

JESUS DID IT FOR ME – Jesus Gave Me Hope – Monday, March 29th

- **What Jesus did He did for us – Coming, dying, being raised-***Tit2:13-Our savior Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar (special) people; 1Th5:9-For God has not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us that...we should live together with him; 2Co5:21-He has made him to be sin for us; 1Cor5:7-Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; Rm8:32-He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all; Gal3:13-Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law being made a curse for us*
 - Jesus didn't need to come to the earth and do this for himself-He is eternal and was with the Father, in Heaven doing fine-*Jn8:58-Before Abraham was, I am; Col1:17-He is before all things*
 - He did it for me-Personalize it – **Say:** *He did it for me; He did what He did for me*
- **What He did for me, He did because he loves me-***Rm5:8-God commends his love towards us, in that, while we were yet sinners Christ died for us; Ep5:2-Christ also hath loved us and has given himself for us*
 - When you love someone who want to see things go well for them-*3Jn2*
 - Before Jesus came things were not going well for man-He came because He loves us
- **It's appropriate to ask, "What does what Jesus did mean for me," because he did it for me-What Jesus did affects me both in this life and after this life-***1Cor15:19-If in this life only we have hope (expectation of good) in Christ, we are of all men most miserable; WE-If we have hope in Christ for our life in this world only; TP-If the only benefit of our hope in Christ is limited to this life on earth; TLB-If being a Christian is of value to us only now in this life; MSG-If all we get out of Christ is a little inspiration for a few short years*
 - If we only talk about what Jesus did for us having affect in this life it breeds unhappiness-Because this life goes by so quickly and will be over soon and then what
 - Many only focus on what Jesus did having affect after this life
 - We can expect good both not and later-Jesus provided hope for both
 - We were under Satan's thumb but now we can exercise our authority and enjoy victory-*Ep2:2-Walked according to the prince of the power of the air; Js4:7-Resist the devil and He will flee*