## YT Video- Signposts of Salvation

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### Text [KJV unless otherwise indicated]

Jer 31:21 <u>Set thee up waymarks, make thee high heaps</u>: set thine heart toward the highway, even the way which thou wentest: turn again, O virgin of Israel, turn again to these thy cities.

**2Co 13:5** Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, except ye be reprobates?

### I. <u>Trust</u>

- a. The Greek word "pistis" which is translated as "faith" means a commitment to, a trust in, a reliance upon
- b. Faith involves the mind, heart & will: with the mind and the help of the Holy Spirit, we comprehend the gospel. Conviction of the Holy Spirit occurs in the heart. Then the will comes into play: the decision to commit our lives to Christ.

**Rom 10:8** But what saith it? The word is nigh thee, even in thy mouth, and in thy heart: that is, the word of faith, which we preach.

Rom 10:9 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. Rom 10:10 For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

### Rom 10:17 So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

### II. <u>Obedience</u>

Joh 14:23 Jesus answered and said unto him, If a man love me, he will keep my words: and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.

### III. Doing His Will

**Psa 40:7** Then said I, Lo, I come: in the volume of the book, it is written of me, Psa 40:8 I delight to do thy will, O my God: yea, thy law is within my heart.

**Joh 4:34** Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.

1Jn 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

1Jn 2:16 For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

1Jn 2:17 And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

### IV. Awareness of Sinfulness & Great Need for Redemption

**Rom 7:24** O wretched man that I am! who shall deliver me from the body of this death?

Rom 7:25 I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord. So then with the mind I myself serve the law of God; but with the flesh the law of sin.

### V. <u>Confessing Sins & Repentance</u>

Pro 20:9 Who can say, I have made my heart clean, I am pure from my sin?

**1Jn 1:8** If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

1Jn 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1Jn 1:10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

### VI. <u>Hate Evil</u>

**Psa 97:10** <u>Ye that love the LORD, hate evil</u>: he preserveth the souls of his saints; he delivereth them out of the hand of the wicked.

### VII. Sin Has No Dominion

**Rom 6:14** For <u>sin shall not have dominion over you</u>: for ye are not under the law, but under grace.

**1Jn 3:9** <u>Whosoever is born of God doth not commit sin</u>; for his seed remaineth in him: and he cannot sin, because he is born of God.

Joh 8:34 Jesus answered them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, <u>Whosoever</u> committeth sin is the servant of sin.

- a. We should gain victory over habitual sin.
- b. Those truly born of God is not a slave of sin.

### VIII. Fear YAHWEH

**Pro 1:7** <u>The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge</u>: but fools despise wisdom and instruction.

**Pro 9:10** The fear of the LORD is <u>the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge</u> <u>of the holy is understanding.</u>

**Psa 111:10** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom: <u>**a good**</u> <u>**understanding have all they that do his commandments:** his praise endureth for ever.</u> **Pro 10:27** The fear of the LORD <u>prolongeth days</u>: but the years of the wicked shall be shortened.

**Exo 20:20** And Moses said unto the people, Fear not: for God is come to prove you, and that his fear may be before your faces, <u>that ye sin not</u>.

*Luk 1:49* For he that is mighty hath done to me great things; and holy is his name. *Luk 1:50* And <u>his mercy is on them that fear him from generation to generation.</u>

Psa 25:12 What man is he that feareth the LORD? <u>him shall he teach in the way</u> that he shall choose.

Psa 25:13 <u>His soul shall dwell at ease; and his seed shall inherit the earth</u>. Psa 25:14 <u>The secret of the LORD is with them that fear him; and he will shew</u> <u>them his covenant</u>.

### IX. <u>Chastisement</u>

**Heb 12:5** And ye have forgotten the exhortation which speaketh unto you as unto children, <u>My son</u>, despise not thou the chastening of the Lord, nor faint when thou art rebuked of him:

Heb 12:6 For whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth, and scourgeth <u>every son</u> whom he receiveth.

Heb 12:7 If ye endure chastening, God dealeth with you as with sons; for what <u>son</u> is he whom the father chasteneth not?

## Heb 12:8 But if ye be without chastisement, whereof all are partakers, then are ye bastards, and not sons.

- a. YAHWEH scourges every son whom He receives.
- b. If you have not been chastised, you are illegitimate [bastards]
- c. The word "son" or "sons" occur 4 times. Each time the Greek word "uihos" [**G5207]** is used. "uihos" means mature son
- d. In other words, YAHWEH uses chastisement to develop us as mature sons that He will adopt:

**Gal 4:4** But when the fulness of the time was come, God sent forth his Son, made of a woman, made under the law,

Gal 4:5 To redeem them that were under the law, that we might receive the adoption of sons [uihos].

Gal 4:6 And because ye are sons, God hath sent forth the Spirit of his Son into your hearts, crying, Abba, Father.

Gal 4:7 Wherefore thou art no more a servant, but a son; and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ.

### X. Led by the Spirit

# Rom 8:14 For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons [uihos] of God.

### XI. <u>Overcomers</u>

# Rev 21:7 <u>He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son [uihos]</u>.

### XII. <u>Good Fruit</u>

**Joh 15:1** I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman. Joh 15:2 Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away: and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.

Joh 15:4 Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me. Joh 15:5 I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing. Joh 15:6 If a man abide not in me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and men gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned.

- a. Pruning to get more fruit. Expect to be pruned by YAHWEH.
- b. Fruit comes only via abiding in Him.
- c. Failure to abide will result in being cast out, withered and burned

### XIII. Maintain a Clean Conscience

# Heb 13:18 Pray for us: for we trust we have a good conscience, in all things willing to live honestly.

**Heb 9:13** For if the blood of bulls and of goats, and the ashes of an heifer sprinkling the unclean, sanctifieth to the purifying of the flesh: Heb 9:14 How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without spot to God, <u>purge your conscience from dead works to</u> serve the living God?

Heb 10:22 Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, <u>having our</u> <u>hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure</u> <u>water.</u>

### XIV. Strangers & Sojourners

**1Pe 2:11** Dearly beloved, I beseech you as **strangers and pilgrims**, abstain from fleshly lusts, which war against the soul;

1Pe 2:12 Having your conversation honest among the Gentiles: that, whereas they speak against you as evildoers, they may by your good works, which they shall behold, glorify God in the day of visitation.

**1Ch 29:14** But who am I, and what is my people, that we should be able to offer so willingly after this sort? for all things come of thee, and of thine own have we given thee.

1Ch 29:15 For <u>we are strangers before thee, and sojourners</u>, as were all our fathers: our days on the earth are as a shadow, and there is none abiding.

**CEV Php 3:20** But <u>we are citizens of heaven</u> and are eagerly waiting for our Savior to come from there. Our Lord Jesus Christ

### XV. Desire Fellowship with YAHWEH

**1Jn 1:3** That which we have seen and heard declare we unto you, that ye also may have fellowship with us: and truly <u>our fellowship is with the Father, and with his</u> <u>Son Jesus Christ.</u>

**1Jn 1:5** This then is the message which we have heard of him, and declare unto you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. 1Jn 1:6 <u>If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth</u>:

- a. Fellowship with the Father & Son
- b. We must walk in the light in order to do so.

### XVI. Desire Fellowship with Saints

**1Jn 1:7** But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have <u>fellowship one with</u> another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

- a. Fellowship must be with those walking in the light.
- b. Such fellowship results in us being cleansed by the blood of Yeshua