



*“For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believes in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life.” John 3:16*

You see God is no respecter of persons. He will do the same for you as He did for me. You don't have to try to “fix” yourself up either - just come as you are!

If you are still reading this, perhaps you hear the voice of God calling you into relationship with Him. Take that step. Don't harden your heart. All you have to do is pray this simple prayer with me:

*“Heavenly Father, I confess that I am a sinner and I believe that Jesus Christ died on the cross for my sins, and that He rose again on the third day. Forgive me of my sins and come into my heart. Make me a new person and teach me Your ways, in Jesus' name, Amen.”*

**Congratulations!** You are saved!

*“If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature; old things have passed away; behold all things become new.”*

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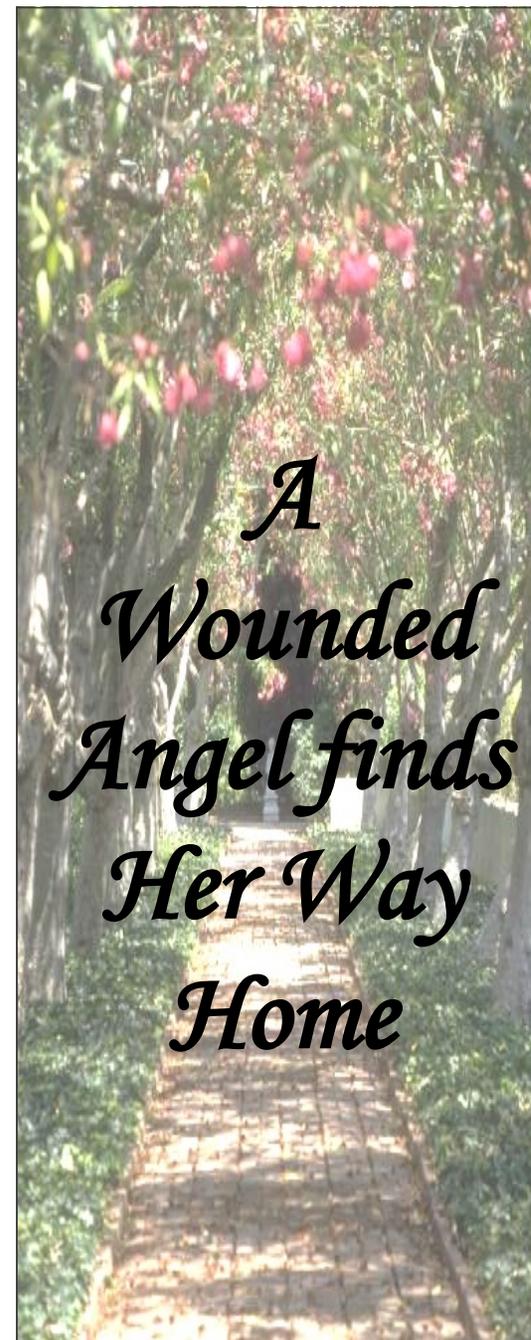
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# *A Wounded Angel finds Her Way Home*

# God's Saving Grace

I had spent many years moving in and out of Church, I was filled with feelings of fear, rejection and inadequacy. I was often the victim and object of family controversy and accusations. I was always trying to defend myself and please others. Then one amazing night a miracle took place in my heart.

At the time I was struggling in my finances (credit card debt and back taxes), my relationships and most especially, in my emotions. I was plagued by fear, insecurity, and rejection. I felt so broken and alone, and most of the time I didn't feel as if I "belonged" anywhere.

Not knowing which way to turn, I began to attend church with my ex-boyfriend's family in the summer of 1986. His grandmother was especially fond of me and would often pray over me in what I thought then was a strange language. I didn't realize that God was gently wooing me to Himself.

One day in church, the pastor told us to go home and read the Book of John. I came home desperately looking for my mother's Bible. The problem is it was a King James Version and I couldn't understand it. Then I remembered another book she had that didn't look like a Bible at all, but it was – and it was the New Living Translation. Anyway, it was much easier to understand and I dove right in.

For several weeks I read the Book of John, until one night in late October I sat up in my bed, with tears streaming down my face, and I said to God, "I believe Jesus is your Son and that He died for me. Please forgive me of all my sins, and come into my life." Being alone, I was free to confess out loud all the things for which I wanted forgiveness: an adulterous relationship, drinking, smoking, fornication and, in general, a life of sin. I don't remember everything I said to Him, but one of the things I remember most about that night, is the peace I felt in my heart as I fell asleep. That was November 1, 1986.

I awoke the next morning feeling fully rested, but I felt like I was not finished yet. I had to make an open confession. I didn't have a church, so I just chose one. You see, it didn't really matter as long as I got there and openly confessed my faith in Christ. When the altar call was made, I went up. The following weekend I was baptized as an outward demonstration of my identification with the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

It was a very sober moment for me and I was intensely aware of the decision I had made. I belonged to God and His family now and I felt safe for the first time in my life! It would take time to overcome my insecurities and deep feelings of rejection, but already, in my soul, I felt a sigh of relief and a sense of peace that I never knew before. From that day until now, I've never looked back.

The following year (1987), I moved on to attend a charismatic, inter-denominational church, where I grew in wisdom, stature, and in favor with God and man for 13 wonderful years. During my new member studies, I received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit in February 1988, and went on to serve in ministry in the areas of Worship, Prayer and Christian Education. I studied there, was counseled there, served in full-time ministry on staff for six (6) years, met my husband and was married there.

Not long after I got married, I recognized and responded to the call of God on my life to be a Minister of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Like Jesus, I was led into the wilderness by the Holy Spirit and so my preparation began.

It's been 29 years now of walking with and serving the Lord. It hasn't always been easy; in fact, there have been some really hard times, but I'm living proof that God can take a wounded and broken heart and bring healing and restoration for my good and for His glory!

It's been an amazing journey and I'm going on to see what the end shall be! I solicit your prayers as I move forward into what God has called me to.

My name is Angela M. Gracey and this is my personal testimony.

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