

What Do You See In The Crucifixion of Jesus?

The Provision of

THE
ONLY
HOPE

For Sinful Man

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An Exhibition of

THE WICKEDNESS *of Sinful Man*

The Knowing Wicked
The Ignorant Wicked
The Fickle Wicked
The Religious Wicked

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The Suffering of The Sinless

SON OF GOD

For Sinful Man

He Became Flesh

In The Garden

The Unjust Trial

"They Crucified Him"

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The Proof of

GOD'S LOVE

For Sinful Man

A Deliberate Purpose & Choice

Is Undeserved

Is Sacrificial

Is Universal & Personal

Is Motivational

Is Trustworthy

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God's Love Provided The ONLY Possibility
of Acquittal For All – 1 John 2:1,2; 4:9,10

A Universal Need – Isaiah 59:1,2;

Romans 3:23; 6:23

The ONLY Way To Satisfy The Demands of
God's Holiness And Justice –

Romans 3:24-26

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Isaiah 53:4-6 (NKJV)

⁴ Surely He has borne our griefs And carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted. ⁵ But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed. ⁶ All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

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Isaiah 53:8-12 (NKJV)

⁸ He was taken from prison and from judgment,
And who will declare His generation? For He
was cut off from the land of the living; For the
transgressions of My people He was stricken. ⁹
And they made His grave with the wicked-- But
with the rich at His death, Because He had done
no violence, Nor was *any* deceit in His mouth. ¹⁰
Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise Him; He has
put *Him* to grief. When You make His soul an
offering for sin, He shall see *His* seed, He shall
prolong *His* days, . . .

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Isaiah 53:8-12 (NKJV)

And the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in His hand. ¹¹ He shall see the labor of His soul, *and* be satisfied. By His knowledge My righteous Servant shall justify many, For He shall bear their iniquities. ¹² Therefore I will divide Him a portion with the great, And He shall divide the spoil with the strong, Because He poured out His soul unto death, And He was numbered with the transgressors, And He bore the sin of many, And made intercession for the transgressors.

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Hebrews 9:22-28 (NKJV)

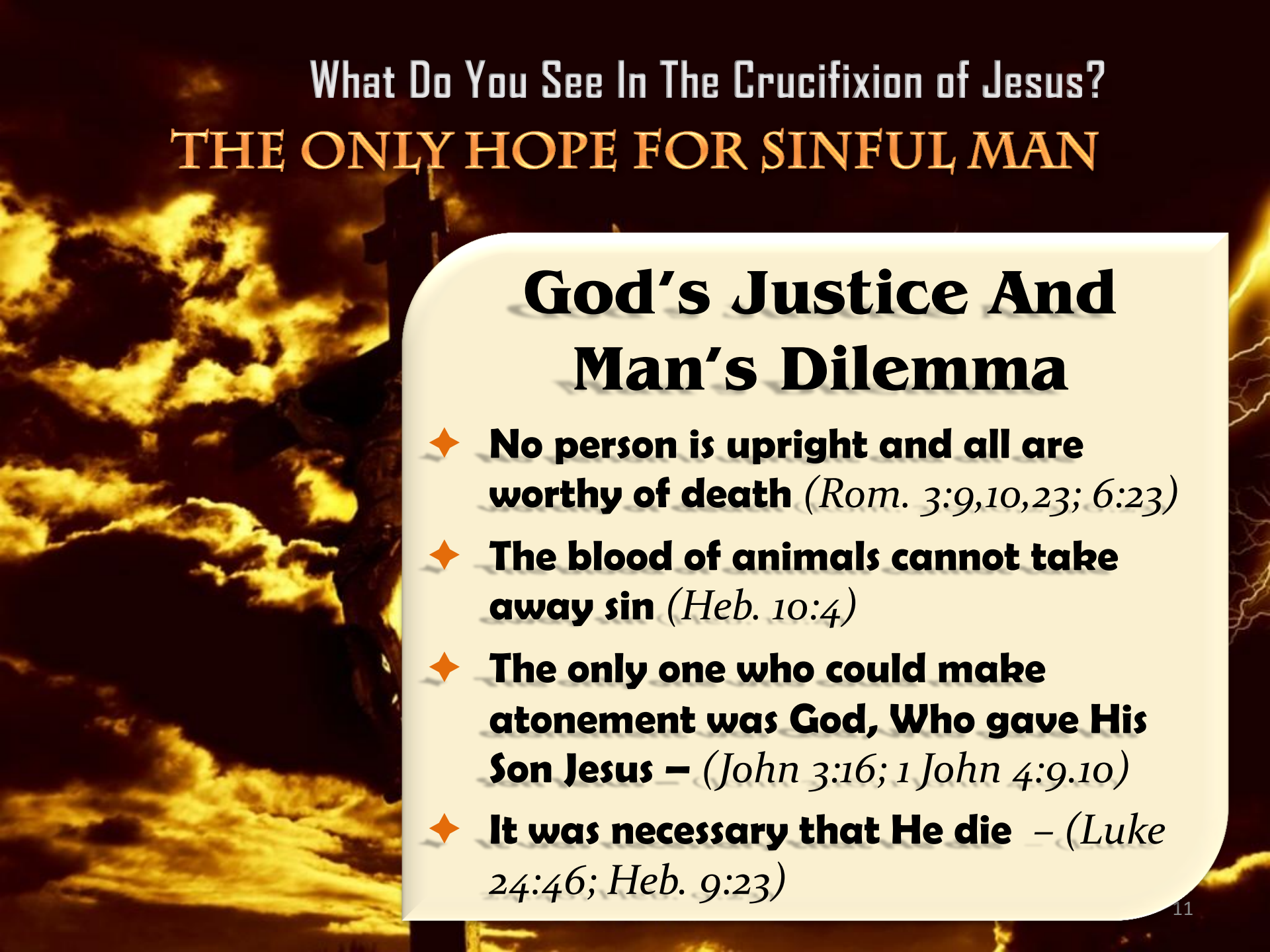
²² And according to the law almost all things are purified with blood, and without shedding of blood there is no remission. ²³ Therefore *it was* necessary that the copies of the things in the heavens should be purified with these, but the heavenly things themselves with better sacrifices than these. ²⁴ For Christ has not entered the holy places made with hands, *which are* copies of the true, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us;

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²⁵ not that He should offer Himself often, as the high priest enters the Most Holy Place every year with blood of another-- ²⁶ He then would have had to suffer often since the foundation of the world; but now, once at the end of the ages, He has appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of Himself. ²⁷ And as it is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment, ²⁸ so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear a second time, apart from sin, for salvation.



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God's Justice And Man's Dilemma

- ◆ **No person is upright and all are worthy of death** (*Rom. 3:9,10,23; 6:23*)
- ◆ **The blood of animals cannot take away sin** (*Heb. 10:4*)
- ◆ **The only one who could make atonement was God, Who gave His Son Jesus –** (*John 3:16; 1 John 4:9,10*)
- ◆ **It was necessary that He die –** (*Luke 24:46; Heb. 9:23*)

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**The Death And
Resurrection of Jesus
Essential To Our
Justification**

Romans 5:8-10 (NKJV)

⁸ But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ⁹ Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him. ¹⁰ For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life. (*cf. Rom 4:23-25*)

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1 Corinthians 15:1-4 (NKJV)

¹ Moreover, brethren, I declare to you the gospel which I preached to you, which also you received and in which you stand, ² by which also you are saved, if you hold fast that word which I preached to you--unless you believed in vain. ³ For I delivered to you first of all that which I also received: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, ⁴ and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day according to the Scriptures,

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1 Corinthians 15:14-19 (NKJV)

¹⁴ And if Christ is not risen, then our preaching is empty and your faith is also empty. ¹⁵ Yes, and we are found false witnesses of God, because we have testified of God that He raised up Christ, whom He did not raise up--if in fact the dead do not rise. ¹⁶ For if *the* dead do not rise, then Christ is not risen. ¹⁷ And if Christ is not risen, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins! ¹⁸ Then also those who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. ¹⁹ If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men the most pitiable.

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2 Corinthians 5:18-21 (NKJV)

¹⁸ Now all things *are* of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation, ¹⁹ that is, that God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed to us the word of reconciliation. ²⁰ Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore *you* on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God. ²¹ For He made Him who knew no sin *to be* sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

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**“We Implore You on
Christ’s Behalf, be
Reconciled To God”**

- ✦ **Not automatic benefactors
of the sacrifice of Christ –**
- ✦ **How then is a person
reconciled to God through
the sacrifice of Christ?**

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- ✦ **Not by being a “GOOD” person** – (*Rom. 3:23; Eph. 2:8,9*)
- ✦ **Not by merely being “RELIGIOUS”** – (*Matthew 15:7-9; Rom. 10:1-3; Acts 4:12; 8:26-39*)
- ✦ **Not by sincerity alone** – (*Acts 23:1; 24:16; Acts 10; 17:30*)

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Matthew 7:13-14 (NKJV)

¹³ "Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. ¹⁴ Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it.

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John 14:6 (NKJV)

⁶ Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

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John 3:36 (NKJV)

³⁶ He who believes in the Son
has everlasting life; and he
who does not believe the Son
shall not see life, but the wrath
of God abides on him."

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John 8:24 (NKJV)

²⁴ Therefore I said to you
that you will die in your
sins; for if you do not
believe that I am *He*, you
will die in your sins."

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Luke 6:46 (NKJV)

**⁴⁶ "But why do
you call Me 'Lord,
Lord,' and do not
do the things
which I say?"**

Acts 4:12 (NKJV)

**¹² Nor is there salvation
in any other, for there is
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men by which we must
be saved."**

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Matthew 7:21 (NKJV)
**²¹ "Not everyone who
says to Me, 'Lord,
Lord,' shall enter the
kingdom of heaven,
but he who does the
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Acts 4:12 (NKJV)

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Acts 2:38 (NKJV)
³⁸ Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; . . .

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Eph. 2:8,9
Eternal Life
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1 John 5:11-12 (NKJV)

¹¹ And this is the testimony:
that God has given us
eternal life, and this life is in
His Son. ¹² He who has the
Son has life; he who does
not have the Son of God
does not have life.

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Galatians 3:26-27 (NKJV)

²⁶ For you are all sons of
God through faith in
Christ Jesus. ²⁷ For as many
of you as were baptized
into Christ have put on
Christ.

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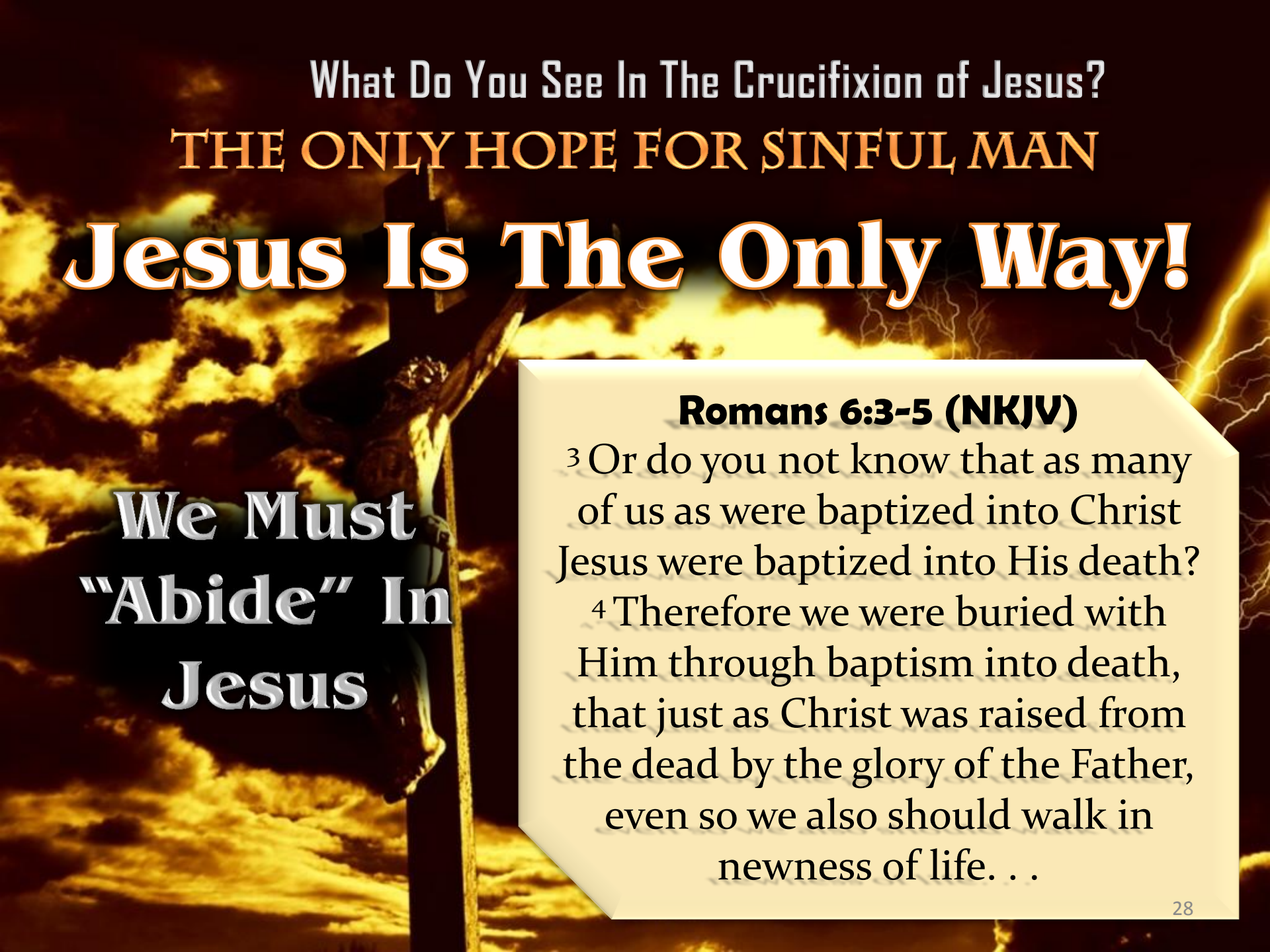
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⁴ Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. . .



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**We Must
"Abide" In
Jesus**

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John 15:4-10 (NKJV)

⁴ Abide in Me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in Me. ⁵ I am the vine, you *are* the branches.

He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing. ⁶ If anyone does not abide in Me, he is cast out as a branch and is withered; and they gather them and throw *them* into the fire, and they are burned.

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⁷ If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you. ⁸ By this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples. ⁹ "As the Father loved Me, I also have loved you; abide in My love. ¹⁰ If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept My Father's commandments and abide in His love.

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Galatians 1:6-8 (NKJV)

⁶ I marvel that you are turning away so soon from Him who called you in the grace of Christ, to a different gospel, ⁷ which is not another; but there are some who trouble you and want to pervert the gospel of Christ. ⁸ But even if we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you, let him be accursed.

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2 John 1:9-11 (NKJV)

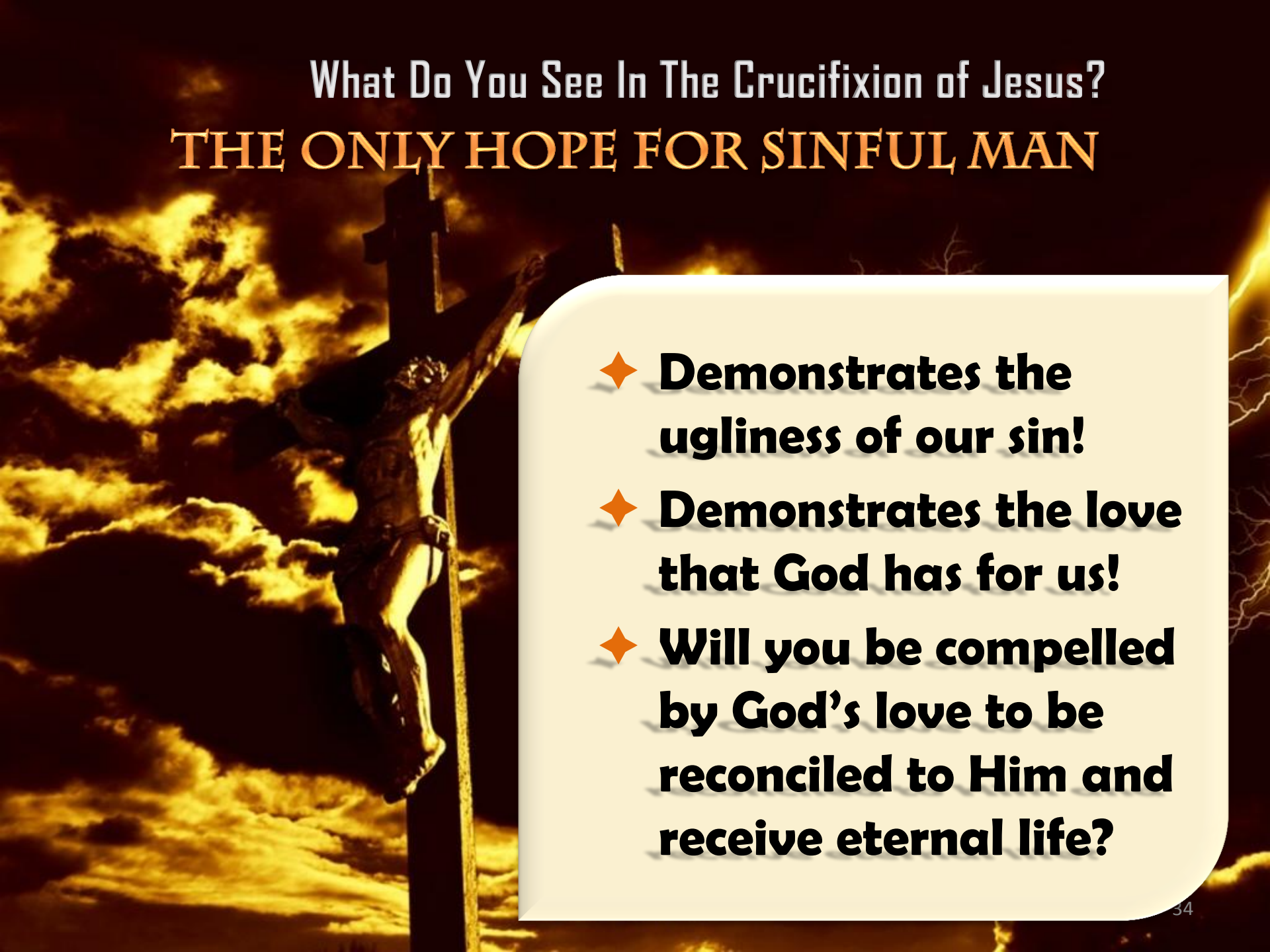
⁹ Whoever transgresses and does not abide in the doctrine of Christ does not have God. He who abides in the doctrine of Christ has both the Father and the Son. ¹⁰ If anyone comes to you and does not bring this doctrine, do not receive him into your house nor greet him; ¹¹ for he who greets him shares in his evil deeds.

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2 Thessalonians 1:7-10 (NKJV)

⁷ and to *give* you who are troubled rest with us when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty angels, ⁸ in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God, and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹ These shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of His power, ¹⁰ when He comes, in that Day, to be glorified in His saints and to be admired among all those who believe, because our testimony among you was believed.



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- ◆ **Demonstrates the ugliness of our sin!**
- ◆ **Demonstrates the love that God has for us!**
- ◆ **Will you be compelled by God's love to be reconciled to Him and receive eternal life?**

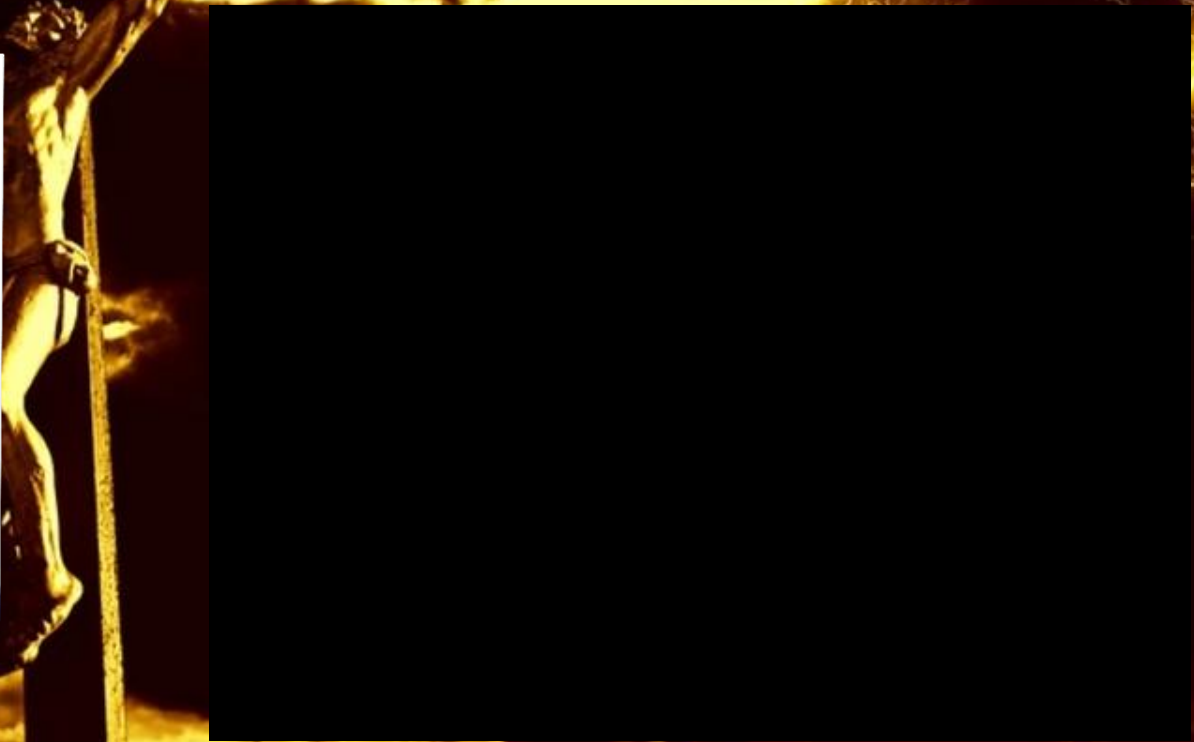
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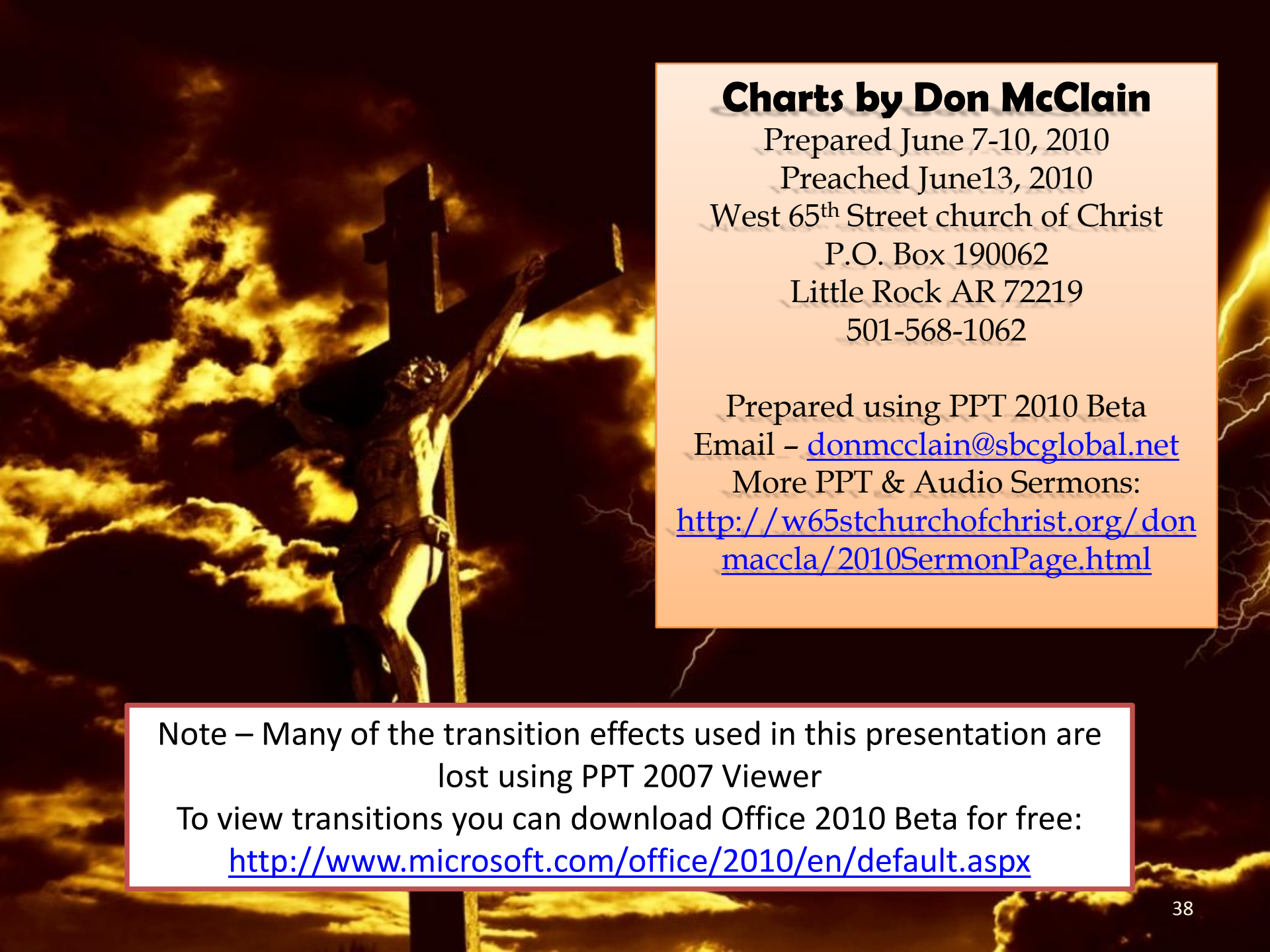
- ◆ **Do you believe?**
- ◆ **Will you confess & repent?**
- ◆ **Have you been crucified with Christ by being baptized into His death?**
- ◆ **Have you been raised to walk in newness of life?**

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