

**1 How do we know that the rapture hasn't already happened?**

We are still living here. Because we are here, we know that the rapture has not already happened.

We are children of God. We are saved. We are destined for heaven. We were chosen before we were born.

God has great plans for us. We will not miss rapture.

Moreover, the condition on earth will be totally in turmoil after rapture. The events waiting to happen after rapture are dangerous. The very next day will be filled with shocking news. Pilot missing and aircraft crashed. Bus driver missing and bus in accident. All highways will be blocked as drivers are missing. Newspapers will just write "Millions vanished" from earth.

Now, the world has seen a small virus only. That has become unbearable to the world. Whole world is crying.

It will be miserable for those living on this planet after rapture. Many major earthquakes are waiting to happen. Big mountains will collapse. Plenty of huge Comets will fall on earth. There will be sighs on Sun and Moon. Water will become poisonous. Sea will roar with Hurricanes and tsunamis, More Pandemics will make life on earth miserable. Famine will kill many millions.

A cruel world ruler, Antichrist, is waiting to control the whole world with terror. You may read in Revelation Chapters 6 to 18 which describes wrath of God on the evil doers & the Great Tribulation.

We all must go with our Redeemer Lord Jesus Christ at the Rapture to live an everlasting life with Him. Praise and thank God for this privilege.

**2 Do we lose our freedom in heaven?**

Here on earth everyone wants freedom and uses the freedom secretly. Do you know for what? For happiness. Self-centred happiness. Exclusively for personal pleasures.

In heaven what God has prepared for those who love Him has never been revealed. No eye has seen, no ear heard and no mind has imagined. **(1 Cor 2:9)**

**Romans 14:7** says "The Kingdom of God is not a matter of what we eat or drink, but of living a life of goodness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.

In earth even the richest man lacks "Life of goodness, Peace & Joy". God promises everything for your happiness. You have to live IN HIM. You will never need to be away from Him.

### 3 How can humans have free will and God be sovereign all at the same time?

God has given free will to human beings in matters such as; choosing, selecting and deciding on everything related to one's life. In such matters God will not interfere. He has given you total freedom. Human beings are not created as Robots.

Unless and until you accept Jesus Christ as your personal savior and surrender your life totally to Him & the body of Christ (the holy church of God), God will not interfere in your life.

As per (**Rev.3:20**) Jesus will not be an intruder in anybody's life. You have to invite Him to come in to your life to enjoy real Fellowship with Him. Trust Him, permit Him to transform your life by inviting Him. You will rejoice in Him. He will give you the peace which the world cannot give. God is sovereign over Universe. God created Universe and He sustains it. Read **Psalm 19:1-6**

### 4 Is science compatible with religious beliefs? (Big Bang theory, evolution)

"Big Bang theory" and "evolution theory" are based on several years of observation by relevant scientists. As years go by man may get still more information on the subject. Theories may even totally change when we know more and more. What man knows now is very vague on all such matters.

Has God created the heavenly bodies using "Big bang theory"? I don't know.

Is life on earth came through Evolution? I don't know.

But our total knowledge of the Universe is just a small minute fraction of what actually exists. Man will never be able to fathom the vastness and marvels of the Universe.

Our faith is based on what has been revealed to us in the Bible. Whatever has been revealed in the Bible has only one purpose: "SALVATION" of mankind"

**Psalm 19:1** says "The heavens declare the glory of God, And the firmament shows His Handiwork".

"Big Bang Theory" or "Evolution theory" does not prevent us from trusting what has been revealed in the word of God. Can any scientist answer the questions God asked **Job** in **Chapter 38-39**? I believe, no one will be able to answer those questions.

Let us not waste our precious time. Our life is very short in this world. Man will never be able to survey the vastness and marvels of this Universe, which we believe our loving Father God created.

If Evolution happens in various species over longer periods, say in millions of years, let it happen. It does not affect our faith in what God said in the Holy scriptures. God created man in His own image .....(**Gen 1:27**)

Today, all science and scientists stay humbled in front of a minor Virus the "Covid 19". More Viruses and diseases are predicted to make life on this planet unbearable after the Rapture.

Covid 19 is a forerunner of things to come. Where is the Science and scientists who question the wisdom of our creator, God the Father.

Read **Luke 21:10**, **Matthew 24:21** **Revelation CH:9** for more details on the judgment awaiting on evil doers.

**5 If God is all powerful, why is Satan and hell a thing?**

God is all powerful. Yes. No doubt about it. If God wants to terminate Satan, it can be done even with a small word from God. Satan is a created being. From the very beginning Satan is doing evil things. You might be asking " Why God is not destroying him? I personally believe that God has a purpose in keeping him alive until such time as revealed in the Book of Revelations. Hell is prepared for Satan and those who follow him. Satan is always working against the Salvation plan God has prepared for human beings. Those who accept Jesus Christ as savior will be saved from the turmoil in hell. It is for man to inherit the way of salvation offered through the sacrifice of Lord Jesus Christ. If one is not accepting this free Salvation plan Hell is the other alternative.

**6 Did God create evil? (Isaiah 45)**

The **45th Chapter** in **Isaiah** is a continuation of the revelation in the previous chapter. This is a prophecy concerning Cyrus the emperor of the Medo-Persian Empire, and how God delivered into his hands many nations. Cyrus was very much indebted to Him. God reveals himself to Cyrus as the one and only true God. No other God exists in the Universe. The Persians believed in "Zoroastrian religion". They were taught that there are two rival gods one for good and one for evil. God confirms to Cyrus that He is the only God, responsible for all creations. When God speaks of creating evil, He is speaking of disasters & calamities that he brings upon the enemies of his plans. This does not mean that God creates "moral evil", but it refers to the judgments, disasters and calamities, God sends on evil persons as a consequence of their sin.

**7 Do aliens exist (life forms outside Earth)?**

The Bible does not reveal any such things. There could be other living creatures. The possibility exists. The Universe is very vast. That does not bother us at all. Thank and praise God for giving us this great privilege to live as His children. God loves us. God gave us His only begotten Son as a sacrifice to save us. God has accepted us into His home as sons and daughters. And He has kept the best for us. We will rejoice with Him.

**8 Why is the Earth and life so imperfect?**

It is due to the presence of SIN. Because of sin Adam lost the glory he was given by God. Because Adam failed in keeping the earth under his control, Satan claimed that. Because of Satan and Sin the earth is in imperfect condition.

The day is fast approaching, when our Lord will take control of this earth, cleanse this and rule with justice and peace.

SIN will be removed. Satan will be imprisoned. The earth is getting ready to welcome our Lord, the Prince of Peace.

Read: **Romans 8:19-22**

19 For the creation wait in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed. 20 For the creation was subjected to frustration, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope 21 that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the freedom and glory of the children of God.

**Isaiah 65:25** The wolf and the lamb will feed together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox, and dust will be the serpent's food They will neither harm nor destroy on all my holy mountain," says the LORD.

**9 Why does God require us to praise him?**

God loves praises from those who love Him and trust Him. He is not demanding it from others.

A father loves to hear praises from his children. Any praise or thanksgiving coming from the heart of His loving Sons and Daughters make Him happy.

It is our privilege to praise the "Lord of Lords and King of Kings.

Let us rejoice in our warm relation with Him. He is worthy of all praises and worship.

God does not lack praise and worship in heaven. Millions and millions of angels worship Him day and night.

Read **Isaiah 6:1-4, Ezekiel 1:1-28, Revelation 4:1-11**

## 10 What is God?

No one can define the attributes of God by our limited knowledge. But personally, we can witness Him by faith as:

“My God can keep me from stumbling, and to present me faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, who alone is wise, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and forever” (**Jude verse 24 -25**)

Our God is omniscient (all-knowing), omnipotent (all-powerful), omnipresent (all-present) and as having an eternal and necessary existence.

God is the creator and ruler of the universe and source of all moral authority; the supreme being.

God, the blessed and only Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, whom no one has seen or can see. **1 Tim 6: 15-17**

Read **Colossians 1:15-17**

## 11 Is God just? (Brutally punishes people, violent in the Old testament, Biased)

Yes. God is just. There is no compromise. God will not tolerate evil. Sinner cannot stand in His Holy presence.

His punishments in the Law given to Moses are without any lenience. Eye for an eye, tooth for a tooth. No man can satisfy God's standard of Holiness. Sin will be punished.

**Rom: 3:23** All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

Malachi 4:1 The old testament ends with this proclamation. There is no excuse for Evil doers.

For, behold, the day cometh, that shall burn as an oven; and all the proud, yea, and all that do wickedly, shall be stubble: and the day that cometh shall burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, that it shall leave them neither root nor branch.

Remember, God has provided a way to escape this punishment. He has given his own son as a sacrificial lamb to redeem those who will receive him as saviour. God is just. God is Holy. God is Love. Come and inherit the great Salvation he is offering in this grace period.

## 12 Is God all Loving

God is Love. God showed His Love to man by sending His only begotten Son to become a sacrifice to save Man.

God proved His Love.

But, don't forget “God is Holy. God will not compromise on evil. Sin will be punished.

God will remove all evil and sins from the Universe. His plan is eternal. He is making all things New.

Read **Rev 22:3 & Rev 22: 11 & 12**

**13 Why did God allow the holocaust to Happen?**

Moses gave Israel a warning in **Deuteronomy CH: 28:16-69**. Holocaust is totally predicted by Moses as a consequence of Israel's disobedience & Sins. Israel's disobedience, Israel's rejection of Messiah also brought the judgement on them.

Israel suffered also due to their rejection and crucifixion of their Messiah.

They cried out in front of Pilot "Let His blood fall on us and our Children" when they insisted to crucify our Lord.

**14 Where did God come from?**

God is self-existent, and the source of everything else that possesses existence.

He does not need to come from any other place.

**15 What is the meaning of life?**

Life is a gift from God. Thank God, for giving you, life to enjoy all that He has created in this planet.

Remember, this is your probation period.

You must work hard to become eligible for life eternal.

And that too with your creator in glory.

This is the meaning of Life.

**1Peter 1:17** Conduct yourselves throughout the time of your stay here in fear.

**Hebrews 11:9 -10** By faith Abraham dwelt in the land of promise as in a foreign country, dwelling in tents.... He waited for the city which has foundations whose builder and maker is God.

## 16 What makes our faith right and others wrong?

a) In England there is one Queen. Is there any possibility to have two queens or two kings?

Surely the answer is = No. Only one king in one country.

In the Universe Can there be two gods? Surely the answer is = No. Only one God in this universe.

Bible says "There shall be no other God except me". "I am that I am": This is our God's name.

b) No one has ever seen God. But God reveals himself in this world. We have this revelation in Jesus Christ. People knows god in many religions as stories passed from one generation to another generation. Let us call it "word remains as word" from generation to generation.

But in Christianity, the greatest thing is that "word became flesh and lived among us. St. John wrote "we saw his glory as the only begotten of the father, full of grace and truth.

c) God came down in human flesh and lived among us. He proclaimed the following:

- I am the light of the world
- I am the bread of life
- I am the door of the sheep
- I am the good shepherd
- I am resurrection and life
- I am the way, truth and life
- I am the true wine

No one else claim the above except our Lord Jesus Christ.

d) God is holy. God revealed himself in human flesh and that was Jesus Christ. Jesus lived a very holy life. There was no sin in him.

e) God loves the human beings. God showed His love by giving us His only begotten son to become a sacrifice for us. To redeem us from our sins. Paid the ransom by his holy blood.

f) Whoever believes in this sacrifice and repents God forgives his sins and accepts him and adopts him as son.

g) Our Lord is risen. He lives forever and ever. He has promised to come back and take us to his home. We live in the hope of eternal life.

These seven things make our religion the right one. In other religions these are missing.

**17 There are plenty of good people in the world who aren't Christian, will they be saved?**

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**Isaiah 64:6** says "We are all like an unclean thing, And all our righteousness are like filthy rags.

Man's Good works fail to meet God's standards of holiness.

Jesus declared to the world "I am the way, the truth and the life. No one comes to the father except through me. **John14:6**

**Acts 4:12** Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."

There is only one God. There is only one Saviour. There is only one way.

All the good works a man do in his whole life is not eligible to blot out the scar of sin on his life. Sin is so severe; it is unpardonable without a precious sacrifice which can satisfy God's holiness. Only our Lord Jesus Christ offers the sacrifice for redemption.

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## 18 How has our faith been influenced?

(It's been carried down for so long through different people, so it is very likely things have changed, like a game of Chinese whispers)

The chance of deterioration or corruption is there in the Church.

In fact, Church suffered many influences to derail the faith in the long period of about 2000 years.

But the central theme or central principle of salvation plan God provided remains intact.

We are lucky that the Bible survived all such influences. We have got it without even one word missing or one word added by anyone.

There are several groups and denominations following different ways in worship, in leadership and beliefs.

But everything can be tested in the light of Bible. Follow what is according to Bible.

**2 Tim 3:16** All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness

Bible is the authentic scripture without any corruption. Follow Bible as the foundation of your faith

Bible remains and gives us the assurance of our salvation & eternal life with God. "BIBLE IN OUR HANDS" ITSELF IS A MIRACLE."

## 19 Can I trust the Bible?

In Roman Law two or three witnesses are enough to confirm a case in front of the Judge

Among Israeli people Moses also ordered to confirm a crime with two or three witnesses.

Bible was written by about 40 persons sitting at different places at different times.

But there is no change from the central theme of the Bible – which is SALVATION of Mankind.

So, you have more than 40 witnesses, not related to each other. Many of them lived at different centuries.

Between the first book and last book there is 1500 years gap. But the message is consistent.

You can start writing a big book today and plan it to complete after 1500 years. Let us see how you will manage it and how the consistency will remain.

In last 2000 years there were many attempts to destroy this Holy Book by Satanic forces.

But still it remains without any word losing from it.

The prophecies in the Bible are getting fulfilled in front of our eyes. The formation of European Union was predicted by Daniel 2500 years ago. You all were part of it until Brexit.

Too many saintly people lost their life in their endeavour to translate the holy book to vernacular languages.

A world ruler will be arriving soon as predicted in the Bible prophecies. That guy may be studying in Oxford or Cambridge now. I am not joking. I am serious.

Get ready to see chip planting on the right hand and on forehead of citizens in most European countries in your life time as predicted in the Book of Revelation.

I can list thousands of proofs in support of the trustworthiness of Bible.

YES. It is God's words. It is trustworthy. Trust it and be saved.

**20 Why did the Lord God put the tree of knowledge of good and evil in the garden, when He knew that they would eat from it?**

The Eden Garden is a Symbol of Paradise. There is no place for Sin there. God gave Adam freedom of choice. He can choose holy life or sinful life. He chose sinful life, disobeying God's command. God wanted Adam also to recognize & accept that he failed. For that purpose, God kept the tree there.

The tree of knowledge of good and evil which was placed in Eden was an instrument for test. Adam failed in the test.

God has created all human beings. All have been given freedom of choice. Only those choosing holy life will be given permission to go to Paradise or heaven.

How to know who will go to heaven? All human beings are being tested continuously and monitored in heaven. Only those who prove worthy will go to heaven.

Read **1 Cor. 3:13** (Your deeds will be revealed through fire) & Read **Eccles: 12:14**

**21 When Peter spoke to the people of Jerusalem about salvation, on the day of Pentecost, how did they all understand, as they spoke different languages?**

Read **Acts 2: 6 - 8**

When Apostles spoke in TONGUES in Holy Spirit (Other languages) every one heard in their own language. There were people from various countries speaking about seventeen different languages. This is a special gift by the Holy Spirit.

This type of special gift by the Holy Spirit takes place now also. I have read from history of some God's holy servants such incidences have taken place in their preaching times. They just start preaching and God gave language in their mouth which was never learned by them.

The event that happened in Jerusalem at Pentecost is exactly the opposite of what happened in Babel as described in **Genesis 11.7**.

"Come let US go down and there confuse their language, that they may not understand one another's speech". Satanic attempt to build "Tower of Babel" for Mankind was destroyed by God's action.

In **Acts CH 2**, God unified the languages to build the "Holy Church of God". Peter speaks in Aramaic language and people of seventeen languages hear it in their own language.

## 22 How should we study the bible? Like how should we go about doing it?

Many people just read the Bible only. That is the reason why Bible knowledge is poor even among believers.

Let me suggest different steps in studying the Bible:

Step 1 – Read the Bible from Genesis to Revelation at least one time. All children must read Bible completely by the time they reach 12 years.

Step 2 – Read book by book – Keep a Diary with you. Write down the verses that touch you, or inspire you, that give you a promise. Use the promises while praying. Repeat it and tell the Lord this promise I believe. I believe in your promise to me Lord.

Step 3 – Select some Books to study using Bible Commentary or Trustworthy study notes by Holy servants of God.

I consider St. Paul's Epistles must be studied by every believer. Every child of God must study the Epistle to Romans. Romans is the most systematic presentation of Gospel in the Bible. Among Paul's 13 epistles in the Bible, Book of Romans stand as the leader. Follow studying in this order.

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| A. | Romans –Corinthians 1 & 2                  | – | Galatians (With Crucified Christ) |
| B. | Ephesians-Philippians- Colossians          | – | (With Resurrected Christ)         |
| C. | Thessalonians 1 & 2                        | – | (With Returning Christ)           |
| D. | Timothy 1&2 – Titus –Philemon              | – | (Pastoral advices-)               |
| E. | Hebrews                                    |   |                                   |
| F. | Revelation                                 |   |                                   |
| G. | St. Peter 1 & 2, James, John 1,2 & 3, Jude |   |                                   |

In Old testament you can choose books as per your choice:

Genesis, Exodus, Deuteronomy, Joshua,

Daniel and prophets

I had the privilege of collecting a lot of gospel books from Christian Book stalls in India. Those were of great help in my life.

In England you may be able to locate some book stalls where Christian books are available. I had seen a book stall in "Curry mile" at Rushome Place. They used to exhibit old Christian books on a trolley on the pavement in front of a shop. This Book Stall is run by Egyptian Christians.

May God bless your desire in studying the Bible. It will be worth in your life.

**23 Which Bible character in the Bible is best to copy and can you name what habits from their life we can adapt into our life**

Start reading and studying the Bible. God will open your mind to accept good examples from persons who trusted Him and served Him.

I can suggest some names & their good qualities

Joseph – Faithful to the vision God gave him- Kept himself holy without any Sin-Sincere in his work

Daniel - He read his Bible Scrolls wherever he went-He was a prayer warrior- He kept his life holy

Isaac - He trusted God – He believed Jehovah Jireh (God will provide in all his needs)

Abraham - Pioneer in Faith and obedience

Be a prayer warrior like Daniel, Be holy like Joseph, Believe that God will provide for all needs like Isaac, Have faith like Abraham, Obey God in everything and enjoy peace with God.

**24 Does Solomon's good things outweigh the bad things he has done in his lifetime?**

It is my feeling that Solomon's all achievements are nullified by one Sin that God will not forgive.

Solomon violated the commandment mentioned below:

“You shall have no other gods before me. You shall not bow down to any carved image (Idol) nor serve them”.

“Evaluating and comparing good things and bad things in one's life” is not a criteria for acceptance in Christian faith. Some other religion teaches such things.

For every sin we must seek and obtain God's forgiveness by repentance. Until such time we continue to remain as sinner whom God cannot accept.

**Isaiah 64:6** says “We are all like an unclean thing, And all our righteousness are like filthy rags

(Any amount of good works Solomon did could not wash away the dirt he put on his life)

**25 Why did Job suffer, even when he led a blameless life?**

In **2 Tim 3:12** Apostle Paul wrote to Timothy:

In fact, everyone who wants to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted.

You cannot get pure gold without purifying in fire.

All sincere believers need to pass through a purification process.

**James 1:3** (because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance)

**James 1:12** (Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him.)

**James 5:11** (As you know, we count as blessed those who have persevered. You have heard of Job's perseverance and have seen what the Lord finally brought about. The Lord is full of compassion and mercy)

**Romans 5:3** (Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance.)

**Romans 8:28** And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.

**Job 42:9** = Lord accepted Job's prayer for his friends. **Job 42:10**= Job is elevated as an intercessor for others.

= Lord restored Job's fortune and gave him twice as much as he had before.

**Job 42:12** = Lord blessed Job's latter part of his life more than the former part

## 26 How do we get the holy spirit?

I leave this subject to “Pastor and elders of the church” to teach you on the ministry of Holy Spirit in believers life related to sanctification and glorification

**John 16:8** When [the Spirit] comes, he will convict the world concerning “**SIN and RIGHTEOUSNESS and JUDGEMENT**”

For those who are convicted of sin by the Holy Spirit, repented of their sinful condition to God, and have accepted Jesus Christ as saviour and surrendered their life in Lord’s hand are “**Born Again believers.**”

Only with Holy Spirit’s help this transformation is possible. In Born again believers, holy spirit is given as a “**DOWN PAYMENT**” or as a “**PLEDGE OF THE SPIRIT**” or as a “**DOWN PAYMENT OF INHERITANCE**”

**2 Corinthians 5:5**, "Now the one who prepared us for this very purpose is God, who gave us the **Spirit as a down payment.**"

**2 Corinthians 1:22** who hath also put His seal upon us, and given us the **pledge of the Spirit** in our hearts.

**Ephesians 1:14**, "The **Holy Spirit is the down payment of our inheritance**, until the redemption of the possession, to the praise of his glory."

The new born believer must permit the indwelling Holy Spirit God gave them to control their life. Instead of our natural instinct or flesh controlling us in day to day life, Holy spirit must be permitted to control. This is the spirit filled & spirit-controlled life.

On such believers God will provide special anointing for the spiritual progress of the Church and for bringing lost souls to Christ.

It is my wish that every child of God must be filled by the Holy Spirit of God and anointed for powerful victorious Christian life and service to our Lord in this end times.

Most of all remember, all children of God must produce the fruit of the Holy Spirit as listed in **Gal 5:22**.

**27 When we pray for something for so long and on that day, you don't get it. Why doesn't God answer that prayer.**

For example, if you pray for an interview and on that day, you don't get it. Why did not God give us the Job.

Your request is based on your desire. God is a God who loves you. God is your Heavenly Father.

God hears every sincere prayer from His children. God answers all prayers. The answers are in this order. YES/NO/WAIT.

Your Heavenly Father has a plan on your life. You are His loving daughter. God will decide "what to give you" and "when to give you."

Lord is always checking whether you really trust Him. God will do "everything good" for those who love Him **Romans 8:28**

Jesus taught us to pray. In **St. Matthew 6:9** we have the instruction how to pray. "Your Kingdom come, "Your WILL be done" on earth.....

"Whose WILL" must be done in our life? WILL of Heavenly Father must be done in our life. If you do not get success in an interview, do not worry. Trust in the Lord. He has great plans for you.

He will answer your prayer at appropriate time, in accordance with His WILL.

Trust Him more and more. And pray "Lord your WILL must be fulfilled in my life. Thank you, Lord.

Read "**Jeremiah 29:11 -13**"



**28 How do I explain that God is omnibenevolent if he commanded the Israelites to wage war and murder many people?**

Can you find a case where God permitted Israel to wage war against an "Innocent, Holy People"?

- 1) Israel fought with enemies when they came to attack Israel.

The Amaleks came and attacked Israel during their journey through Desert. **Exodus 17:8**

The Amorite King Sihon refused permission to pass through his land, and he attacked Israel. **Numbers 21:21-25**

The Canaanite King Erad fought with Israel and took some of them prisoners. **Numbers 21:1-3**

King of Basan "OG" came with his troops to fight against Israel. **Numbers 21: 33**

"The Amaleks, the Ammorites, the Cannanites, The Basans..... - You want God to treat them benevolently???"

God was bringing a group of His chosen people from Slavery in Egypt to freedom. He wants to give them the Land He promised to Abraham. God's plan was to send His only begotten son in that place, to become a sacrifice to redeem the human race from sins. This was God's eternal plan decided long long ago.

Can God permit somebody to sabotage His plans? No. He is the God of Hosts. God is justified in permitting Israel to fight and defeat them.

- 2) St Paul says in **Romans 1:18** For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. - All gentiles do this and they stand condemned.

**Romans 1:23** And changed the glory of the incorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and four-footed beasts, and creeping things. They did this despite God revealed Himself in nature for them to recognize and respect.

- 3) The evil men did not even respect and follow their conscience.

- 4) God will punish all evil doers. Bible prophecies are very clear about this matter. **Malachi 4:1**

29 **How do you explain that there is one God by still maintaining the belief of the Trinity?**

Trinity is a thorny subject. Many fall stumbling on it. Let me explain how I understand it.

No one has ever seen God. But God revealed Himself to us through His begotten son.

**John 1:18:** "No one has ever seen God, but the one and only Son, who is himself God and is in closest relationship with the Father, has made him known."

**1 Timothy 6:16** He alone is immortal and dwells in unapproachable light. No one has ever seen Him, nor can anyone see Him. To Him be honour and eternal dominion! Amen

Trinity is not three separate PERSONS. It is God's very special quality. God has the great quality of combining three personalities in Himself.

In Sinai the Almighty God came in His full glory. The Israelites could not stand there. They were scared. They cried to Moses.

**Exodus 20:19** "And they said unto Moses, Speak thou with us, and we will hear: but let not God speak with us, lest we die."

The Sinai mountain is visible today in the remote desert of Saudi Arabia. People are not permitted to go near it. Some adventurers who reached there have reported that the mountain is totally burnt and no grass on it.

When God came in His glory, men could not stand there. They were shivering. They couldn't bear it.

When God came to us in Jesus, God's begotten son, everyone could approach Him.

The lame, the blind, the leper, the paralytic, the one with issue of blood, the Canaanite woman, the woman at Samaria, Mary Magdalene, the demon possessed man at Gadara...all could come closer to Him. No one was scared. All loved to be near Jesus.

Today God is with us in His Spirit. The Holy Spirit talks to us, guides us, comforts us, lives in our heart.

Prepares us to meet our Lord in the Rapture. No one is scared. We love to have the Holy Spirit with us.

Jesus said: **John 10:30** "I and My Father are one"

**John 14:7** If you had known Me, you would know My Father as well. From now on you do know Him and have seen Him

**John 1:1** "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God."

Eternal (**Nithyathwam**), Personality (**Vyakthithwam**), Godliness (**Daivathwam**)

God's three personalities can serve independently but in close united fellowship and love among each. That is God's attribute.

In God's "Salvation Plan for Man" we see the full participation of three personalities revealed to us.

Father sent son

Son Came to earth (Jesus was the visible image of invisible God =God with us = Immanuel)

Son lived in the power of Holy Spirit (**Luke 4:14**)

**Gen 1:26** "And God said, Let us make man in OUR image, after OUR likeness."

OUR= Father+ Son + Holy Spirit

**Gen 1:27** "So God created man in His own image, in the image of God he created him;"

Dear Children, Do you have the image of God? You and I are made in the image of God. Don't doubt.

Yes. You have the image of God. You want to know HOW?

Man is = BODY + SOUL + SPIRIT.

Body = Our Body came from earth. It will go to earth. It enjoys everything in this world. Taste, hunger, thirst, smell, beauty etc. With body we know the world.

Soul = With soul we know ourselves. Our Will, our desires, our intelligence, our memory, our thoughts, our faculties

Spirit = Our Spirit communicates with God. Praises Him, thanks Him, and enjoys His presence. Our Spirit rejoices

All three have independent function. Independent desires. Independent actions. But altogether they make me "ME".

This is the Image of God in you.

In **Psalm 42**: "My Spirit "is advising "my soul" Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so disturbed within me?

Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God.

Here Spirit is encouraging Soul. Three human faculties communicate each other. They strengthen each other.

Sometimes The Body will say " I feel very tired", The soul obeys and goes to sleep.

### Conclusion

We do not have three Gods. We have one God. God revealed to us in three personalities in harmony in love fellowship with each other.

This is TRINITY.

**30 How do I know that God is speaking to me from the Word of God and that it is not my own analytical skills?**

Apostle Paul was preaching in a Greek city Corinth. The Greeks always seek knowledge. Paul told them: **1Cor 1:27** But God has chosen the foolish things of the world to put to shame the wise.

If you want blessing from the Lord, you must be like a child. “

Jesus said: Verily I say unto you, Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.”

When you meditate in the word of God, every inspiration you get from it is from the Holy Spirit. Then thank and praise God for it. Trust the word and rejoice in it. Cling to the promises in the word of God.

Our Lord will be watching over you. Our God is very broad minded. Even if we make a mistake, He will know it and if any correction is needed, He will guide you on that matter.

You must pray as Psalmist prays in **Psalm 119:49 & 50**

Remember the word unto thy servant, upon which thou hast caused me to hope. This is my comfort in my affliction: for thy word hath quickened me

**31 Since God put the tree of life in Eden then does that mean that God creates opportunities for sin?**

Opportunity to sin is always present in front of Man. Adam could sin in his mind, in his thoughts, in his behaviour to his wife, in his handling of animal kingdom, or utilization of the garden itself.

God gave Adam the job to “tend and keep the garden of Eden”.

Adam could disobey this order of God.

The opportunities to sin were available in plenty in front of Adam, as well as in front of all human being.

Then why God put the tree of the “knowledge of good and evil” there?

The tree of knowledge of good and evil which was placed in Eden was an instrument for test. Adam failed in the test. God wanted Adam also to recognize and realize that he has sinned. Adam realized immediately. That is why he went in to hiding.

God has created all human beings. All have been given freedom of choice. Only those choosing holy life will be given permission to go to Paradise or heaven.

How to know who will go to heaven? All human beings are being tested continuously and monitored in heaven. Only those who prove worthy will go to heaven.

Read **1 Cor. 3:13 & Eccles: 12:14**

**Conclusion: By John uncle**

Thank you all for giving me opportunity to talk to you answering your questions from my limited knowledge on Bible. I do not claim that I could satisfy all of you with my answers.

You will surely find better teachers and servants of God who could enlighten you much more. Always be prepared to know more from the word of God.

My best wishes to all of you. All of you must reach in heaven when the trumpet sounds. Our final destination is heaven and eternal life with God. Thank you all.