On the day of judgment we'll stand before our Heavenly Father, so we want to be sure that our life lines up with His holy Word. The Popes words should align with the teaching of our beloved Messiah and the Holy Scriptures.

Romans 3:23 proclaims, "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." This includes Mary, her mother and the pope. The Bible declares that only Messiah is sinless.

1 Timothy **2**:5 says "For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ *Jesus.*" This means that Mary is not the intercessor to the Father.

In John 14:6, "Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." We are not saved by the pope, a priest or Mary, only by Messiah our high priest.

Acts 4:12 says, Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." We're not saved by the pope or Mary, only by Jesus.

1 John 2:1 declares, "My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous." Messiah is the advocate to the Father, not a priest and not Mary.

In Luke 1:46-47, Mary praised the Heavenly Father for saving her through Messiah, "And Mary said, My soul doth magnify the Lord, And my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour." Mary was the blessed mother of our Savior, but neither Messiah nor Peter exalted her above that role.

Ephesians 2:8-9 says, "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." We cannot earn salvation by observing the sacraments or by good works.

Acts 8:20 says, "But Peter said unto him, Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money." You can't pay for sins or salvation with indulgences.

1 John 1:9 says, "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." Scripture does not point to infant baptism or to auricular confessions of sins to a priest. Instead, we're to pray to the Heavenly Father for forgiveness in the name of Messiah.

In Matthew 6:7, Messiah said to not make repetitious prayers, "But when ye pray, use not vain repetitions, as the heathen do: for they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking." Saying Hail Mary's and Our Father's is reciting repetitious prayers which avail nothing.

Matthew 6:6 says, "But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret." The Bible never says to pray to Mary, only to the Father in Messiah's name.

In 1 Peter 2:6, Peter declares that Messiah is the chief corner stone. "Wherefore also it is contained in the scripture, Behold, I lay in Sion a chief corner stone, elect, precious: and he that believeth on him shall not be confounded." Messiah is the key stone upon which His church is built, not Peter.

Matthew 13:55-56 prove that Messiah had brothers and sisters, "Is not this the carpenter's son? Is not his mother called Mary? and his brethren, James, and Joses, and Simon, and Judas? And his sisters, are they not all with us? Whence then hath this man all these things?" This means that Mary was not a perpetual virgin, as she had intimate relations with Joseph and bore many children.

Matthew 8:14-15 says, "And when Jesus was come into Peter's house, he saw his wife's mother laid, and sick of a fever." Peter was married and he did not prohibit priests or women (nuns) from marrying. The pope's prohibition has led to homosexuality and the rape of nuns and children.

Hebrews 6:6 says, *If they shall fall away, to renew them again unto repentance; seeing they crucify to themselves the Son of God afresh, and put him to an open shame.* The popes proclaim to sacrifice Messiah afresh during the Eucharist ceremony. This effectively denies Messiah's one-time blood sacrifice in the flesh on the cross.

Hebrews 10:11-12 says, "And every priest standeth daily ministering and offering oftentimes the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins: But this man, after he had offered one sacrifice for sins for ever, sat down on the right hand of God." The Eucharist ceremony does not take away sins.

Ephesians 2:19-22 says, "Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellowcitizens with the saints, and of the household of God; And are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone." Messiah is the chief corner stone and His disciples (including Peter) are the foundation of His Church.

In Acts 10:25-26, "And as Peter was coming in, Cornelius met him, and fell down at his feet, and worshipped him. But Peter took him up, saying, Stand up; I myself also am a man." Peter says that people should not bow to him, yet the pope has political and religious leaders bow before him.

Hebrews 9:11 says, "But Christ being come an high priest of good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is to say, not of this building." Messiah is the high priest who intercedes for the saints of His Church, not the pope of Rome.

Exodus 20:4-6, Deuteronomy 4:16-18 and Leviticus 26:1 prohibit making and bowing to graven images. "Ye shall make you no idols nor graven image, neither rear you up a standing image, neither shall ye set up any image of stone in your land, to bow down unto it: for I am the LORD your God." This includes Mary and the crucifix which keeps Messiah on the cross. To hide this sin, the popes removed the second commandment from their list of the Heavenly Father's Ten Commandments.

Romans 10:9 says, "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." Salvation is not earned by infant baptism or by keeping the Roman Catechism sacraments.

What the popes teach is contrary to the Bible. Salvation is by believing that Messiah's blood sacrifice paid for all of your sins. He is our high priest who intercedes for us. Pray to the Heavenly Father in Messiah's name. I pray that you repent of your sins, turn away from your sinful habits, follow the way of Messiah and come out of the manmade teachings of the apostate church of Rome. 041423