

Welcome to the church of Christ at Alisal



Sermon for the Lord's Day

The book of Philippians
The Heavenly Perspective (Part 3)

Announcements **Alisal Weekly**

1. **Romans Class This Wednesday at 6:30 pm** - Chapter 13 #4
2. **Wednesday Invitation** - Kerry
3. **Today-** Class, Worship starting at 9:00am. Love to see you here.



Prayer List

1. **Rosemarie Johnson** - for healing and comfort from her neck and back pain.
2. **Don Blackwell** - for continued healing and preaching the Word.
3. **Norma Decker** - for better health and determination to be with us.
4. **Beverly Pereira** - for improved health as well as a stronger desire to attend
5. **Loyd Barry** - for finding other Christians to worship with in Elko, Nevada
6. **David and Patty Kirby** - for peace and comfort in their life.
7. **Path Star** - for total healing of her hip replacement and less pain.
8. **Those outside the body of Christ** - for to be like Lydia whose heart the Lord opened, that she attended unto the things which were spoken of Paul.(Acts 16:14)

We are praying for you!

Where in the Bible Will I Find a Second Chance to Be Saved?

Gary Colley

Just as there must have been those who cried out to Noah after the door of the Ark was shut and the water began to rise, no doubt, also, there will be those who will desire just one more day, hour or minute when the Judgment Day arrives!

Things of importance should be taken care of immediately when we know the right course. Procrastination or putting off our obedience to the Gospel will have eternal consequences (Mark 16:15-16; 2 Thessalonians 1:7-9)! All men have a choice to make between the Lord's church and the world, right and wrong, good and evil, the "narrow way" and the "broad way" (Matthew 7:13-14). Yes, all men have a choice, but none will have a second chance! "Now is the day of salvation" is the message, while, also, the apostle Paul exhorted all to not "receive the grace of God in vain" (2 Corinthians 6:1-2). The writer of Hebrews said, "And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment: so Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation" (Hebrews 9:27-28).

Peter wrote to give the events of the sudden, unexpected appearance of Christ in these words. "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up" (2 Peter 3:9-10).

Jesus said, "And these [the wicked] shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the righteous into life eternal" (Matthew 25:46). All of these verses emphasize the importance of preparation "in this life." There is no indication in the Bible that there will be a second chance, a place called purgatory or that after death we can escape from Hell into Heaven.

Paul wrote, "For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and Godly in this present world" (Titus 2:11-12). Obey today (Hebrews 5:8-9)!

THE JEZEBEL SPIRIT

1. SHE RULES HER HUSBAND
2. SHE LOVES TO MANIPULATE
3. SHE FALSELY ACCUSES THE GODLY
4. SHE USES LUST TO CONTROL
5. SHE CLAIMS TO BE RELIGIOUS
6. SHE REFUSES TO ACCEPT GUILT
7. SHE IS UNGRATEFUL TO GOD

THE RUTH SPIRIT

1. SHE SUBMITS TO HER HUSBAND
2. SHE LOVES TO SERVE OTHERS
3. SHE HONORS GOD'S LEADERS
4. SHE LIVES MODESTLY AND PURE
5. SHE WALKS WITH THE LORD
6. SHE IS HUMBLE & REPENTANT
7. SHE IS GRATEFUL TO GOD

One day an expert in religious law stood up to test Jesus by asking him this question: "Teacher, what should I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus replied, "What does the law of Moses say? How do you read it?" The man answered, "You must love the LORD your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your strength, and all your mind." And, 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'" "Right!" Jesus told him. "Do this and you will live!" — Luke 10:25-28

Thought:

A couple of observations are worth making on this interchange: First, Jesus was being tested by a critic. However, Jesus didn't just brush him off but instead engaged him in honest and meaningful teaching. Second, Jesus affirmed the expert for his insight into the truth and affirmed that loving God and our neighbors is a great summary of God's law given through Moses. However, Jesus reminded the expert (and us as well) that the heart of God's truth is not just knowing it, but doing it. God's blessing comes *when we put his truth into practice!*

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*And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.
Genesis 1:3*



A Night of Magic - Dave Bamg

Meeting Days and Times

Sunday 9:00 am Class - 10:00 Worship
Wednesday Bible Class, singing & prayer - 6:30 pm

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