

## When an Insurance Policy is Not Enough (Luke 23:46)

Introduction: *The importance of life insurance- 'Are you in good hands?'*

- I. JESUS MADE SURE HE WAS 'IN GOOD HANDS'
  - A. On the cross he committed Himself into the hands of His Heavenly Father (Luke 23:46)
  - B. He gave this same assurance to the thief on the cross next to Him (Luke 23:43)
  - C. Before we die, we need to have a **life assurance policy**
  
- II. YOUR LIFE ASSURANCE POLICY HAS ALREADY BEEN PAID FOR
  - A. On the cross, Jesus has "paid all your premiums"
  - B. Your name is written on the beneficiary line
  - C. You can never be refused this assurance policy 'due to pre-existing conditions' (Psalm 51:5; Romans 3:23; 5:8)
  
- III. GOD'S GRACE IS THE BASIS FOR YOUR ASSURANCE
  - A. Grace: The sins of your past **do not** prevent you from receiving God's blessings
  - B. This is seen in the life of John Newton who wrote the hymn –  
*Amazing Grace*    *Amazing grace, how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me;  
I once was lost, but now am found, twas blind, but now I see.*
  - C. God is *the God of the second chance!*
  - D. **Jesus' resurrection** from death is your assurance
  - E. **This Church** is God's place of assurance for you

Conclusion: *Car, house, health, life insurance is not enough*

*Blessed ASSURANCE, Jesus is mine; O what a foretaste of glory divine.  
Heir of salvation, purchased of God; Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.  
This is my story, this is my song; Praising my saviour all the day long.  
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