

The New And Living Way

Jesus coming home Great Week - Cross - Meaning of
Salvation.

① The Strong Will of His Father and People

- Strong ties that reach back over the centuries.
- The visit to the Temple at 12.
- The great stories of ancient living and battles.
- The rich meaning of the Temple, the Law and prophets.
- Now he was coming home to celebrate Deliverance
The Passover.
- Thus he was coming with far deeper reasons.

② His Was The Climax of A Life Of Obedience

- As a Son: "Wise up now that I must be about
my Father's business"
- At his Baptism there were the temptations:
 - Why not bread? Why not shortcuts?
 - Why not the Devil's Methods?
- At the Great Turning Point Peter had tried
to belittle Jesus' sense of duty.
- Now his face set toward Jerusalem.
 - Set like flint.

③ This Was the Climax of His Teaching

- All His Ministry Was Marked by Teaching.
- The Healer
 - The Demoniac, Blind Bartimaeus,
 - The Crippled Man by the Pool.
- Those Spiritually Lost
 - Teachers to the Woman Taken in Adultery.
- He Compared Himself to A Shepherd.
- Great Figure among the Palatians.
- One Who Cared and Sought for the Sheep.
- As he Came to the City he Wept Over It.

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Central to coming Home Was His Own Sacrifice - The Cross

① There Were Forces Against Him Which Could Only
Mean Tragedy.

② More Than This He Laid His Life Down.

③ His Life Had Lead To This Need.

- It was all of the same pattern.

④ This Has Had Tremendous Meaning to Christian.

- Victory or Deliverance -

- Reconciliation -

- Salvation. -

- Sacrifice - Unique Opening the Way.

⑤ The Background of His Sacrifice

- The Offering of The Best - Moving Life.

- Offering Made Directly To God.

- Made My A. Wise for the People.

- Christian Belief.

Sacrifice - That Which Christ Did Was The
Sacrifice and The Bread.

The Meaning of The Sacrifice

3. But none of the sacrifices ever knew.
How deep were the waters crossed,
How low dark was the night that
He found his sheep that was
The Lord passed there.

① Christ Has Opened The Way Into The Holy of Holies 2 Cor.

- The Walls and Barriers are Down.
- God is Not A Mysterious Something Far Removed.
- He is a God of Mercy, Love and Pardon.

② Christ Has Offered His Blood In Our Behalf

- The Jewish Background.
 - In the Exodus - Blood on door posts.
 - In the Atonement
 - Blood of Bullock in Holy of Holies for High Priest.
 - Blood of Goat for people sprinkled on Mercy Seat for people.
- Christ's Love of Our Kind
 - "The blood of Jesus Christ, His Son, cleanseth us from all sin."
- The Terrible Cost of It.
 - The Brokenness and Humiliation
- We Are Bound To Him By a Covenant of Blood.

③ The Enemy Has Been Overcome On His Own Ground.

- The Money Changers.
- Guttenches Churchly Power.
- The Shifting Political Power.
- The Weakness, Vacillation and Betrayal.

All Overcome.

The Glory of Christ's Sacrifice

① Full and Complete Forgiveness of him

Pilgrims Progress: Christian leaves the City of Destruction
His burden stays with him till he comes to the
Cross. - Then he loses it with joy.

- Dr. Warr in Echoes of Feathers. A boy who
was angry and wasted his life. Then an
officer made him a servant and a great
transformation took place. Then the latter
was dead. His Mother's Prayer:

→ The day is done, O God the Son,
Look down upon - My little one.
O Light of Light, keep - me this - night
And shed - around - My presence - light..

I need not fear - if Thou - art near,
Thou art my Saviour - kind & dear...
So happily and - peacefully -
Lay me - down - to rest - in Thee.

② Call for the offering of Ourselves.

- Our Moderate Motivations and pitiful offerings.

- Something bigger and better than we have given our Lord.

That Message Must Be Lived

- In Our Congregation.
- In Our Homes.
- In Our Personal Lives

② The Method

- Everyone Is Responsible
- Each One Becomes An Evangelist
- Deep Outthought, Outlived and Outlives.
- Our Opportunities
 - Daily Work
 - Friendships

③ The Message

- The Power of God.
- This comes from
 - Repentance Obedience
 - Surrender