

# Our Redemption in Christ

Romans 3:24; Titus 2:14

Introduction:

- A. Our redemption is necessary because:
  - 1. We were sold under sin. (Rom. 7:14)
  - 2. We were unable to redeem ourselves.
    - a. Could never devise the plan. (1 Cor. 1:21).
    - b. Could never raise price. (1 Pet. 1:18-19)
- B. Our redemption has three basic **components** as indicated in Titus 2:11-14:

Discussion:

## **I. The Price of Our Redemption**

- A. The Son of God. - "who gave Himself for us. . ." (v. 14; John 3:16).
- B. His position with God. (Phil. 2:4-8).
- C. His blood - his life. (1 Pet. 1:18-19; Eph. 1:7).

## **II. The Purpose of Our Redemption**

- A. To make us His purified people.
  - 1. Become pure by blood at baptism. (Mt. 26:28 w/ Acts 2:38; Rev. 1:5 w/ Acts 22:16).
  - 2. Remain pure walking in the light and confessing sins. (1 John 1:7-9)
- B. To make us His "own special (purchased) people" -
  - 1. Individually. (Gal. 2:20; 1 Cor. 6:19,20).
  - 2. Collectively - the church. (Acts 20:28).
- C. To make us His zealous people. (v. 14).
  - 1. A properly directed zeal. (Rom. 10:1-4; I Cor. 15:58; 2 Tim. 3:15-17).
  - 2. A contagious zeal. (cf. 2 Cor. 9:2)

## **III. The Promise of Our Redemption**

- A. The blessed hope.... (v. 13)
- B. Promised a final redemption. (Rom. 8:22-25).
- C. Promised eternal life. (Heb. 9:15; 1 John 2:15)

Conclusion:

- A. How much do you appreciate the price of your redemption?
- B. How hard are you trying to fulfil the purpose of your redemption?
- C. How confidently do you look for the promise of your redemption?