

The Blessing of Our Salvation (1 Peter 1:3)

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Review

Purpose: To _____, instruct, and remind believers how to face suffering, persecution, hostility, _____, animosity, and hatred while on earth triumphantly.

God has _____ the elect sovereignly, by His divine will, strictly on the basis of his own free sovereign _____.

God's foreknowledge refers to His previously determined act of establishing a _____ with the people of His sovereign choosing.

Election becomes a reality to God's chosen at _____, through the sanctifying work of the Spirit.

Jesus Christ is the Executor and _____ of the new covenant. When we come and accept the _____ of Christ for us, we are not just accepting the _____ of His death on our behalf, but we are also covenanting with Him in _____ consecrated and mediated by the blood of Christ.

The Blessing our Salvation Incites

A _____ is an expression of praise to God, especially a short hymn.

Blessed =

Notes on "God the Father":

Whenever you see God called "Father," it is _____ that He is the Father of the Lord Jesus Christ which then says "Christ is _____."

Calvin: "For, as formerly, by calling himself the God of Abraham, he designed to mark the difference between Him and all fictitious gods; so after He has manifested Himself in His own Son, His will is, not to be known otherwise than in Him. Hence they who form their ideas of God in His naked majesty apart from Christ, have an idol instead of the true God, as the case is with the Jews and the Turks. Whosoever, then, seeks really to know the only true God, must regard him as the Father of Christ; for, whenever our mind seeks God, except Christ be thought of, it will wander and be confused, until it be wholly lost.

"Lord Jesus Christ" is a concentrated _____. (Richard C. H. Lenski)

The Christ, the anointed King and Messiah is not a _____ deity to be appeased, but a _____ Lord and Savior.

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mercy =

Cross references:

Spurgeon: "No other attribute could have helped us had mercy refused. As we are by nature, justice condemns us, holiness frowns upon us, power crushes us, truth confirms the threatening of the law, and wrath fulfils it. It is from the mercy of our God that all our hopes begin. Mercy is needed for the miserable, and yet more for the sinful. Misery and sin are fully united in the human race, and mercy here performs her noblest deeds."

Mercy had to have a means to dispel wretchedness and eliminate misery, and the means that mercy chose was _____.

caused to be born again =

We had no involvement in our _____ birth, and in the same way we have no part in our _____ birth.

Stephen Charnok: "_____ is a universal change of the whole man. It is as large in renewing us as _____ was in defacing us."