

## Redemption

Romans 3:21-26

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1 Corinthians 1:30-31 – Redemption is summed up "*in Christ.*"

Romans 3:19-26 – Christ the only means of redemption.  
cf. Ephesians 1:7

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- English word "redemption" means to re-buy, "to regain possession of by repurchase." (Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, page 833)

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*exagorazo*, a strengthened form of *agorazo*, "to buy," denotes "to buy out" (ex for ek), especially of purchasing a slave with a view to his freedom. This word "does not signify the actual redemption, but the **PRICE PAID** with a view to it."  
(from Vine's Expository Dictionary, Vol. III, page 263)

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## Man NEEDS Redemption

- Broken God's Law. Romans 3:20-24
- Man chooses to become the servant of sin. Romans 6:16-18
- To belong to the Lord again, one has to be redeemed.
  - Bought with a price.
  - Actual deliverance or release from sin.

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## WHO Redeems us?

### God the Father.

- Psalms 111:9, "*He hath sent redemption unto his people; He hath commanded his covenant for ever: Holy and reverend is his name.*"
- Psalms 19:14, "*Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, O Jehovah, my rock, and my redeemer.*"
- NOTE: 1 Corinthians 1:17ff – chapter 2

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### Christ the Son.

Revelation 5:9; 1 Peter 1:18-19; Titus 2:14  
 Price Paid. Philippians 2:5-7; Hebrews 2:9;  
 1 Corinthians 6:20

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## WHO Redeems us?

### Man's inability.

- Titus 3:5; Ephesians 2:8-9
- God in His grace, gave His Son and made possible my peace with God. Hebrews 9:12; cf. Romans 3:23-26.
- It is Christ who "*delivers us from darkness and translates us into the kingdom of his dear son.*" (Colossians 1:13).
- He is a "*ransom*" Matthew 20:28; 1 Timothy 2:6

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## FOR WHOM Was Redemption Provided?

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John 3:16, "*God so loved the WORLD ... WHOSOEVER ...*"

Hebrews 2:9, "*that by the grace of God he should taste of death for EVERY (man).*"

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Acts 10:34-35, "*And Peter opened his mouth and said, Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons: but in EVERY NATION he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is acceptable to him.*"

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## WHERE Is Redemption?

Romans 3:24, "being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is **IN CHRIST JESUS**"

Ephesians 1:7, "**IN WHOM** we have our redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace"

Colossians 1:13-14, "who delivered us out of the power of darkness, and translated us into the kingdom of the Son of his love; **IN WHOM** we have our redemption, the forgiveness of our sins"

- lutroo the actual "deliverance," the setting at liberty, is obtained "IN CHRIST."

- NOTE: As long as one is out of Christ, he is not redeemed.

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## WHEN Are We Redeemed?

➤ Redemption is "**IN CHRIST.**" Romans 3:24

➤ One is redeemed **WHEN** he gets into Christ.

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## We Enter Into Christ WHEN We Are Baptized INTO Christ

Galatians 3:26-27, "For ye are all sons of God, through faith, in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ did put on Christ."

Romans 6:3-4, "Or are ye ignorant that all we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were buried therefore with him through baptism unto death: that like as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life."

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## Your Choice

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If I don't share the home of the redeemed, it won't be because God didn't include me in His provisions, but because I didn't obey Him!

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