

**Title: The finished work of Christ**

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**Matthew 5:9**

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.  
by the power of God.

**Jesus came to save the world**

**John 12:46**

I have come into the world as light, so that whoever believes in me may not remain in darkness.

**Jesus came to be the Example**

**John 13:15**

For I have **given you an example**, that **you also should do** just as I have done to you.

**John 13:34-35**

<sup>34</sup>A **new commandment** I give to you, that you **love one another**; as I have loved you, that you also love one another. <sup>35</sup>By this all will know that you are My disciples, **if you have love for one another.**"

**The Example leads to heaven**

**John 14:6**

Jesus said to him, "**I am the way**, and the **truth**, and the **life**. No one comes to the Father except through me.

**The Example will prune us**

**John 15:13**

**Greater love** has no one than this, that someone **lay down his life** for his friends.

**The Helper to be like the Example**

**John 16:13**

When the **Spirit of truth** comes, he will **guide you** into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the **things that are to come**.

## Our sorry will turn into joy

### John 16:23-24

<sup>23</sup>In that day you will ask nothing of me. Truly, truly, I say to you, **whatever you ask** of the Father in my name, he will give it to you. <sup>24</sup>Until now you have asked nothing in my name. **Ask, and you will receive**, that **your joy may be full**

## This is the Example

### John 18:37

Then Pilate said to him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For **this purpose I was born** and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice."

### John 19:17

and he (Jesus) went out, bearing his own cross,

## The Example is the Son of God

### Matthew 27:54

When the centurion and those who were with him, keeping watch over Jesus, saw the earthquake and what took place, they were filled with awe and said, "**Truly this was the Son of God!**"

## The choice is ours

### Luke 23:43

And he said to him, "Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

## Jesus is the Redeemer

### John 20:21-22

<sup>21</sup>Jesus said to them again, "**Peace be with you**. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." <sup>22</sup>And when he had said this, **he breathed on them** and said to them, "**Receive the Holy Spirit**."

## The finished work of the cross

### John 20:23

If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld."

## Therefore

### Micah 6:8

He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to **do justice**, and to **love kindness**, and to **walk humbly** with your God?