3:16*

**3. All human kind are siners.**

*“For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God”. Romans 3:23*

**4. Sin separates mankind form God.**

*The sin is a condition characterized by the “non-conformance of the law”, rejection to the will of God; it not simply represents a disordered state, but a confused state of rebellion against God. The sin is a disobedient attitude that the man shows before the will of God, that can be established through statutes, rules and orders. The consequences of the sin are: the guilt and Sorrow.*

*The guilt is the personal feeling of to have transgressed a law and that follows the act of the sin.*

*The Sorrow takes with himself the punishment thought that follows the sin. This punishment can come the natural consequences as resulting from, or can be the direct result of the action of God. The main pain of the sin is the death.*

“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.” **Romans 6:23**

“*In essence, the sin is to separate from God*” **Lutero**

“*The one who took sin lightly never took God seriously*” **Owen**

“*The sin can begin shining as the morning but will finish dark as the night*” **Talmage**

“*At the outset the sin is plecent, soon it becomes successively delicious, it frequents, habitual, and finally it holds fast. Also the sinners are made impertinent, obstinate, resolute never regret, until sinking to the aim in the ruin*”. **Leighton**

“*You compensate them that the sin offers to the sinners; are life, pleasure, and gain; but the wage that pays to him is the death, torment and destruction. In order to include/understand the falsification and the deceit of the sin it is necessary compares its promises with its payment*”. **South**

“*The recognition of the sin is the principle of the salvation*”  
**Lutero**

## **5. Jesus is The Son of God.**

“*But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and by his stripes we are healed.*” **Isaiah 53:5**

**Jesus said:**

***“Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me.” John 14:1***

***“Jesus said to him, I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.” John 14:6***



- 6. You must recognize that you are a sinner and that you need to be saved.***

***“But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”. Romans 5:8***

***II. you have to accept:***

- 1. That the sacrifice of Jesus Christ and its Blood has the power to liberate you from all sin,***
- 2. Jesus as your personal Savior and spiritual guide for your life.***

“And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.”  
John 17:3

*“My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish, neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand.”* John 10:27-28

### **III. You have to live for Jesus in hollynss:**

#### **1. Live a life full of prayers.**

“Continue earnestly in prayer, being vigilant in it with thanksgiving”. *Colossians 4:2*

#### **1. Read the Bible.**

*“ This book of the law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success. ”*  
Joshua 1:8

**JESUS said:** *“ You search the scriptures; for in them you think have eternal life; and these are they which testify of Me..”* John 5:39

**PAUL said:** *“All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, that the man*

*of God may be perfect, throughly equipped for every good work." 2 Timothy 3:16-17.*

*"For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope."*

**Romans 15:4**

*"For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart." Hebrews 4:12*

*"So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." Romans 10:17*

*"And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God."*

**Ephesians 6:17**

*"Till I come, give attention to reading, to exhortation, to doctrine. Do not neglect the gift that is in you, which was given to you by prophecy with the laying on of the hands of the presbytery. Meditate on these things; give yourself entirely to them; that your progress may evident to all. Take heed to yourself and to the doctrine. Continue in them, for in doing this you will save both yourself, and those that hear you."*

**1 Timothy 4:13-16; Romans 12:7**

*The Bible contains the mind of God, the state of the man, the footpath of the salvation, the ruin of the sinners, the happiness of the believers. Its doctrines are holy, its immutable decisions. Read it to believe, believe it for your security, practices it so that you can become holy. It contains light to guide us, food to fill our soul, and consolation to rejoice us. It is the map of the traveler, the compass of the pilot, the sword of the soldier and the record of the Christian. It is here where the paradise is*

recovered, the sky is opened and the doors of hell are discovered. Christ is the matter, our good is its aim, and its aim the glory of God. It must flood the memory, govern the heart and guide the feet. Read it slow and daily and with an attitude of oration. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory and a river of pleasing. It is offered to you in the life, it will be opened in the day of the judgment, and lasted for always. It involves the responsibility but high, it compensated the glorious work and it condemned those who plays with their content". **Whitehead**

**2. Attend a Christian Congregation.**

*“One thing I have desired of the LORD, that will I seek; that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the LORD, and to enquire in his temple.” Psalms 27:4*

**3. Life the way Jesus lived. ( I recomend that you read the book of Mattew, Mark, Luck and John),**

**4. Remember that we have enemies.**

*- These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world. John 16:33*

*- Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. 1 Peter 5:8*

*- Put on the whole armour of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.*

*Ephsians 6:11*

*- Lest Satan should take advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices. 2 Corinthians 2:11*

*- The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light. [Romans 13:12](#)*

*- Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. [James 4:7](#)*

## **Psalm 103**

*1 Bless the LORD, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless his holy name.*

*2 Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits:*

*3 Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases;*

*4 Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies;*

*5 Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things; so that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's.*

*6 The LORD executeth righteousness and judgment for all that are oppressed.*

**I recomend you read the following passages of the Bible:  
Isaiah 53 ; Philippians 2:5-11**

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