



A young man was so convicted of his sinful life, that he determined to become a monk, and was directed to seek admission to a Monastery 1500 miles away, where the penance was severe, and the discipline strict. Under a scorching sun the journey was made, and the place was reached. Ringing the bell, an aged monk opened the gate, and learning his mission, admitted him to a shelter for the night. He told the old man his story, and got the following counsel: "If you want to be saved you have come to the wrong place. Christ has finished the work, and there is nothing left for you to do." The young man believed the old man's message, and returned home saved by grace.

There are still many in the world like this German Count who still go from place to place with their burden of guilt seeking what to do in order to be saved. They have not come to the understanding of the fact that salvation is not man's achievement but God's gift to man. When Jesus died on the cross at Calvary, He paid the price that God demands for the sin of man. All we need do now is simply put trust in the Saviour and receive that which He purchased by His blood but gives free. Salvation is an act of God's grace, not a result of man's effort. We only receive it through faith.

If you are wondering what you must do in order to be saved. The answer is simple – nothing! Jesus has already done all there is to be done and finished the work of our redemption. All that is required of us now is to simply believe and receive Him as our personal Lord and Saviour. As many as have done that, in simple, sincere, child-like faith have found rest for their soul. You too can join this throng of happy saved people around the world, as you trust your life to His care today. Why postpone till tomorrow?

God bless you.