

From Our Father's Heart
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I have the antidote for anything and everything that is wrong.
His Name is Jesus.
He has overcome the world and its ways.
He has overcome all of the frailties of mankind.
He has overcome all future perils.
You can trust Him!
Stop looking at the challenges that face you.
Look to Jesus.
Stop looking at who you are not.
Look to Jesus.
He will make you whoever He wants you to be.
Jesus is everything!
Forever.

Romans 8:33-34 NIV Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies.

34) Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died - more than that, who was raised to life - is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.

2 Cor. 5:18-20a AMP But all things are from God, Who through *Jesus* Christ reconciled us to Himself [received us into favor, brought us into harmony with Himself] and gave to us the ministry of reconciliation [that by word and deed we might aim to bring others into harmony with Him].

19) It was God [personally present] in Christ, reconciling *and* restoring the world to favor with Himself, not counting up *and* holding against [men] their trespasses [but cancelling them], and committing to us the message of reconciliation (of the restoration to favor).

20a) So we are Christ's ambassadors, God making His appeal as it were through us.

I Cor. 3:11 AMP For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is [already] laid, which is Jesus Christ (the Messiah, the Anointed One).

Hebrews 1:3 AMP He is the sole expression of the glory of God [the Light-being, the out-raying or radiance of the divine], and He is the perfect imprint *and* very image of [God's] nature, upholding *and* maintaining *and* guiding *and* propelling the universe by His mighty word of power. When He had *by offering Himself* accomplished *our* cleansing of sins *and* riddance of guilt, He sat down at the right hand of the divine Majesty on high...

Note: Some take issue with the accuracy of *The Message*. That being said, we sometimes choose to include it as an interpretation, not for study purposes, but to add color and emphasis to what is being shared.

Hebrews 10 The Message "It was a perfect sacrifice by a perfect person to perfect some very imperfect people. By that single offering, he did everything that needed to be done for everyone who takes part in the purifying process."

I love the idea that a perfect Person made the perfect sacrifice, so that anyone who chooses to believe can be perfected in God's eyes. To me, that thought carries over into the day to day working out of life's situations and challenges. In fact, I believe that they are there to be used as tools to help perfect us. If that is true, what is there to worry about? We have a perfect Savior Who knows how to work things out perfectly – especially in us!

Teach me to trust only You, Lord – Jim Corbett