

Genesis 25:23

BIBLE TWINS

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And the LORD said unto her, Two nations are in thy womb, and two manner of people shall be separated from thy bowels; and the one people shall be stronger than the other people; and the elder shall serve the younger.

Just as twins grow together in the mother's womb, there are other 'twins' of which the Bible speaks – things that go together. It would be wise for us to take note of them.

Proverbs 28:13

*He that **covereth his sins** shall **not prosper**: but whoso **confesseth** and **forsaketh** them shall **have mercy**.*

Isaiah 1:19

*If ye be **willing** and **obedient**, ye shall eat the good of the land:*

Isaiah 55:7

*Let the **wicked forsake his way**, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him **return unto the LORD**, and He will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.*

Matthew 3:6

*And were **baptized** of him in Jordan, **confessing their sins**.*

Matthew 5:6 - Jesus speaking

*Blessed are they which do **hunger** and **thirst after righteousness**: for they shall be filled.*

Matthew 17:21 - Jesus speaking

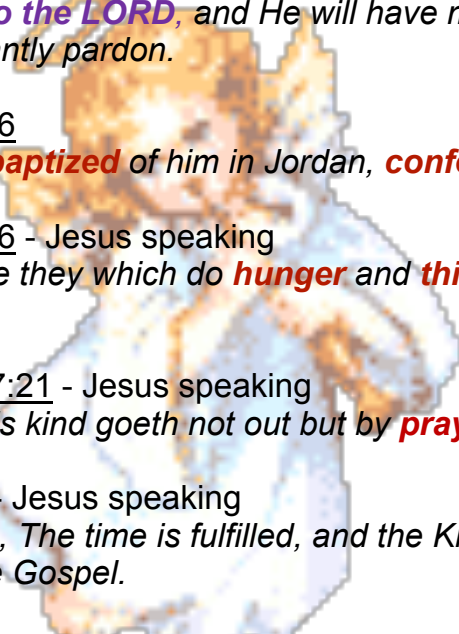
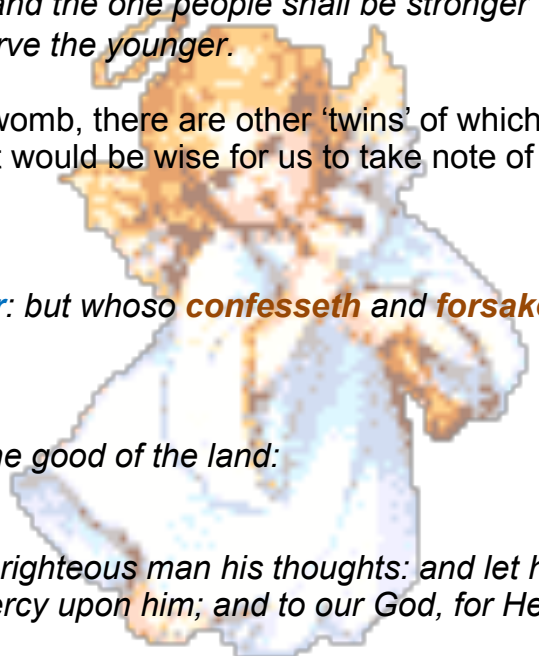
*Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by **prayer** and **fasting**.*

Mark 1:15 - Jesus speaking

*And saying, The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand: **repent** ye, and **believe** the Gospel.*

Mark 16:15 - Jesus speaking

*And He said unto them, **Go** ye into all the world, and **preach the Gospel to every creature**.*



Mark 9:29 - Jesus speaking

*And He said unto them, This kind can come forth by nothing, but by **prayer** and **fasting**.*

Luke 24:47

*And that **repentance** and **remission of sins** should be preached in His Name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.*

John 1:12

*But as many as **received Him**, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that **believe on His Name**:*

John 3:5

*Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man **be born of water and of the Spirit**, he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God.*

John 5:24

*Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that **heareth My Word**, and **believeth** on Him Who sent Me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.*

Acts 2:38

*Then Peter said unto them, **Repent**, and **be baptized** every one of you in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.*

Acts 3:19

***Repent** ye therefore, and **be converted**, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the Presence of the Lord;*

Acts 14:23

*And when they had ordained them elders in every church, and had **prayed** with **fasting**, they commended them to the Lord, on Whom they believed.*

Acts 20:21

*Testifying both to the Jews, and also to the Greeks, **repentance toward God**, and **faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ**.*

Romans 10:9-10

⁹ *That if thou shalt **confess** with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt **believe** in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.*

¹⁰ *For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.*

(This does not refer to belief in a *historical* Christ, but in a personal Saviour Who is alive today. It is not a watered-down version of Christ. It's not Christ *and* some denomination and/or catechism.)

Galatians 1:3

Grace be to you and **peace** from God the Father, and from our Lord Jesus Christ.

Ephesians 1:2

Grace be to you, and **peace**, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

Colossians 1:2

To the saints and faithful brethren in Christ which are at Colosse: **Grace** be unto you, and **peace**, from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 1:3

Grace be unto you, and **peace**, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Peter 1:2

Elect according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through sanctification of the Spirit, unto obedience and sprinkling of the Blood of Jesus Christ: **Grace** unto you, and **peace**, be multiplied.

2 Peter 1:2

Grace and **peace** be multiplied unto you through the knowledge of God, and of Jesus our Lord,

Philippians 1:2

Grace be unto you, and **peace**, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

Revelation 1:4

John to the seven churches which are in Asia: **Grace** be unto you, and **peace**, from Him which is, and which was, and which is to come; and from the seven Spirits which are before His Throne;

1 Thessalonians 3:6

But now when Timotheus came from you unto us, and brought us good tidings of your **faith** and **charity**, and that ye have good remembrance of us always, desiring greatly to see us, as we also to see you:

1 Thessalonians 5:8

But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of **faith** and **love**; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation.

1 Timothy 1:14

*And the grace of our Lord was exceeding abundant with **faith** and **love** which is in Christ Jesus.*

1 Timothy 2:15

*Notwithstanding she shall be saved in childbearing, if they continue in **faith** and **charity** and holiness with sobriety.*

2 Timothy 1:13

*Hold fast the form of sound words, which thou hast heard of me, in **faith** and **love** which is in Christ Jesus.*

Hebrews 10:39

*But we are not of them who draw back unto perdition; but of them that **believe** to the **saving** of the soul.*

The Gospel Brings:

- liberty to captives
- pardon to condemned criminals
- life to those dead in trespasses and sins
- deliverance from deadly diseases



Salvation is of Divine origin. It:

- is designed in Heaven
- bears Heaven's copyright

God wants you to be saved from sin. He wants you in His family.

Revelation 22:17

And the Spirit and the Bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the Water of Life freely.

In Revelation 2 and 3, five of the seven churches repent. Jesus said (in Luke 5:32) that He came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance.

Too many people excuse and apologize for their sinfulness. They are aware that others see their corruption, but are not sorry enough to repent and turn from their sin. Thus, they can never receive saving faith which is a gift of God. A

person who makes light of his sins or minimizes them is a discredit to himself. Those who see their faults and sins and seek to correct them are held in honor.

How can you believe and be saved? Belief is impossible when truth is not told in order for one to believe. The heart can't believe without facts to take hold of. The Word is a great faith builder. **Satan realizes this and does three things to prevent you from reading the Word and growing in faith. Satan -**

- 1. Satan blinds the mind.**
- 2. Satan deceives you into believing a lie about Christ and the Bible.**
- 3. Satan tempts you to sin, and hardens your heart.**

Psalms 37:3

***Trust** in the LORD, and **do good**; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.*

Psalms 37:5

***Commit** thy way unto the LORD; **trust** also in Him; and He shall bring it to pass.*

Psalms 84:11

*For the LORD God is a sun and shield: the LORD will give **grace** and **glory**: no good thing will He withhold from them that walk uprightly.*

Psalms 85:10

***Mercy** and **truth** are met together; **righteousness** and **peace** have kissed each other.*

Psalms 89:14

***Justice** and **judgment** are the habitation of Thy Throne: mercy and truth shall go before Thy Face.*