Message

Is "Just As I Am" Good Enough?



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Common "Christian" Doctrine

- Some believe their salvation is assured once they accept Jesus Christ as their personal Savior. Many call this doctrine by the very familiar phrase, "once saved, always saved."
- Popular hymn "Just as I am, Lord"



Just As We Are

- Why would He accept us, who are far more personally sinful, if we failed to repent of our sins and came before Him demanding Him to save us "just as we are"?
- ❖ I Peter 1:14-16
- **♦ Matthew 27:46**



Just As We Are

- If Sin Becomes a Habitual Way of Life?
 - **♦ Hebrews 10:26**
 - * II Peter 1:2-12





Make Our Calling Sure

- Why did Peter command them to make their calling and election sure?
- If they had the truth, and they were established in it, why did they have to make it "sure"?
 - ❖ I John 2:1-6
- II John 7-9



Make Our Calling Sure

- When a thing is validated, it is determined to be genuine, true, real, authentic, or legitimate.
- How do Christians validate their calling and election?

- Matthew 7:15-20
- **⋄ John 15:1-8**



Make Our Calling Sure

- If we bear good fruit, we will glorify the Father and truly be disciples of Christ (true Christians).
- If we are showing love to the brethren, serving as opportunity permits, deepening our relationship with God, we are making our

validation

calling and election firm.

- *** Hebrews 2:1-4**
- Philippians 1:27
- *** Jude 3-4, 24-25**