

# POWER IN THE BLOOD





# POWER TO FORGIVE

Eph. 1:7

- **Before: Disobedient**

- **All of Us**

Rom. 3:23; Eccl. 7:20; Rom. 5:6

- **Even Christians Sin**

1<sup>st</sup> John 1:8, 10; Isa. 53:6



# POWER TO FORGIVE

Eph. 1:7

- **Now: Pardoned**
  - **Forgiven and Redeemed**
  - **Cleansed**

Ephesians 1:7

1<sup>st</sup> John 1:9, 7



# POWER TO JUSTIFY

Rom. 5:9

- **Before: Guilty as Law-Breakers**
  - **Following Our Desires, Not God's**

**Ephesians 2:1-3**

- **Sin Defined**

**1<sup>st</sup> John 3:8, 4; Rom. 6:23; Prov. 11:21**



# POWER TO JUSTIFY

Rom. 5:9

- **Now: Declared Innocent**

- **By God's Declaration**

Romans 5:9

- **By Christ, Made Righteous**

2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:21; Hebrews 5:9



# POWER TO SANCTIFY

Heb. 10:29

- **Before: Unholy, Ungodly**

- **Polluted**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Peter 2:20; Revelation 21:27**

- **Corrupted**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Peter 1:4**



# POWER TO SANCTIFY

Heb. 10:29

- **Now: Purified**

- **By Obeying The Truth**

**1<sup>st</sup> Peter 1:22; cf. Hebrews 5:9**

- **Pure In All Things**

**Matt. 5:8; 1<sup>st</sup> Tim. 5:22; 1<sup>st</sup> John 3:2, 3**



# POWER TO RECONCILE

Rom. 5:10

- **Before: Separated From God**

- **Because of Our Sin**

*cf. Rom. 6:23; Isaiah 59:1, 2*

- **Enmity Against God**

*Romans 8:5-8*





# POWER TO RECONCILE

Rom. 5:10

- **Now: Reunited**

- **Not Imputing Our Sins**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:17-19**

- **Sins Remembered No More**

**cf. Ephesians 1:7; Jeremiah 31:34**



# **POWER TO APPROACH GOD**

**Heb. 10:19**

- **Before: Unfit**
  - **Sinful, Guilty, Impure**
  - **‘Filthy Rags’**

**Isaiah 64:5, 6**



# **POWER TO APPROACH GOD** Heb. 10:19

- **Now: Enabled**

- **We Can Boldly Approach Him In Prayer**

**Hebrews 4:14-16**

- **One Day, Approach Him In Heaven!**

**Hebrews 10:19; 9:6-8, 24; 6:19, 20**

*Would you be free from the burden of sin?*

