# "THE GREAT COMPONENTS OF OUR SALVATION" GALATIANS 1:4

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<u>INTRO:</u> Many times we who know the Lord either do not consider OR take for granted the GREAT COMPONENTS OF OUR SALVATION. Doing so leads us to 1) Not appreciating what Christ has done for us and, 2) Missing out on many blessings of understanding our salvation. In the verse before us and under FIVE CATEGORIES, we have 27 COMPONENTS OF OUR SALVATION to consider.

## I. CHRIST GAVE HIMSELF

- A. Took the Greatest Act of Obedience to the Father.
- B. Took the Greatest Act of Love for Us.
- C. Took the Greatest Act of Understanding the Depraved Condition of Mankind.
- D. Took the Greatest Act of "SELF-LESS-NESS" ever given.

ILLUSTRATION:

#### II. CHRIST GAVE HIMSELF FOR OUR SINS

- A. Christ had to Volunteer in order to Offer the Perfect Sacrifice
  - 1. To show His genuine Love for Us.
  - 2. To show His true Desire to please the Father
- B. Christ had to Be Sinless
  - 1. To Provide the Perfect Sacrifice
  - 2. To Please the Father Totally
  - 3. To Present a Sacrifice that was Accepted By the Father Completely
- C. Christ Had to Die for All of our Sins
  - 1. Necessary for Us to Get into God's Presence
  - 2. Necessary to Remove the Deep Stain of Sin from us.
  - 3. Necessary to Fulfill Prophecy.
  - 4. Necessary to Complete Redemption.

ILLUSTRATION:

## III. CHRIST GAVE HIMSELF TO DELIVER US FROM THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD

NOTE: The word "MIGHT" comes from "DUNIMIS" and means "TO HAVE THE POWER TO DO THAT WHICH IS NEEDED."

- A. This World System is Satanic Controlled.
- B. This World System is Judged by God
- C. This World System will be Destroyed

ILLUSTRATION:

# IV. CHRIST GAVE HIMSELF ACCORDING TO THE WILL OF GOD THE FATHER

- A. God's Will was to Provide a Sacrifice as He is not Willing that Any Should Perish.
- B. God's Will was to Provide a Sacrifice that was Totally Effective
- C. God's Will was to Provide a Sacrifice that Would Fulfill his Promise to the Entire Human Race

ILLUSTRATION:

## V. CHRIST GAVE HIMSELF FOR US IN ORDER TO GLORIFY THE FATHER

- A. Christ's Sacrifice Exalted the Father for Ever.
- B. Christ's Sacrifice Will Praise God for Ever.

ILLUSTRATION:

#### **OUR RESPONSE:**

- 1) To Apply Christ's Sacrifice Personally by receiving Him as Savior.
- 2) To Respond to Christ's Sacrifice Personally with Devotion and Service.