



And He offers the gift of eternal life to all.

*...the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Romans 6:23*

If you receive Jesus Christ as your saviour from sin, you can experience God's forgiveness, hope, peace, love, joy and direction in your life. Jesus Christ will become your moral compass for life.

This prayer can help you make this decision:

*'Dear God, I admit that I am a sinner in need of forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ died on the cross, was buried and rose again for my sins. I now repent of my sin and invite Jesus Christ to be my Saviour and give me eternal life, Amen.'*

If you made this decision, God promises you the gift of eternal life. *And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand. John 10:28*

Do you want to see God's continued blessings upon Australia?

Such blessings begin with a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and by living in accordance with God's Word.

My friend, what future do you want for those who you love?

Do you desire that they enjoy peace, opportunity and prosperity? Then value the biblical roots that have produced the good fruits of Christianity in Australia.

We must stop ignoring, denying and tearing down our nation's history which is rooted in biblical Christianity. If we destroy our roots, there will be no more good fruit.

Let's fly the Australian flag with pride.

Let's unashamedly value and defend our Judeo-Christian heritage.

*God bless you and God bless Australia!*

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God has blessed Australia! What other explanation is there for the incredible level of prosperity we enjoy as a nation with such a short recorded history?

God has blessed Australia because it was founded on the Judeo-Christian teachings of the Bible.

*Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD. Psalm 33:12*

Many of our nation's forefathers adhered to the Christian faith and sought to establish biblical principles in all aspects of our life and society. Governors such as John Hunter, prime ministers including Alfred Deakin, businessmen like Robert Campbell, farmers such as Samuel Marsden and educators like Thomas Hassall were men of faith who shaped Australian life with righteous ideals. Modern Australians are the beneficiaries of these men's historic commitment to Christianity and its inherent values.

The legacy of our Christian forefathers is a democratic society where values such as the sanctity of life, the individual's freedoms and rights, tolerance, order and justice, the importance of education and opportunity for all have flourished.

I recently asked a new migrant why he had chosen to come to Australia. His answer was, "Because of Australia's freedom of speech and religion and the greater opportunities for my children." People from all over the world want to live in Australia, and for these same reasons. These virtues, and their contingent opportunities, are deeply rooted in our Judeo-Christian heritage.

New citizens to our land pledge allegiance to the values of our land before our flag. And our national flag further identifies us as a Christian nation. The Union Jack, comprising three crosses, reflects our British and Christian heritage. The Southern Cross represents our nation's global location and reminds us of Jesus Christ and His cross.

*But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8*

However, despite the rich blessings we enjoy in our nation, our world is broken because of sin.

War, chaos, relational breakdowns, deep uncertainties and ultimately death touch us all. The world is deeply marred by sin – man's turning his back on his Creator and rejecting His truths for living life.

*All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; ... Isaiah 53:6*

But Jesus Christ died for sinners in this broken world.

Jesus Christ came into the world to reconcile man back to God by his sacrificial death on the cross for sin.

*Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; ... 1 Timothy 1:15*