

Doctrine/Teaching Preservation of the Saints

PRESERVATION OF THE SAINTS doctrine/teaching say this: if God is strong enough to save you then HE's powerful enough to keep you from falling away

Jude 1:24 says: 'to him [speaking to God] who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy. This verse clearly says that **God is powerful enough to keep you from stumbling or falling away.** Man, aint this good news?

John 10:28-29 ESV

I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and **no one will snatch them out of my hand.** My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and **no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.'**

The Bible states again that **no one** can take us out of his hand and that means **WE** are included in the no one!

If God wanted to say no one but the believer can snatch us out of his hands or **no one but the Christian** can snatch us out of his hands... HE would have said that.

We need to brothers be very careful **NOT** to add certain things to the scripture that it does NOT say. (Deuteronomy 4:2)

Here's some very powerful verses that further confirm that we **CANNOT LOSE OUR SALVATION:**

(John 6:37-40 ESV) ³⁷. All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out. ³⁸ For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will but the will of him who sent me. ³⁹ And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should **lose nothing** [meaning nobody] of all that he has given me, but raise it [them] up on the last day. ⁴⁰ For this is the will of my Father, that **everyone** who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life, and I will raise **him** up on the last day."

Jesus is saying, every single believer throughout the history of time that my father has entrusted to me not only will I NOT cast them out; but I have not lost one of them.

In other words, he's saying, "I've [Jesus] got an undefeated record... Every believer that's come to me [Jesus] I've **not ever lost one!**" [Amen]

One final verse [though there are many more.]: Philippians 1:6 [ESV] 'And I am sure of this, that he who **began a good work in you will bring it to completion** at the day of Jesus Christ.

In other words, he's [God] is NOT saying until you decide to walk away from God. You cannot walk away...remember! HE's saying to you [and me] when God starts to do a work of **sanctification** and **regeneration** in our hearts; HE is committed to bringing that work to completion until we get to see Jesus Christ face to face! ¹

[Amen again!]

Just a side note: **How many of your sins did Jesus die for?**

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to **forgive us our sins** and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. [1 John 1:9 ESV]

For the death he died he died to sin, **once for all**, but the life he lives he lives to God. [Romans 6:10 ESV]

[Jesus] HE has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people, since he did this **once for all** when he offered up himself. [Hebrews 7:27 ESV]

He [Jesus] entered **once for all** into the holy places, not by means of the blood of goats and calves but by means of his own blood, thus securing an eternal redemption. ... ²⁶ for then he would have had to suffer repeatedly since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared **once for all** at the end of the ages **to put away sin** by the sacrifice of himself. [Hebrews 9:12, 26 ESV]

ALL OF OUR SINS: PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE! [amen one mo time!]

¹ Allen Parr, The Beat