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1 Peter 2:24

“He personally carried our sins in his body on the cross so that we can be dead to sin and live for what is right. By his wounds you are healed.”

At the Cross...

Jesus was punished so that we could be forgiven

Jesus was made sin so that we could be made righteousness

Jesus was rejected so that we could be accepted

Jesus was cut off by sin so that we could be joined to God

Jesus bore our shame so that we could share His glory

Jesus was wounded so that we could be healed.

Jesus became poor so that we could share His abundance

Jesus became a curse so that we could receive His blessing

Jesus died our death so that we could share His life.

2 Corinthians 5:21

“God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.”

John 10:10

“I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.”

Galatians 2:20

“I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.”

Ephesians 1:16-20

“I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places.”