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The Road to Salvation

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The Purpose of This Study

1 Peter 3:15 But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear:

Intro: Before anyone may be saved, they must understand that they are lost. To lead a soul to prayer for salvation, begin by asking a series of questions, leading the soul to a commitment in steps:

- A. If you died right now, would you go to Heaven?
- B. If the answer is "no", or you do not know, do you want to know?
- C. If I showed you a way in which you could know, would you do it?

I. Everyone has sinned

Romans 3:10 As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one:

Romans 3:23 For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

II. Sin came from Adam - it is human nature to sin

Romans 5:12 Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:

III. Jesus cared enough to go to the Cross for us

Romans 5:8 But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

IV. The Wages

- A. We deserved to die and to go to hell
- B. But God's Grace is to give us what we did not deserve
 - 1. A chance to be saved
 - 2. Through the acceptance of Jesus Christ.

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

V. What do we have to do?

- A. Confess - Christ as Lord
- B. Believe - the Message of the Gospel
- C. Pray - call upon the name of the Lord

Romans 10:9-13 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. For the scripture

saith, Whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed. For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek: for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him. For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

VI. Conclusion

- A. They've committed
- B. The Scriptures have been explained
 - 1. They know they are lost
 - 2. They know where sin came from
 - 3. They know sin's penalty
 - 4. They know sin's remedy
 - 5. They know what to do
- C. It's time to simply pray
- D. Lead them in prayer

A simple prayer of salvation:

**Father, I come to you as a sinner. I am truly sorry,
and now I want to turn away from my sinful
life, repent, and live for you.**

**Please forgive me, and help me to not live a life of
sin anymore. I believe that your Son, Jesus Christ
died for my sins, was raised from
the dead, is alive, and hears my prayer.**

**I invite you Jesus to reign in my heart from this day
forward and I confess, you are the Lord of my life.**

**Please, Holy Spirit, come into
my heart to help me obey the Word of God,
and do Your will the rest my life.**

In Jesus' name I pray, Amen.