

# Are You Saved?

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## From What: Fatherlessness

I was saved at my Baptism. I am being saved. I hope to be saved. The Father has adopted us in Christ. And He cannot take it back. But do we live as children of the Father?

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## Discussion Questions

1. Who is one person you would like to be like? In what way would you like to be like them?
  2. Saint Paul writes, "Christ Jesus came into this world to save sinners." Knowing that sin is universal, do you ever stop and think of yourself individually as someone in *need* of saving? Or is that just a passive thought? Please discuss.
  3. Taking that one step further, do you see yourself as someone who needs a *Savior* (Jesus)? Is Jesus a part of your life because you need Him and appreciate Him, or is He just nice to have around if/when you feel like connecting with Him?
  4. Salvation is not just about past forgiveness or a future hope of Heaven, it is being saved from being unChristlike. Have you ever thought of salvation as also being a part of your present, day-to-day life? Can you see it in your own life? In what ways?
  5. To be saved from being unChristlike is to be saved from Fatherlessness. Is it difficult to let Him love you as a good Dad would love you? How so?
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## God in Real Life

As much as you need Him, He wants to love you even more. What is one way that you can practically let Him love you as a Father this week?

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## To the Heart

"Then let us celebrate with a feast, because this son of mine was dead, and has come to life again; he was lost, and has been found." Luke 15:23-24