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**Salvation (John 20:11-18)**





# The Message of Faith

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*\*Unless Jesus is involved.*





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Salvation is both an event and a process: it is an accomplished fact, a continuing walk, and a future hope. Always the gift of God, salvation is received by repentance from sin and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, both witnessed to through water baptism.

In faithfulness to His promises, God adopts believers as His children, forgiving their sins and giving them His Holy Spirit. They in turn demonstrate their faith by obeying the commands of Christ and following His example in daily living.



Scripture uses various terms to describe aspects of salvation, but ultimately it means Christlikeness—conformity to the image of God's Son by the work of His Spirit within us. To that end we are kept by the power of God, which operates through our faith.





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# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>1</sup> Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance.

# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>11</sup> Now Mary stood outside the tomb crying. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb <sup>12</sup> and saw two angels in white, seated where Jesus' body had been, one at the head and the other at the foot.



# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>13</sup> They asked her, “Woman, why are you crying?”

“They have taken my Lord away,” she said,  
“and I don’t know where they have put him.”

# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>14</sup> At this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not realize that it was Jesus.

<sup>15</sup> He asked her, “Woman, why are you crying? Who is it you are looking for?”



# John 20:1, 11-18

Thinking he was the gardener, she said, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will get him.”

# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>16</sup> Jesus said to her, “Mary.”  
She turned toward him and cried  
out in Aramaic, “Rabboni!” (which  
means “Teacher”).



# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>17</sup> Jesus said, “Do not hold on to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father. Go instead to my brothers and tell them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’”

# John 20:1, 11-18

<sup>18</sup> Mary Magdalene went to the disciples with the news: “I have seen the Lord!” And she told them that he had said these things to her.





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