

RADICAL LOVE

Behold! The Best News Ever – Rick Warren Parts 1-2

"May your roots go down deep into the soil of God's marvelous love."

Ephesians 3:17 (NLT)

"For <u>G</u>od so loved the world that he gave his <u>O</u>nly begotten <u>S</u>on, that whosoever believes in him should not <u>P</u>erish but have <u>E</u>verlasting <u>L</u>ife."

John 3:16 (KJV)

1. _

"God SO loved the world."

"Long before he laid down earth's foundations, God had us in mind, and settled on us as the focus of his love." Ephesians 1:4 (The Message)

"The Lord is good to everyone. He showers compassion on all his creation."

Psalm 145:9-10 (NLT)

"Nothing in all creation is able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus." Romans 8:39 (NIV)

"May you be able to feel and understand . . . how <u>long</u>, how <u>wide</u>, how <u>deep</u>, and how <u>high</u> God's love really is <u>and experience</u> this love for yourselves."

Ephesians 3:18-19 (TLB)

2.

"That he GAVE his only begotten Son."

"Christ is the visible image of the invisible God." Colossians 1:15 (NLT)

Jesus: "Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father." John 14:9 (NLT)

"God <u>put his love on the line</u> for us by offering his Son in <u>sacrificial death</u> while we were of no use whatever to him." Romans 5:8 (NIV)

"When Jesus served as a sacrifice for our sins, he solved the sin problem for good—not only ours, but the whole world's." John 2:2 (The Message)

"God took the sinless Christ and poured into him our sins. Then, in exchange, he poured God's goodness into us." 2 Corinthians 5:21 (TLB)

3.

"That WHOEVER BELIEVES in him should not perish."

"The free gift of eternal salvation is offered to everyone." Titus 2:11 (TLB)

"It makes no difference who you are or where you're from—if you want God and are ready to do as he says, the door is open." Acts 10:35 (The Message)

"If you <u>CONFESS</u> with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord', and <u>BELIEVE</u> in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." Romans 10:9 (NIV)

"I did not come to judge the world, but to save it." John 12:47 (NIV)

4.

"But have EVERLASTING LIFE!"

"Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we've been given a <u>brand-new life</u> and have <u>everything to live for</u>, including a <u>future in heaven</u>, and the future <u>STARTS</u> <u>NOW!</u>" 1 Peter 1:3-4 (The Message)

"God's unchanging plan has always been to <u>adopt us into his own family</u> by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ." Ephesians 1:5 (NLT)

"Right now God is ready to welcome you. <u>Today</u> he is ready to save you!" 2 Corinthians 6:2 (TLB)

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