

Love Can Change Things Around

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“How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!
And that is what we are!”

1 John 3:1

My Testimony

Cheuk Kwan (10 years old)

Before I accepted Jesus, I was always sad. My mom and my sister are in Hong Kong, and I'm attending school here in California. Last year, my third grade teacher was very mean to me, which made me even sadder.

I came to church and heard about Jesus. I know Jesus is light, and I sin. Jesus died for me, and his blood cleans my sin, so I accepted Jesus as my Savior. Every day I pray. After I accepted Jesus, I am very happy.

One time, my mom called me and told me that her back hurts and that she couldn't find a job. I shared this with my after school teacher who is also a Christian. She and my classmates prayed together with me. Afterwards, I heard a message that my mom left me on the answering machine that her back was healed. I thought to myself that praying looks simple, but it can give you power.



Luke 3:22:

"...And a voice came from heaven: "You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased."

How does God see me?

God made me. God loves me and He is very pleased with me.

Sharlene Fang (10 years old)

I am the Lord's child, because I have received the Lord Jesus. He loves me forever and his love will endure forever. Even if I do something wrong, he will still love me. His love will never change. He will always be the joy of my life.

Luke 18:13

"But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, 'God, have mercy on me, a sinner.'

2 Corinthians 7:10

"Godly sadness causes us to turn away from our sins and be saved."

How do I deal with my sin?

When I have a humble heart, I know I'm a sinner. I'll turn to God and ask for forgiveness.

Caleb Wang (10 years old)

I have received Jesus Christ as my savior. God has reserved a spot for me in heaven. I can have eternal life. There will be no darkness or evil in heaven. About two years ago, I made a decision to accept Jesus Christ. Since then, whenever I do something wrong, I ask God for forgiveness.

Hebrews9:22

“In fact, the law requires that nearly everything be cleansed with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness.”

Hebrews 9:28

“Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many people...”

What is the way to reunite with God?

Jesus shed His blood to wash away my sin. I’m saved and forgiven when I receive Jesus Christ as my Savior.

Christian Han Wu(11 years old)

I have accepted Jesus Christ as my savior. Confessing my sin to God is very important because I can reunite with God and he can forgive my sins. When I am forgiven, I feel like I can be trusted by God. I will try to sin less and if I sin I will ask for God's forgiveness.



“What, then, shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all – how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things? Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died – more than that, who was raised to life – is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? As it is written : “For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered.” No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loves us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

How do I see my relationship with God?

Nothing can separate me from the love of God. No matter what, I remain in the love of Jesus Christ.

Catherine Huang(11 years old)

I received Jesus Christ as my savior. I learned from the Bible that nothing will be able to separate me from God. Once I learned this, I felt relieved that when I feel lonely/scared, there will always be someone looking after me.

1John 1:9

“If we confess our sin, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.”

How do I respond to God’s unconditional love?

Unlike people’s love, God’s love is unconditional. God loves and forgives me. He won’t condemn me. So, I will not go astray. I want to turn around to God every day.

Jay Feng(10 years old)

Nobody can go to heaven without believing in Jesus. I have received Jesus Christ as my savior. I believe in God and will go to heaven someday. God’s unconditional love is how God loves me no matter what. Even if I sin a lot, God still loves me. I am afraid of me getting into trouble, but I know that God still loves me and if I confess my sin, he will forgive me.



2 Corinthians 2:14

"But thanks be to God, who always leads us in triumphal procession in Christ and through us spreads everywhere the fragrance of the knowledge of him."

What does that mean to serve God?

People see Jesus through me. To witness God is to serve God, and that is the act of my love to God.

Rebecca Liu (8 years old)

I received Jesus Christ as my savior and I know that he will lift my spirits up when I am sad. I know that he is preparing a special place for me in heaven. When Jesus Christ is in my heart, I will say nice words to people. I would not shout, push, or kick because I am zero tolerance. At school, I help people when they are crying. If they are hurt, I bring them to the office. If they are sad, I cheer them up. I want them to know that I have accepted Jesus Christ in my heart. I also want them to see Jesus through me and that is how I serve God.

Romans 7:6

“But now, we have been released from the law so that we serve in the new way of the Spirit, and not in the old way of the written code.”

James 4:7,8

“Submit yourselves, then, to God...Come near to God and he will come near to you...”

How do I serve God?

Jesus loves me so much, so I submit myself to Him. I serve God not by my preferences but in the presence of Holy Spirit.

Joyce Shiah (11 years old)

Jesus Christ is my Savior. He died on the cross to wash away my sin. I want to be near to him by putting him top priority. Also I want to serve him by sharing the gospel to my friends and relatives. For example, when my relatives come to visit from Taiwan, I bring them to church on Sundays. I pray for them to accept Jesus Christ as their Savior.

2 Corinthians 8:12

“For if the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what he does not have.”

What’s the attitude to serve God?

The true gift to serve God is my willingness. Jesus was nailed on cross to redeem me from darkness. I’ll nail my self-center on the cross to show my love to Jesus.

Nathaniel Sky Liu (7 years old)

I am a Child of God, and I thank God for being my savior. I am so happy that I can be a member in God's family. I know that God loves me very much and I am his precious child. God has blessed me with so many things, and I want to offer something back to Him.

God has blessed me with musical talent and I am so glad that I have the opportunity to serve the Lord through piano playing at Sunday school. Even though I have to spend extra time to practice the songs, I enjoyed playing and singing all the praise songs that we sing at Sunday school. I am practicing for God. I know that I am worshipping God when I sing and play those songs. I feel happy and joyful that I can serve the Lord through music. I know that God loves my playing even when I make mistakes. I know that God looks at my heart, not how well I can play the piano.

I learned to be a cheerful giver in Sunday school, and I want to be a cheerful giver and give from my heart. I hope that I can bless the Lord and bless the people through my music playing. I want to have a good attitude when serving the Lord. I want to learn to be like Jesus and learn how He serves. God is the one that I want to serve for the rest of my life.

Matthew 19:14

“Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.”

What’s Jesus’ desire toward me?

Come to Jesus and spend time with Him.

Esther Chang (11 years old)

I received Jesus Christ as my Savior when I was about six or seven years old. It was during choir when they told us about our Lord, the One who died for our sins on the cross. That night, I went home, and I prayed to God and told Him that I would like Him to come live in my heart and to become my Savior.

Jesus wants us to come to Him. Every night, I would devotion the Bible with my mom and my sister. We would first read a book in the Bible, and then discuss the story or verse that we had just read about.

This always made me feel warm and content, reading about God’s Word with my family. Then, after that, I go to sleep with my mom praying for us.

Alex Zhou(10 years old)

I have accepted Jesus as my Savior , so I can go to heaven with God and have eternal life one day. I spend time with Jesus by praying to God and talking with Him. I talk to Him when I’m thankful, scared, anxious, or worried. For example, when I was about to perform in front of an audience, I felt a little scared, so I prayed to ask Him to give me more self-esteem and confidence in myself. Then, He helped me calm my feelings and made me more sure that I could do my best.

John 14:6

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

John 8:12

"When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

Who is Jesus?

Jesus is the way and the truth and the life. Jesus is the light of the world. Jesus is the reason for me to celebrate Christmas.

Lorraine Chiang (10 years old)

I received Jesus Christ as my Savior. Jesus is my Savior, and he saves me from my sin. He is also my teacher. All the teaching from the Bible, His Word, is true. I believe in the Bible. I will follow Him and I will never be in darkness. I encourage everybody to believe in Jesus because no one can go to God without going through Jesus.



