The four Absolutes

From good old revival times in Sweden by A.N.

Absolute Truth

Seek the truth in everything.

Don't be a liar,

John 8:44

Absolute Purity

Absolute cleanness in relations. Matthew 5:27-32, 1 Thessalonians 4:1-9

Absolute Love

If you fight for perfect love, <u>you will get all</u> other good deeds. 1 Corinthians 12:31-14:1 and 1 John 4:7-8, 2:4-17

Absolute Humbleness

Without Jesus we can do nothing, so let us give Him the honour John 15:5

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The winter is at hand in the northern part of the earth. In some way this is a time when we can talk, think, read and pray, not so much outside work.

So let us check up ourselves; What am I doing? What kind of thoughts do I have fellowship with? What am I living for?

Do I walk in perfect love to my family? And to Jesus?

It's good to sometimes do a really check up of myself.

If we do this very clearly, it ends up in "Help Jesus!"

Like the old say in Sweden, when things go wrong, also those who not are personal Christians say it: Let us creep to the Cross (of Jesus)

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- •To be sure, that we will get to Heaven, we got to have a <u>Personal relationship</u> with Jesus Christ, the Son of God, and fight the sin and evil things inside us and outside us. The Gospel of John chapter 3.
- •There is only one who can guide us to Heaven Jesus Christ the Son of God. -

Jesus answered him "I am the way, the truth and the life. No one comes to The Father but by me. Gospel of John 14:6.

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If hard times are coming in our lives, let us turn to Jesus, God and the Bible, let us go to a good church, let us talk about Jesus and spiritual things.

You can be born again, change your life totally from all kind of sins and turn to Jesus, God and the Christian Bible – read it - eat it and SAFETY will be yours, even together with hardships!

Jesus says to you, that like to follow Him:

And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish, neither shall any man snatch them out of My hand. John 10:28

If you say YES to Jesus, you for shore will get a safe future for eternity. Why do I say the same things over and over again? Because we, people on earth, have "some" ways of act to don't believe, "even me", so let us say it over and over again; JESUS IS LORD and JESUS IS THE SAVIOR and let us pray to Him, always, about everything. If you never have been reading the Bible – begin with the New Testament about Jesus. That is very important, so you get a holy life with the help of Jesus - very fast. Some more holy, eternal words of Jesus:

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, all power is given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go you therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you, <u>and see</u>, I am with you always, even to the end of the time. Amen.

SAFE FUTURE WITH JESUS

By A.N.

John 6:51-58

I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eats of this bread, he shall live forever: and the bread that I will give is My flesh, which I will give for the life of the world. The Jews therefore argue among themselves, saying, how can this man give us his flesh to eat? Then Jesus said to them, I tell you the truth, except you eat the flesh of the Son of man, and drink His blood, you have no life in you. Whoever eats My flesh, and drinks My blood, has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day. For My flesh is meat indeed, and My blood is drink indeed. He that eats My flesh, and drinks My blood, dwells in Me, and I in him. As the living Father has sent Me, and I live by the Father: so he that eats Me, even he shall live by Me. This is the bread which came down from heaven: not as your fathers did eat manna, and are dead: he that eats of this bread shall live forever.

When we surrender totally unto Jesus = reading His word, eating it = really doing what He says. He will take care of us in an out – standing way, **even if we must go thru hard times.**Jesus will really help us, if we slow down, and take time with him.

Manna grain - We all need it By A.N.

In old time in Sweden they had Manna grain on the table. It was small paper pieces with either just the "Bible place" and you must check up the Bible place in the Bible by yourself, or both the Bible place and the Bible verse on the small piece of paper.

• And Jesus answered and said, Truly I tell you, There is no man that has left house, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for My sake, and the gospel's, But he shall receive an hundredfold now in this time, houses, and brethren, and sisters, and mothers, and children, and lands, with persecutions; and in the world to come eternal life. Mark 10:29-30

To give your life to Jesus in this way we can talk very much about. We must for example have love to our family, but not follow their bad deeds (read 1 Timothy 5:8). Sometimes it's very good to move far from the hometown and begin to do the will of Jesus in a new better way.

• But seek first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added to you.

Matt 6:33

"All these things" are everything you need in this world, nothing more, I need to say.

Jesus and the life with Him are absolutely fantastic! When I got born again in 1980, and changed my life with the help of Jesus, everything else was so empty, so empty. Jesus can give you life that you never can imagine!!

WHO IS GOD Part three By Nathaniel Ndukwe

What this means for you and me is that once we confess our sins, receive God's forgiveness and accept the gift of salvation through Christ, we can know the presence of that Comforter, too. With His Holy Spirit living in us, His nature gradually overtakes our own. As that happens, others will begin to discover where God is by knowing you.

Names of God: A Way to Understand His Nature and Character

The Names of God used in the Bible act as a roadmap for learning about the character of God. Since the Bible is God's Word to us, the names He chooses in scripture are meant to reveal His true nature to us.

Names of God: His Titles Revealed in Scripture

"ELOHIM" (or Elohay) is the first name for God found in the Bible, and it's used throughout the Old Testament over 2,300 times. Elohim comes from the Hebrew root meaning "strength" or "power", and has the unusual characteristic of being plural in form. In Genesis 1:1, we read, "In the beginning Elohim created the heaven and the earth." Right from the start, this plural form for the name of God is used to describe the One God, a mystery that is uncovered throughout the rest of the Bible. Throughout scripture, **Elohim** is combined with other words to describe certain characteristics of God. Some examples: Elohay Kedem - God of the Beginning: (Deuteronomy 33:27). Elohay Mishpat - God Of Justice: (Isaiah 30:18). Elohay Selichot - God Of Forgiveness: (Nehemiah 9:17). Elohay Marom - God of Heights: (Micah 6:6). Elohay Mikarov - God Who Is Near: (Jeremiah 23:23). Elohay Mauzi - God Of My Strength: (Psalm 43:2). Elohay Tehilati - God Of My Praise: (Psalm 109:1). Elohay Yishi - God Of My Salvation: (Psalm 18:47, 25:5). Elohim Kedoshim - Holy God: (Leviticus 19:2, Joshua 24:19). Elohim Chaivim - Living God: (Jeremiah 10:10). **Elohay Elohim** - God of Gods: (Deuteronomy 10:17).

"EL" is another name used for God in the Bible, showing up about 200 times in the Old Testament. El is the simple form arising from Elohim, and is often combined with other words for descriptive emphasis. Some examples: El HaNe'eman - The Faithful God: (Deuteronomy 7:9). El HaGadol - The Great God: (Deuteronomy 10:17). El HaKadosh - The Holy God: (Isaiah 5:16). El **Yisrael** - The God Of Israel: (Psalm 68:35). **El HaShamayim** - The God Of The Heavens: (Psalm 136:26). El De'ot - The God of Knowledge: (1 Samuel 2:3). El Emet - The God Of Truth: (Psalm 31:6). El Yeshuati - The God of My Salvation: (Isaiah 12:2). El Elyon - The Most High God: (Genesis 14:18). Immanu El - God Is With Us: (Isaiah 7:14). El Olam - The God of Eternity (Genesis 21:33). El Echad - The One God: (Malachi 2:10). "ELAH" is another name for God, used about 70 times in the Old Testament. Again, when

we see different attributes of God. Some examples: Elah Yerush'lem - God of Jerusalem: (Ezra 7:19). Elah Yisrael - God of Israel: (Ezra 5:1). Elah Sh'maya - God of Heaven: (Ezra 7:23). Elah Sh'maya V'Arah - God of Heaven and Earth: (Ezra 5:11).

"YHVH" is the Hebrew word that translates as "LORD". Found more often in the Old Testament than any other name for God (approximately 7,000 times), the title is also referred to as the "Tetragrammaton," meaning the "The Four Letters". YHVH comes from the Hebrew verb "to be" and is the special name that God revealed to Moses at the burning bush. "And God said to Moses, 'I AM WHO I AM; and He said, thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, I AM has sent me to you... this is My eternal name, and this is how I am to be recalled for all generations'" (Exodus 3:14-15). Therefore, YHVH declares God's absolute being - the source of everything, without beginning and without end. Although some pronounce YHVH as "Jehovah" or "Yaweh," scholars really don't know the proper pronunciation. The Jews stopped pronouncing this name by about 200 A.D., out of fear of breaking the commandment "You shall not take the name of **YHVH** your God in vain" (Exodus 20:7). (Today's rabbis typically use "Adonai" in place of YHVH.) Here are some examples of YHVH used in scripture: YHVH Elohim - LORD God: (Genesis 2:4). YHVH M'kadesh - The LORD Who Makes Holy: (Ezekiel 37:28). YHVH Yireh -The LORD Who Sees/provides: (Genesis 22:14). YHVH Nissi - The LORD My Banner: (Exodus 17:15). YHVH Shalom - The LORD of Peace: (Judges 6:24). YHVH Tzidkaynu - The LORD Our Righteousness: (Jeremiah 33:16). YHVH O'saynu - The LORD our Maker: (Psalm 95:6). Names of God:

The Lord Revealed in **YHVH** is the Lord Revealed in Yeshua (Jesus)

The LORD who revealed Himself as YHVH in the Old Testament is revealed as Yeshua (Jesus) in the New Testament. Jesus shares the same attributes as YHVH and clearly claims to be YHVH. In John 8:56-9, Jesus presents himself as the "I AM." When challenged by some Jewish leaders regarding His claim of seeing Abraham (who lived some 2000 years earlier), Jesus replied, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was born, I AM." Those Jewish leaders understood that Jesus was claiming to be YHVH. This is clearly established when they tried to stone Him to death for what they considered blasphemy under Jewish Law. In Romans 10:9, Paul declares, "if you confess with your mouth Yeshua as LORD... you shall be saved." Immediately thereafter, in Romans 10:13, Paul backs up this declaration by quoting the Old Testament, "Whoever will call upon the name of the LORD (YHVH) will be saved" (Joel 2:32). Calling on Yeshua (Jesus) as Lord is the same as calling Him YHVH, because Yeshua (Jesus) is YHVH (LORD), the Messiah foretold throughout the entire Old Testament. 5