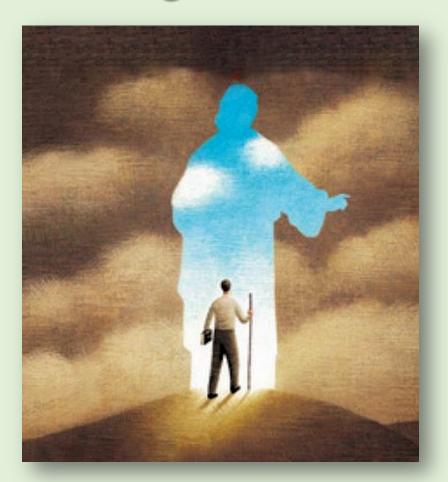


Welcome to Rehoboth New Life Center

Sunday August 21st, 2022

The Perfect Man Part 3 Looking for a Redeemer



Ephesians 4:13 Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ:

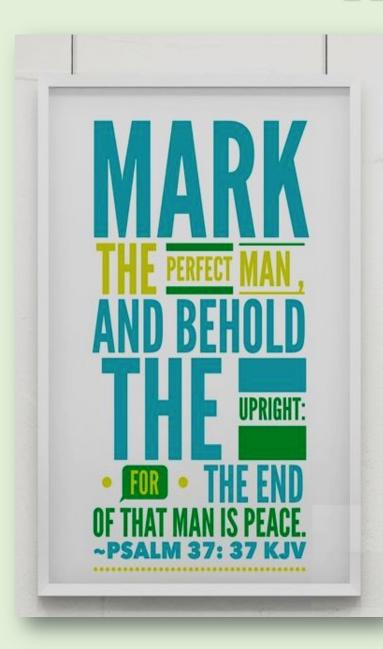
Looking For The Perfect Man



Ezekiel 22:30 And I sought for a man among them, that should make up the hedge, and stand in the gap before me for the land, that I should not destroy it: but I found none.

Isaiah 63:5 And I looked, and there was none to help; and I wondered that there was none to uphold: therefore mine own arm brought salvation unto me; and my fury, it upheld me.

The Men That God Found



Noah : Perfect (in human lineage Gen 6:9).

But failed by his flesh (drank a little too

much).

Job: Perfect in his integrity,

But failed in his trust

Abraham: Perfect in Faith towards God

But lied to his fellow man about his wife.

Isaac: Perfect in spirit, a peacemaker.

But easily deceived.

Jacob: Perfect in cunning and endurance.

But quick to deceive.

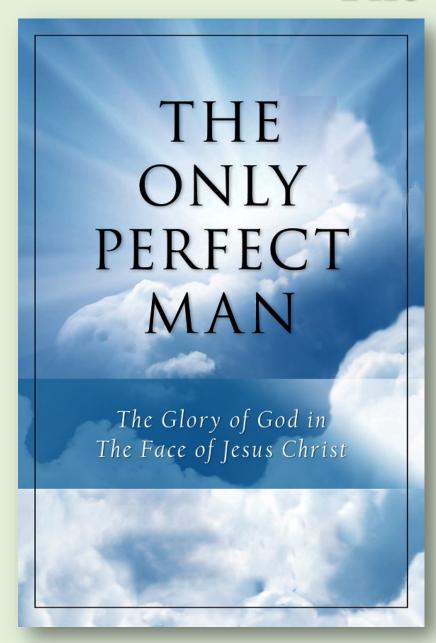
Joseph: Perfect in enduring suffering.

But not able to return from the grave.

Moses: Perfect in humility and communion with God.

But failed the perfection of obedience.

The Men That God Found



Joshua: Perfect in faithfulness and following.

But once trusted his own judgment.

Samson: Perfect in power and strength from God.

But failed in keeping his strength secret.

Samuel: Perfect in hearing and listening to God

But failed in leading his own children.

Saul: Perfect in attributes of Kingship.

But failed in pride and impatience.

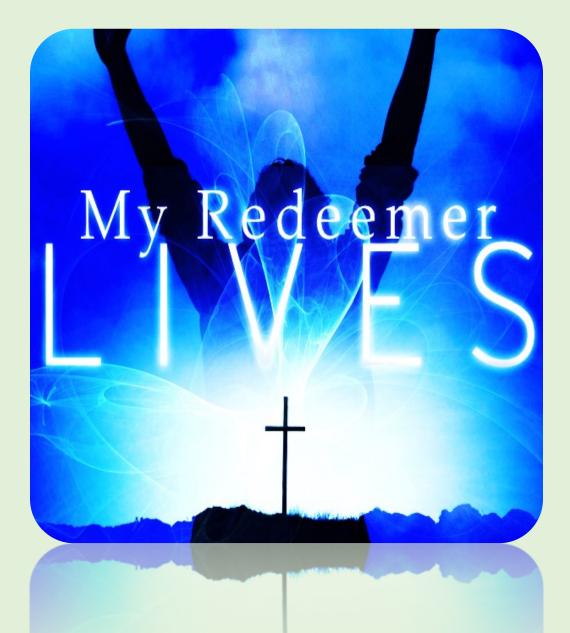
David: Perfect in heart relationship to God.

But failed in control of the flesh.

Solomon: Perfect in wisdom from God

But failed in wisdom to God

The Requirements of the redeemer!



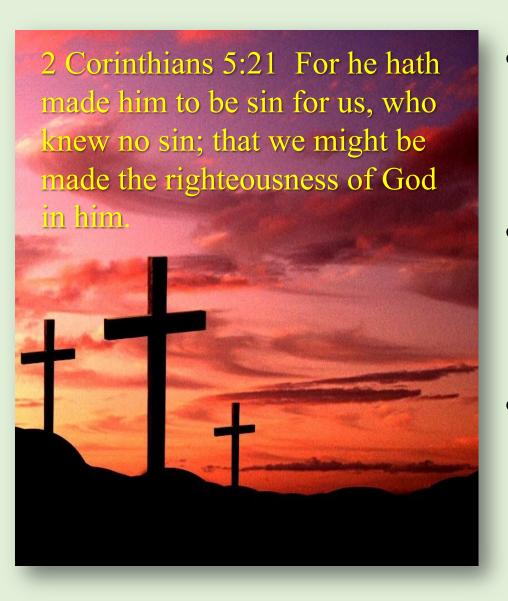
- Perfect in Lineage (Noah).
- Perfect in Faith(Abraham).
- Perfect in meekness(Isaac).
- Perfect in endurance(Jacob).
- Perfect in suffering (Joseph).
- Perfect in communion (Moses).
- Perfect in faithfulness(Joshua).
- Perfect in power (Samson).
- Perfect in listening (Samuel).
- Perfect in Kingship (Saul).
- Perfect in heart (David)
- Perfect in wisdom(Solomon

Yet None Righteous!



- Romans 3:10 As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one:
- Psalms 14:2 The LORD looked down from heaven upon the children of men, to see if there were any that did understand, and seek God.
- 3 They are all gone aside, they are all together become filthy: there is none that doeth good, no, not one.

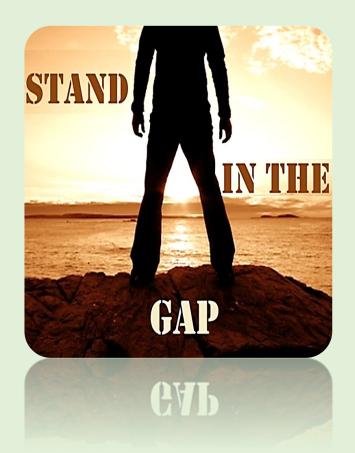
Righteousness was given



- Psalms 32:1 Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.
- 2 Blessed is the man unto whom the LORD imputeth not iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no guile.
- Romans 4:8 Blessed is the man to whom the Lord will not impute sin

Not Earned!

Looking for a man?



- Isaiah 9:6and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.
- Matthew 5:3 ¶Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- 4 Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.
- 5 Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth.
- 6 Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled.
- 7 Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy.
- 8 Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God.
- 9 Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.
- 10 Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

God became man to enable the way to Perfection

- 1. To reveal Gods true character and nature.
- •2. To enable the restoration of a spirit covering
- 3. To create new sons of God.
- •4. To restore dominion to the sons of God.
- 6. To be the perfect mediator until the redemption of the body.
- 7. To destroy the works of the devil.

God's perfection is revealed by his nature



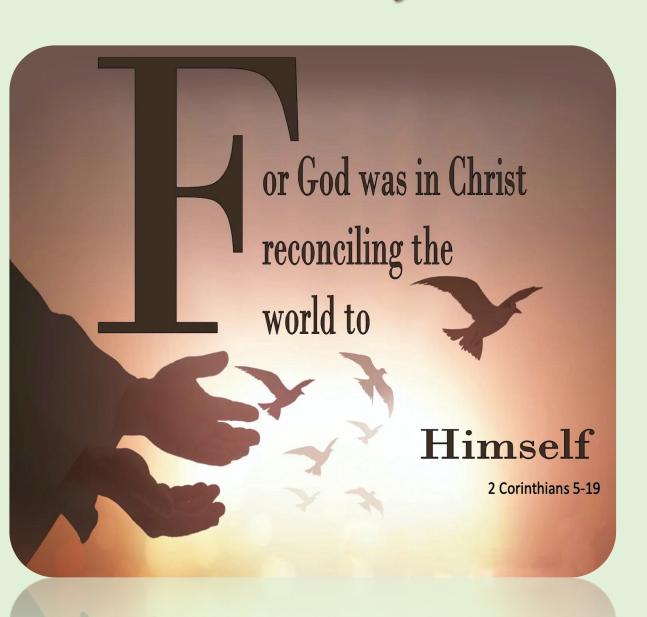
- John 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.
- 17 For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

Who can open the book?



- Revelation 5:2 And I saw a strong angel proclaiming with a loud voice, Who is worthy to open the book, and to loose the seals thereof?
- 3 And no man in heaven, nor in earth, neither under the earth, was able to open the book, neither to look thereon.
- 4 And I wept much, because no man was found worthy to open and to read the book, neither to look thereon.
- 5 And one of the elders saith unto me, Weep not: behold, the Lion of the tribe of Juda, the Root of David, hath prevailed to open the book, and to loose the seven seals thereof.

Only The Perfect Redeemer!



2 Corinthians 5:21 For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God

The Perfecting by the spirit covering



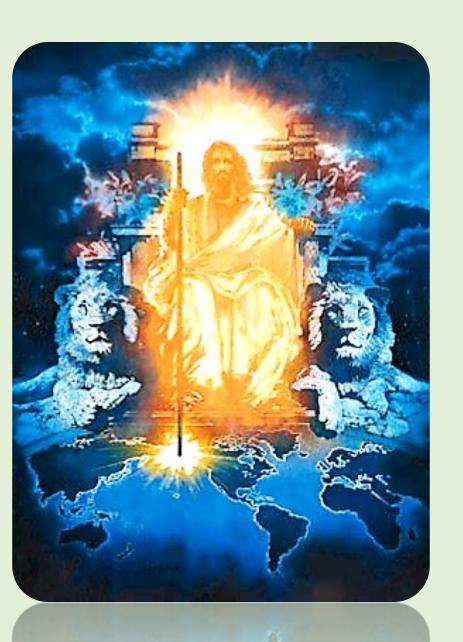
- John 16:7 Nevertheless I tell you the truth; It is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send him unto you.
- Luke 23:46 And when Jesus had cried with a loud voice, he said, Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit: and having said thus, he gave up the ghost.

To create new sons of God.



- •Hebrews 2:10 ¶For it became him, for whom are all things, and by whom are all things, in bringing many sons unto glory, to make the captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.
- •John 1:12 But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name:

To Restore The Dominion



- Revelation 20:6
- Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years.

Psalms 115:16 The heaven, even the heavens, are the LORD'S: but the earth hath he given to the children of men.

To be Our Mediator



1 Timothy 2:5 For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus;

- Hebrews 9:15 ¶And for this cause he is the mediator of the new testament, that by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions that were under the first testament, they which are called might receive the promise of eternal inheritance.
- Hebrews 12:24 And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.

Mediator until.....The redemption!

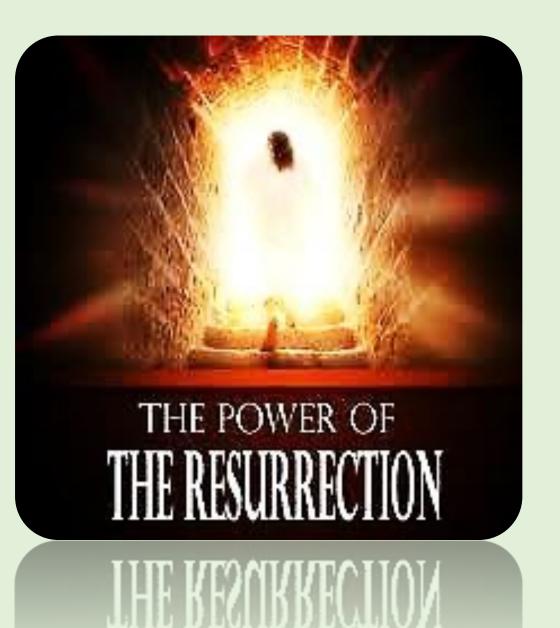


• Romans 8:21 because the creation from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

• 22 For we know that the whole creation groans and labors with birth pangs together until now.

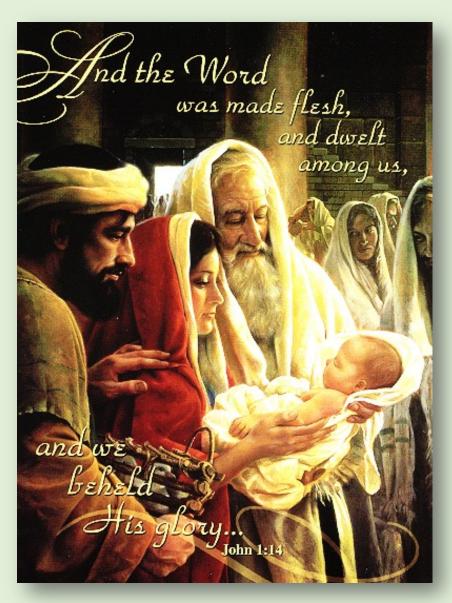
• 23 Not only that, but we also who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, eagerly waiting for the adoption, the redemption of our body.

Destroying the works of the devil



•1 John 3:8 He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil.

Why did God have to become man?



Hebrews 2:17

Therefore, in all things He had to be made like His brethren, that He might be a merciful and faithful High Priest in things pertaining to God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people.