

POSSESSING THE RIGHT HOPE

1 TIMOTHY 1:1-3

- Paul makes it clear to Timothy that there is _____ place of confidence, expectation, or hope, and that is Jesus Christ!
- Why should Christ be a person's only hope and confidence?

First, Christ alone is _____.

- What do we need to be saved from?
- *"Who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father."* **Galatians 1:4**
- Christ alone is Savior because He is the only One that abolished _____.
- *"For God hath not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ, Who died for us, that, whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with him."* **1 Thessalonians 5:9-10**

Second, Christ alone is _____.

- The term "Lord" means "absolute authority."
- Jesus is no longer on the cross; He is _____!

- He is Lord. He is _____ in authority. He is to be believed on and submitted to.
- *"I marvel that ye are so soon removed from him that called you into the grace of Christ unto another gospel: Which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ. But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed."*
Galatians 1:6-8

Third, Christ alone can reconcile _____.

- Christ bridged the _____ between us and God by paying the price for our sin – _____!
- If you have trusted Christ as your Savior, you have received:
 - ⇒ _____ – You became an object of God's favor by faith in Christ alone.
 - ⇒ _____ – You were released from the sentence of judgment you deserved.
 - ⇒ _____ – You were brought into a position of complete peace with God.
- Only Jesus Christ could do this for you. That is why Christ alone is our hope.

There is no _____ for sinners apart from the Lord Jesus Christ!



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