

# **“What Must I NOT Do To Be Saved?” Pt.1**

## **(Exposing Wrong Responses to the Gospel)**

### **I. The CONDITION For Salvation**

*\*What must I do to be saved? Acts 16.31*

### **II. The CONTROVERSY Over Salvation’s Condition**

**A. There is an \_\_\_\_\_ to the gospel.**

**B. People tend to \_\_\_\_\_ those things that offend them.**

**C. “Modern” and “Post-modern” methods to communicate the gospel attempt to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ to make spiritual truth more palatable.**

**D. What Is the Gospel and Its Sole Requirement?**

**The ELEMENTS of the gospel center around...**

1. ...a specific \_\_\_\_\_, Jesus Christ. 1 Cor 15.3
2. ...a specific \_\_\_\_\_, “how that Christ died...& rose again...” 1 Cor 15.3-4
3. ...a specific \_\_\_\_\_, “Christ died for our sins” 1 Cor 15.3-4
4. ...a specific \_\_\_\_\_, “Believe” 1Cor 15.2, 11

**E. The PROOFS of the gospel are that...**

1. It is \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_. 1 Cor 15.3-4
2. It is \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_. 1 Cor 15.4-8

### III. The CONFUSION About Salvation

#### A. What are some WRONG CONDITIONS for Salvation?

1. The confusion: "Believe and be baptized"

The Clarification: **Water baptism is a \_\_\_\_\_ of salvation for believers, not a means of salvation for unbelievers (Acts. 8.26-40; 10.43-48).**

*\*What about the Gospel of John?*

*\*What about 1 Cor. 1.14-17?*

2. The confusion: "Believe and confess your sins"

The Clarification: **Confession of known sin is necessary for the believer to be restored to \_\_\_\_\_ with God, not for salvation from Hell. (1Jn. 1.3-10).**

*\*Is sin the problem between an unbeliever and God? (Jn 3.18)*

3. The confusion: "Repent of your sins and be saved"

*\*Why are these words misunderstood?*

*\*What do these words mean biblically?*

*\*What do the lost need to change their minds about?*

The Clarification: **Since your sins have been paid for by Jesus Christ, you need to \_\_\_\_\_ (repent) about trusting anything but Jesus Christ to save you. (Acts 17.30-34).**

*\*What about Acts 2.38?*

*\*What can you learn from all this?*