

JESUS... REDEEMS THE WORLD
Christmas... Free For All – Part 2
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Matthew 1:22-23 (CEV) *"So the Lord's promise came true, just as the prophet had said, 'A virgin will have a baby boy, and He will be called Immanuel,' which means 'God is with us.'"*

Luke 2:11 (NIV) *"Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is Christ the Lord."*

WHY DO YOU NEED TO BE REDEEMED?

Answer: Because of _____!

Descriptions Of Sin...

1. Sin is _____ against God's standard.

Deuteronomy 5:29 (CEV) *"I wish they would always worship Me with fear and trembling and be this willing to obey Me! Then they and their children would always enjoy a successful life."*

2. Sin is _____ from God's standard.

Isaiah 53:6 (NASB95) *"All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way."*

3. Sin is _____ of God's standard.

Romans 3:23 (TLB) *"Yes, all have sinned; all fall short of God's glorious ideal."*

HOW CAN YOU BE REDEEMED?

Σ Receive God's _____

Ephesians 1:7 (NIV) *"In Him (Christ) we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace."*

DEFINITION: To Redeem = to _____

You Have Redemption Value!

Matthew 1:20b-21 (CEV) *"Joseph, the baby that Mary will have is from the Holy Spirit. Go ahead and marry her. ²¹ Then after her baby is born, name Him Jesus, because He will save His people from their sins."*

Σ Receive God's _____

John 8:34 & 36 (NIV) *"I tell you the truth, everyone who sins is a slave to sin. ³⁶ So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed."*

Romans 3:24 (NIV) *"...and (we) are justified freely by His grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus."*

Ephesians 2:8 (NIV) *"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith--and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God."*

Σ Receive God's _____

Ephesians 2:4-5 (NIV) *"But because of His great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, ⁵ made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions--it is by grace you have been saved."*

1 John 4:9-10 (NIV) *"This is how God showed His love among us: He sent His one and only Son into the world that we might live through Him. ¹⁰ This is love: not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins."*