

“The Precious Blood Of Christ”

Text: 1 Peter 1:18-19

Introduction:

- The word “precious” means – Of great price; costly; Of great value or worth; very valuable; Highly valued; much esteemed.
- This morning we want to see why the Blood of Christ is so precious.

1. Colossians 1:14

- a. The believer has **redemption** through the precious blood of Christ (purchase back from the slave market of sin).
- b. The believer has the **forgiveness** sins through the precious blood of Christ.
 - **Psalm 103:12**

2. Romans 5:9

- a. The believer is **justified** through the precious blood of Christ.
 - Justification – is a changed standing. The believer is no longer a sinner in God’s sight because God puts Christ’s righteousness on the account of his people.
 - See **2 Cor. 5:21**.
- b. The believer is saved from **wrath** through the precious blood of Christ.
 - The wrath of God – without the blood – lake of fire.
 - The wrath of God during the tribulation –
 - See **Revelation 14:10**

3. Acts 20:28

- The church was purchased by God’s own precious blood
- See **Genesis 22:8**

4. **Hebrews 9:14**

- The believer's **conscience is purged** from dead works through the precious blood of Christ.
 - There are things that we have done in our past and we know that we are cleansed and forgiven but they still keep coming up.
 - Need to claim the blood of Christ to purge out and burn out and get rid of that thing.
 - Use the blood as a cleansing agent.

5. **Ephesians 2:12**

- The believer is brought **nigh** or close to God by the precious blood of Christ.

6. **Colossians 1:20**

- The believer has **peace** with God through the precious blood of Christ.
- The believer has **reconciliation** with God through the precious blood of Christ.
 - To call back into union and friendship the affections which have been alienated.

7. **Revelation 12:11**

- The believer can **overcame** the devil by the precious blood of Christ.
 - Context is "**accuser of the brethren**" – the devil in V. 10.

8. **1 John 1:7 & Revelation 1:5**

- The believer is **cleansed** and **washed** by the precious blood of Christ.
- **Isaiah 1:18**

Conclusion:

- We have seen that the blood of Christ is precious because –
 - The believer has **redemption** through the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer has the **forgiveness** sins through the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer is **justified** through the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer is saved from **wrath** through the precious blood of Christ
 - The church was purchased by God's own precious blood
 - The believer's conscience is purge from dead works through the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer is brought **nigh or close** to God by the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer has **peace** with God through the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer has **reconciliation** with God through the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer can **overcame** the devil by the precious blood of Christ
 - The believer is **cleansed** and **washed** by the precious blood of Christ