

he has given all judgement to his Son, Jesus. How important is Jesus in Jehovah's arrangement for salvation! It is he who will judge you.

Scripture teaches us that Jesus is of vital importance.

On the Mount of Transfiguration, the Apostle Peter heard the voice of Jehovah saying that he should listen to Jesus. Later, in the Book of Acts, Peter points us to the importance of Jesus in Jehovah's arrangement for salvation. Speaking of Jesus he says:

*"This is 'the stone that was treated by you builders as of no account that has become the chief cornerstone.' Furthermore, there is no salvation in anyone else, for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must get saved."* (ACTS 4:11-12, NWT)

Peter, who spent over three years with Jesus, publicly declares that salvation

can be found in only one name: It is not Jehovah. It is Jesus.

Furthermore, whose witnesses are we to be? What did Jesus himself say? Remember Jehovah told us to listen to him:

*"But you will receive power when the holy spirit comes upon you, and you will be witnesses of me in Jerusalem, in all ju-de'a and Sa-mar'i-a, and to the most distant part of the earth."* (ACTS 1:8, NWT)

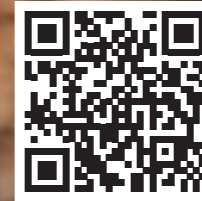
### Jehovah's or Jesus' Witnesses?

In Jehovah's arrangement for salvation we are to listen to Jesus. We are to be public witnesses for Jesus. We need to come to Jesus for sins forgiven and for salvation. We need to come to Jesus for life.

Friends, are you following Jehovah's arrangement for salvation? Has Jesus forgiven your sin and assured you of eternal life? Do you have life in Jesus' name?

If you would like to know more about the assurance of everlasting life that can be found by trusting in Jesus, please contact me:  
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*"And this is the witness, that God gave us everlasting life, and this life is in his Son. The one who has the Son has this life; the one who does not have the Son of God does not have this life. I write you these things so that you may know that you have life everlasting, you who put your faith in the name of the Son of God."* (1 JOHN 5:11-13, NWT)



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# WHAT IS JEHOVAH'S ARRANGEMENT FOR SALVATION?



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**Because Jehovah so loved the world he created, he sent his only-begotten Son as a ransom sacrifice to deliver people from sin and death. (John 3:16; Ephesians 1:7)**

But what does this mean? How can a person know that their sin is forgiven and eternal life is assured? What is Jehovah's arrangement for salvation?

The Bible writer Matthew records an occasion when Jesus took Peter, James

and John up a mountain. (Matthew 17:1-9) Whilst there, Jesus was transfigured before them. We are told that his face and outer garments shone brightly, and then Moses and Elijah appeared with him.

Peter, James and John knew that Moses and Elijah represented the Old Covenant, both the Law and the Prophets, but who was Jesus? The writer to the Hebrews tells us that Jesus is the mediator of a New Covenant. (Hebrews 12:24) Moses and Elijah had led the way, but now one greater than them had appeared. (Hebrews 3:1-6; John 1:17)

Listen to what Jehovah says about him:

*“While he was still speaking, look! a bright cloud overshadowed them, and look! a voice out of the cloud said: ‘This is my Son, the beloved, whom I have approved. Listen to him.’ At hearing this, the disciples fell facedown and became very much afraid.”*  
**(MATTHEW 17:5-6, NWT)**

Jehovah confirms that Jesus is his Son, and gives Jesus his seal of approval. He then tells the disciples that they must “Listen to him.” In Jehovah's arrangement for salvation, we are to listen to Jesus.

### **Do You Listen to Jesus?**

If you want to be obedient to Jehovah, you must listen to Jesus. However, we see in Scripture that some were not willing to listen to him.

The Apostle John recounts a time that Jesus was in dialogue with the Jewish religious leaders. They believed themselves to be obedient

children of Jehovah, but what did Jesus say to them?

*“You are searching the Scriptures because you think that you will have everlasting life by means of them; and these are the very ones that bear witness about me. And yet you do not want to come to me so that you may have life.”* **(JOHN 5:39-40, NWT)**

Jehovah exhorts his followers to listen to Jesus. It is therefore vital for us to hear what Jesus is saying to those who reject him.

Jesus tells the religious leaders that despite the biblical knowledge they've gained by searching the Scriptures, if they reject or downplay his role, they are not following Jehovah's arrangement for salvation. In your zeal for Jehovah, are you rejecting Jesus?

### **Jesus – The Way, The Truth, The Life (John 14:6)**

Your response may be to say, “Of course I believe in Jesus. I know that he is

Jehovah's Son.” But do you know that to have life, you must come to him?

Jehovah commands us to listen to Jesus, and Jesus says that we must come to him to have life. Note, John 5:40 does not tell us to come to Jehovah, but to Jesus. Are you following Jehovah's arrangement for salvation? Have you come to Jesus so that you may have life?

### **Do You Honour Jesus?**

Did you know that in Jehovah's arrangement for salvation, it is Jesus who will judge us? This is what the Scripture says:

*“For the Father judges no one at all, but he has entrusted all the judging to the Son, so that all may honor the Son just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent him.”*  
**(JOHN 5:22-23, NWT)**

Here Jesus tells us that the Father, Jehovah, will not judge anyone, but