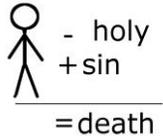
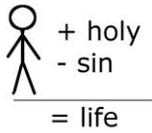


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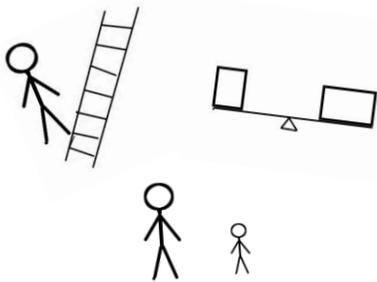
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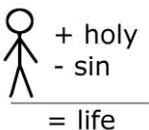
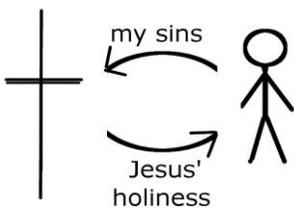
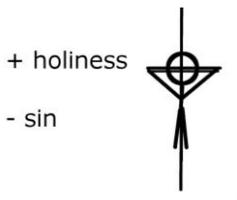
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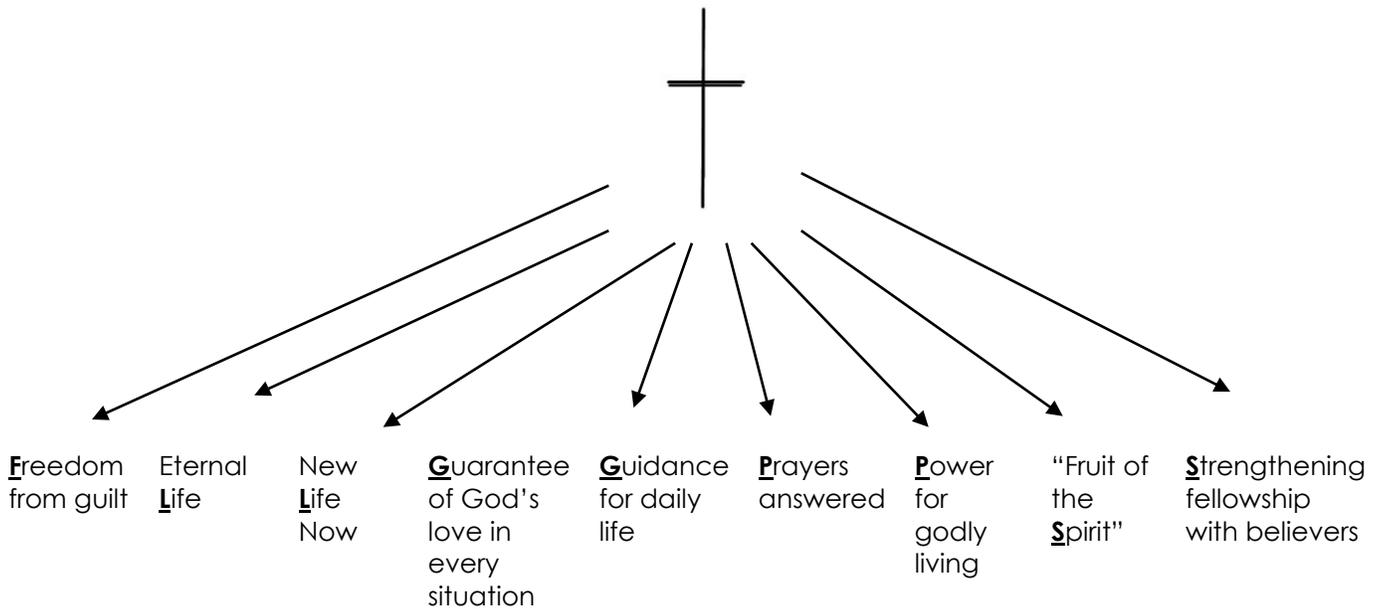
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### Eternal **L**ife

"John 3:16..."

### New **L**ife NOW

"Whoever believes in the Son **HAS** eternal life" (John 3:36)

### **G**uarantee of God's love in every situation

"We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him" (Rom 8:28)

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"You are no longer foreigners and aliens, but fellow citizens with God's people and members of God's household." (Eph 2:19)

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