

“Insurance or Assurance?”

Luke 33:46

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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