

SAVIOR - SAVIOR OF THE WORLD

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"And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were very afraid. And the angel said unto them, 'Fear not, for behold, I bring you goodnews of great joy, which shall be for all people. For unto you there is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; you shall find the Baby wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.' And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.' " (Luke 2:8-11-14)

"No man has seen God at any time. If we love one another, God dwells in us, and His love is perfected in us. By this we know that we dwell in Him, and He in us, because He has given us of His Spirit. And we have seen and do testify that the Father sent the Son to be the Savior of the World. Whoever shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, God dwells in him, and he in God." (1John 4:12-14-15)

Savior: from the greek word Sōtēr which means: a savior, a deliverer, a preserver. Properly, the Savior, Jesus Christ, who saves believers from their sins and delivers them safely into heaven.

World: from the greek word kosmou (kosmos) which means: "something ordered (orderly)" – properly, an "ordered (orderly) system" - like the universe, the creation, the world; figuratively: all mankind throughout the ages.

Jesus is a Savior, the Savior of the World, the Savior of all the inhabitants of the earth, specifically whoever has, or yet shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, and the Fathers promised and given Messiah who died on the Cross for the forgiveness of our sins - Christ the Lord! Consider these supporting scriptures:

"And many of the Samaritans of that city believed on Him (Jesus) because of the word of the woman, who testified, 'He told me all that ever I did.' So when the Samaritans came unto Him, they asked Him that He would stay with them; and He stayed there two days. And many more believed because of His own word; and they said unto the woman, 'Now we believe, not just because of your words; for we have heard Him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ, the Savior of the world.' " (John 4:39-42)

"Do not be therefore ashamed of the testimony of our Lord (Jesus), nor of me His prisoner: but be partakers of the afflictions of the gospel according to the power of God; who has **Saved** us, and called us with an holy calling, not according to our works, but according to His own purpose and grace, which was given to us in Christ Jesus before the world began; but is now made manifest by the appearing of our Savior Jesus Christ, who has abolished death, and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel." (2 Timothy 1:8-10)

"Then Peter and the other apostles answered and said, 'We ought to obey God rather than men. The God of our fathers raised up Jesus, whom you slew and hanged on a cross. Him (Jesus), has God exalted to His right hand to be a Prince and Savior, to give repentance to Israel, and **forgiveness of sins**. And we are His witnesses of these things; and so is also the Holy Spirit, whom God has given to those who obey Him." (Acts 5:31)

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The Father is also called the Savior:

“I, even I, am the LORD; and beside Me there is no **Savior**.” (Isaiah 43:11)

“But when the kindness and **love-of-mankind** (*philanthrōpia*) of **God our Savior** appeared, and not by works of righteousness that we have done, but according to His mercy - **He Saved us**, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Spirit; which He shed on us abundantly **through Jesus Christ our Savior**; that being justified by His grace, we should be made heirs according to the hope of Eternal Life.”
(Titus 3:4-6-7)

Note that both the Father and The Son, Jesus, are called Savior! And because the Father and the Son are 'One' – it can be correctly said that there is only **'one' Savior** for **the World's** inhabitants! Consider the following verses:

“The next day John (the Baptist) saw Jesus coming unto him, and said, 'Behold **the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the World**. This is He of whom I said, 'After me comes a Man who is preferred before me;' for He existed before me.’” (John 1:29-31)

“And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up (crucified up on the cross for the forgiveness of our sins); so that **whoever** believes in Him should not perish, but have Eternal Life. **For God so loved** (*ēgapēsen*) **the World**, that He gave His only Begotten Son, that whoever believes **in Him** (Jesus) should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent His Son into the world not to condemn the World; but that **the World through Him (Jesus) might be saved**. He who believes on Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the **Name** of the only begotten Son of God.” (John 3:14-18)

The Name of the only begotten Son of God is Jesus! And the name Jesus comes from the Greek word: 'Iesous' which is the Greek form of the Hebrew name Joshua which means: Jehovah-is-Salvation!

JESUS IS ... The Savior, the Savior of the World!

There is no other Savior!

There is no other Savior in whom we might be saved – but Jesus!

There is no other Savior through whom we might obtain Eternal Life – but Jesus!

Jesus is the only Savior who God the Father has sent to be the Savior of all mankind!

There is no other Savior through whom our sins might be forgiven!

Glory to You God Most High!

**For You Loved, and Loved us so very much, that You gave us Jesus,
Your only Begotten Son to be our Messiah, and our Lord, and our Prince,
and our Savior !!!**

Thank You Father, and thank You Jesus! Always and always!