

# Humanity's Problem and Its Solution

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## Introduction

As soon as I began to speak, as a child, I began telling stories to adults; stories that nobody taught me. When I was in kindergarten, I would be called and asked to tell stories to sixth graders. In return, their teachers would give me gifts. These teachers and their students told me that I was special.

I enjoyed the attention I was getting and loved the gifts I received. When I was in High School, my classmates would ask me to teach them materials that our teachers had tried to teach us. I would teach them and I was very happy to see my classmates learn. I went to University and studied Business Administration, specializing in Accounting, for my undergraduate degree (B.B.A). For my Masters degree, I again studied Business Administration and got my Masters of Business Administration degree (MBA). You see, my Father was a businessman, therefore I naturally thought I would follow in his footsteps and become a businessman.

However, after I obtained my BBA and MBA degrees, I did not want to be a businessman. Rather, I wanted to teach. Therefore I went and studied for a doctorate degree in Business Administration. While I was getting my doctorate degree, I served as a Graduate teaching assistant and taught undergraduate accounting courses. I loved the experience and my students gave me excellent teaching evaluations. I also won a Teaching Award as a Graduate Teaching Assistant. There was no doubt in my mind that I was going to teach, as a career.

After I obtained my Doctorate Degree in Business Administration, I got a job in a four year College to teach Accounting Courses. I did this job for 12 years in four different Universities in the United States. My students learned and gave me excellent teaching evaluations. But I was

not satisfied just to teach accounting to my students. I wanted to teach solutions to life's problems.

Therefore, I began to study and think about life's problems. I picked up the Bible and began to study it. That is where the topic of this book, Humanity's Problem and Its Solution, comes from. I thought about the many problems that human beings have solved. Then I thought about humanity's ultimate problem, death, and decided to write about it.

Everybody dies – the rich, the poor, male, and female, the young and the old the educated and the illiterate. The only person that conquered death is Jesus Christ of Nazareth. He died and was buried. The third day after he died, he resurrected from death. When he was on Earth, he went about healing the sick, forgiving sins, and said that anyone that keeps his sayings shall never die. He said that all that believe in Him and die physically shall rise from death.

This book will use the Holy Bible to show that Humanity's problem is death and that the promise of a born again person's resurrection from death is the solution to Humanity's Problem. The reader shall find out where death came from, the relationships between sin, sickness and death.

Human Beings were never created to die. They were created to live forever. Adam lived for more than 900 years and some others lived for more years than Adam. This book will discuss the origin of death and how human beings can live a long life physically on earth and live forever spiritually.

After death came to be, human beings were still living a long time, physically, on earth. Man did something and God cut man's physical life on earth to 120 years. This book will discuss what man did that made God cut man's physical life to 120 years. This book will also discuss how humanity can live physically on earth to be close to 120 years before they die. This book will also discuss how humanity can be born again and never die spiritually.

## Chapters

1. The Origin of Death
2. Man's Life on Earth after Death Originated
3. The Relationships between Sin, Sickness, and Death
4. Jesus Christ was sent to solve the Problem of Death
5. The need for humanity to be born again to overcome Death

### Chapter 1 – The Origin of Death

In the Book of Genesis of the Holy Bible, we read that God created mankind, planted a garden and put the first man, Adam in it to keep it. God then said to Adam: "Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat; But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shall not eat of it, for the day that thou eatest thereof thou shall surely die." (Gen 2: 16 and 17). Then God went on to create the woman for the man. In genesis chapter 3, the serpent tempted the woman and she ate from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil and also gave the fruit to her husband, Adam and he ate of it. After this, Adam and his wife, Eve died spiritually, immediately, as they were separated from God. Later on, they both died physically. This is where death came from and ever since then all human beings have died except Jesus Christ of Nazareth, who rose from death after he died and was buried.

After death came into the world, God promised Adam and Eve that he was going to send his son to earth to deal with Sin, the name given to Adam and Eve's disobedience of God. This is the sin that brought about humanity's death. The book of Romans of the Holy Bible put it this way: "Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin, and so death passed upon all men, for all have sinned. (Romans 5:12)

## Chapter 2 – Man’s Life on Earth after Death Originated

After Adam sinned, he immediately died spiritually, but he lived physically for more than 900 years. During this period, Adam and Eve had many children and their children lived a long time on earth and had their own children before they died physically, living for about 800 years. The Sixth Chapter of the Book of Genesis records: “And it came to pass, when men began to multiply on the face of the earth, and daughters were born unto them, that the sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair, and they took them wives of all who they chose (Gen 6:1 and 2). This action, taken by the sons of God, displeased God so much that he put a limitation on humanity’s existence to 120 years. God said, “My spirit shall not always strive with man, for that he also is flesh: yet his days shall be an hundred and twenty years.” (Gen 6:3)

Not only did the serpent cause man to sin and die, the sons of God, fallen angels, began to marry the daughters of men and began to procreate and evil multiplied on earth and God cut man’s physical life to 120 years. Evil and wickedness so multiplied on earth that God sent a flood to destroy human beings from the face of the earth, except Noah and his family. The Sixth chapter of the Book of Genesis put it in this manner: “And God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil, continually. And it repented the Lord that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart. And the Lord said, I will destroy man whom I have created from the face of the earth’ both man and beast, and the creeping thing, and the fowls of the air, for it repenteth me that I have made them.” (Gen 6:5-7)

“But Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord and God said to Noah: The end of all flesh is come before me; for the earth is filled with

violence through them; and behold, I will destroy them with the earth.”(Gen 6:8,13)

God instructed Noah to build an Ark and put his family and selected animals, male and female of the animals, into the ark so that they escaped the flood, which destroyed all other human beings and animals from the face of the earth. After the flood, God started all over with Noah and his family and the rescued animals.

### Chapter 3 – The Relationships Between Sin, Sickness, and Death

When Adam ate from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil in the garden, this is known as sin. This was the first sin committed by Adam. As the Bible records, “The wages of sin is death.” (Romans 6:23). After Adam disobeyed God by committing the first sin in the Garden of Eden, he died immediately, spiritually and later physically. Therefore, sin caused death. This is also well explained in James 2:14 where it is recorded that man is tempted by his lusts. Lust then leads to sin and sin leads to death. Sin leads to sickness and people die by being sick. Jesus made this connection in Luke 5:18-24; Matthew 9:2-8 and Mark 2: 1-12. In these passages is recorded Jesus healing of a certain man who was paralytic. Jesus first said to this sick man that his sins were forgiven. Then when the scribes questioned the authority of Jesus to forgive sins, Jesus said to the sick man to arise, take up his bed and go home. The man got up from his sick bed, took up his bed and went home.

Every human being has the sin that they commit which if he or she does not repent of would lead to their death because the wages of sin is death (Romans 7:15-24 and Hebrew 12:1). When man is born again, he repents of his sins, is baptized and receives the gift of the Holy Spirit. As man listens to the Holy Spirit and does the will of God, he stops sinning and prolongs his physical life on earth and lives to be as close to 120 years as possible.

One may argue that Jesus did the will of God and only lived for 33 years. This is true, but Jesus is different from every human being on earth. Jesus was born to die for our sins. Therefore, at 33 years of age it was time and the will of God for him to die on the cross for our sins.

For every born again person, the Spirit of God quickens his or her mortal bodies, enabling him or her to do the will of God and also enables him or her to live above sin and live a long time on earth, as close to 120 years as possible. (Romans 8:10-13)

#### Chapter 4 – Jesus Christ was sent to solve the problem of Death

Immediately after Adam sinned and death came into the world, God promised to send Jesus Christ to earth to solve the problem of death. God revealed this to the following in these passages of the Bible. In Genesis 3:15, God said to the serpent, “And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; he shall bruise thy head, and thou shall bruise his heel.”

Then in Genesis 6:8, it is recorded, “But Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord,...and behold, I, even I, do bring a flood of waters upon the earth, to destroy all flesh, wherein is the breath of life, from under heaven, and everything that is in the earth shall die. But with thee will I establish my covenant, and thou shall come into the ark, thou and thy sons, and thy wife and thy son’s wives with thee.”

In Gen 12:1-3, it is recorded, “Now the Lord had said unto Abram, get thee out of thy country, and from thy father’s house, unto a land that I will show thee; and I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing. And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse hum that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.”

In Gen 17:19 God said to Abraham. “Sarah, thy wife shall bear thee a son indeed and thou shall call his name Isaac: and I will establish my covenant with him for an everlasting covenant, and with his seed after him.”

In Gen 28:13 and 14, it is recorded, “...I am the Lord God of Abraham, thy Father, and the God of Isaac: The land Wherein thou liest, to thee I give it, and to thy seed, and thy seed shall be as the dust of the

earth, and thou shall spread abroad to the west, and to the east, and to the north, and to the south: and in thee and in thy seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed.

In Gen 49:10, it is recorded, “The scepter shall not depart from Judah, nor a lawgiver from between his feet, until Shiloh come; and unto him shall the gathering of the people be.”

In 2 Samuel Chapter 7, it is recorded, “Now, therefore, so shalt thou say unto my servant, David, thus saith the Lord of hosts, I took thee from the sheepcote, from following the sheep, to be ruler over my people over Israel; and I was with thee wherever thou wentest, and have cut off all thine enemies out of thy sight, and have made thee a great name, like unto the name of great men who are in the earth... and when thy days be fulfilled and thou shall sleep with thy fathers, I will set up thy seed after thee which shall proceed out of thy own body, and will establish his kingdom. He shall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his Kingdom forever. And thy house and thy kingdom shall be established forever before thee; thy throne shall be established forever.” (Verses 8 and 9, 12 and 13; 16)

In Isaiah Chapter 7, it is recorded, “Therefore, the Lord himself shall give you a sign; behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel. Butter and honey shall he eat, that he may know to refuse the evil and choose the good.” (Verse 14 and 15) In Matthew Chapter 1, it is recorded: “Then Joseph her husband being a just man, not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privately. But while he thought on these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary, thy wife; for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit. And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shall call his name Jesus; for he shall save his people from their sins.” (Verses 19 to 21)

In Luke Chapter 1, it is recorded, “And the angel said to her, fear not Mary; for thou hast found favor with God. And behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shall call his name Jesus. He shall be great, and shall be called the son of the Highest; and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father, David. And he shall reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his Kingdom there shall be no end.” (Verses 30 to 33)

In the above passages, from different Books of the Bible, one can see that Jesus of Nazareth is the Son of God who was sent to die for the sins of humanity, and bring to Earth the solution to death, humanity's problem.

## Chapter 5 - The need for humanity to be born again to overcome Death

In Genesis Chapter 2, a record was made about the creation of Adam, the first human being that God created. This record states "And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul" (verse 7). As a living soul man had two parts to himself; the spiritual part and the physical part. The physical part came from the dust of the ground while the spiritual part came from God's breath of life into man.

When Adam sinned, the spiritual part died immediately and the physical part later. When Adam sinned the spirit of God in him left him while an evil spirit entered into his body. This is what happened to King Saul of Israel. When Saul was anointed the first King of Israel, the Spirit of God came upon him. This is recorded in 1 Samuel Chapter 2. "And the Spirit of the Lord will come upon thee, and thou shalt prophesy with them, and shall be turned into another man" (verse 6). God planned to use Saul, as the first King of Israel. Therefore, the Spirit of God had to come upon him and the evil spirit had to leave him so that he will be suitable for God's use. When King Saul disobeyed God and sinned, the spirit of God left him and an evil spirit entered him, just like Adam (Chapter 16:14).

When Adam sinned, he changed Kingdoms: he went from the Kingdom of God to the Kingdoms of this world, ruled by the Devil. In Luke Chapter 4, it is recorded, "And the Devil, taking him up into a high mountain, showed unto him all the Kingdoms of this world in a moment of time. And the devil said unto him, all this power I will give thee, and the glory of them; for that is delivered unto me, and to whomsoever I will, I will give it. If thou, therefore, wilt worship me, all shall be thine." (verses 5-7) The kingdom of this world was delivered by Adam to the



Devil when Adam sinned. From then on every person born is born into the kingdom of this world, ruled by the Devil, through evil spirits. That is why when Christ came to earth, he casted evil spirits out many people.

When a person is born again, he or she needs to repent and have their sins forgiven and receive a new spirit from God. When he or she repents of their sins, the evil spirit leaves them and then they change Kingdoms and receive a new spirit from God. Ezekiel, the prophet, prophesied about the new birth, as recorded in Chapter 36, verses 26 and 27. It says, "A new heart also will I give you, and a new spirit will I put within you; and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and I will give you a heart of flesh. I will put my spirit within you and cause you to walk in my statutes, and ye shall keep mine ordinances, and do them."

When a person is born again, he or she changes Kingdoms: goes from the kingdoms of this world to the kingdom of God. This is recorded in John Chapter 3. Jesus said to Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews, "Verily, Verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God. Nicodemus saith unto him, how can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter the second time into his mothers womb, and be born? Jesus answered, verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God." (Verses 4 and 5).

The Apostles practiced this in Acts Chapter 2. Peter speaking on the Day of Pentecost said: "Repent, and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For this promise is unto you, and your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord, Our God shall call" (verses 38 and 39). Whoever does this is born again and is a Christian (Acts 11:26). Once one is born again, he or she goes from death to life (John 3:16).

Persons who are born again can live a long life on earth, close to 120 years, by walking in the spirit and doing the will of God (Romans 8:11-14). When a born again person dies, his or her spirit will go to be with the Lord. When Christ appears in the sky, the dead in Christ shall rise first and meet Christ in the air, with a spiritual body. Those Christians that are alive, when Christ appears in the air, shall be

changed in a twinkling of an eye and meet Christ in the air, with their spiritual body (1 Cor 15:51-57). Christ will then take the resurrected and changed Christians to Heaven. Thus death shall be swallowed up in victory as the dead is alive and the grave is empty.

Persons who are not born again shall later resurrect and be judged and sent to hell to be with the Devil. They shall die a second death and perish (Revelations 20:11-15). If you want to solve humanities problem, death, you must be born again. When you are born again and die or be changed, at the appearance of Christ, you shall have a new body, a spiritual body and shall have solved humanities problem, death (1 Cor 15:35-38, 42-46).

### About the Book

This book deals with Humanity's Problem and it's Solution. The reader will find out what Humanities problem is and the solution to that problem. Every human being has this problem. The author hopes that the reader will discover this problem and its solution. More importantly, the goal is for the reader to apply this solution to his or her problem and tell others about it.

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