Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

WHAT IS SPIRITUAL ADULTERY?

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IN OUR MARRIAGE TO CHRIST, DOES THE BRIDE HAVE ANY RESPONSIBILITY?

To fully understand this, let us first look at our salvation. What is involved?

In the Old Testament time salvation depended upon faith in God, that He was going to send a Messiah to the earth, and that this Messiah was going to pay the penalty of sin. **Romans 4:1-25**

The apostle Paul makes it extremely clear. Ephesians 2:1-18

Redemption is the sole work of God in Christ! **Hebrews 9:11-26**

Man can add nothing to this redemption, man's responsibility is to receive it! John 1:9-14

When does a person receive eternal life? At the moment of the new birth or at the moment of death? **1John 5:4-15**

Can anyone take away a person's salvation? **John 10:23-30**

According to the Apostle Paul, we are to build upon this salvation foundation. **1 Corinthians 3:11-15**

There will be a judgment for Christians in the next life. **2 Corinthians 5:6-11**

Paul calls this "working out our salvation." Philippians 2:9-16

What does Jesus expect from his bride? He has laid it out in the Book of Revelation:

- 1. Don't leave your first love! **Revelation 2:1-7**
- 2. Don't allow false doctrine to enter the church! verses 12-17
- 3. Don't let anyone seduce you! verses 18-29
- 4. Strive to have your works perfect before the Lord. Revelation 3:1-6
- 5. Be not lukewarm. verses 14-22

Do you have an ear to hear with?