



The Beginner's Guide to Christianity

How to Become a Christian Leader's Notes

I. What is a Christian?

- A Christian is a person who believes:
 - Jesus Christ is God.
 - Jesus came into the earth born of a virgin, conceived by God
 - Jesus lived and died, not only as an example of God's plan for man, but also as man's substitute.
 - Jesus died for man's sin and rose again from the dead.
- A Christian must accept Jesus' offer of God's life.
- God loved the world, so Jesus paid the price to stop sin and death.
 - John 3:16, *"For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life"* (NLT).

II. You are not forced to receive salvation.

- If you choose to make Jesus your Lord:
 - God will receive you as His very own.
 - You will become part of God's family.
 - God will be your Father, and you will be His child.
 - You are born again, not physically, but spiritually.
 - God accepts you as if you had never sinned.



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- Salvation is not based on your feelings.
- God's Word is the only evidence you have that you are saved, but that is all the evidence you need.

III. Two Steps to become a Christian.

- Believe in your heart that Jesus is Lord.
 - Say out loud that you want to be saved.
 - Romans 10:9, *"If you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved"* (NKJV).
 - You are a Christian!
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Prayer for Salvation

Heavenly Father, I present myself to You. I pray and ask Jesus to be Lord over my life. I believe it in my heart, so I say it with my mouth: "Jesus has been raised from the dead." This moment, I make Him the Lord over my life.

Jesus, come into my heart. I believe this moment that I am saved. I say it now: "I am reborn. I am a Christian. I am a child of Almighty God."

In the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.
