## Our Awesome God Is Our Lord and Savior



### Man Accepting Christ Skims Terms & Conditions

### We were created to honor and praise God as Lord

- ☐ Genesis 1-2: God creates the universe and human life in His image.
  - ✓ <u>John 1</u>: Our Creator, Jesus, lives the perfect life and when we follow Christ, we honor and serve God as His true children.
- ☐ Genesis 12: God calls Abram to leave everything and follow Him.
  - ✓ Luke 14: Jesus calls us to leave everything and follow Him.
- ☐ Deuteronomy 6: God calls us to love Him with all our heart, soul, and strength.
  - ✓ Mark 12: Jesus says loving the Lord with all our heart, soul, strength, and mind is the first and greatest commandment.
- ☐ <u>Isaiah 6</u>: God is worshipped as Holy, Holy, Holy in heaven.
  - ✓ <u>Revelation 4</u>: God is worshipped as Holy, Holy, Holy in heaven.

### **God's Plan of Salvation Points to Jesus**

- ☐ Genesis 3: The "seed" of the woman will crush the serpent's head.
  - ✓ Romans 16: Satan will be crushed under Jesus' church's feet.
- ☐ Genesis 22: Abraham's "seed" will bless all nations.
  - ✓ Galatians 3: Jesus is confirmed as the "seed" of Abraham.
- ☐ <u>Isaiah 43</u>: Yahweh proclaims Himself as Savior alone.
  - ✓ <u>Matthew 1</u>: The Messiah is given the name Jesus which means "Yahweh is salvation" or "Yahweh saves".
- □ Numbers 21: God uses Moses to lift up a bronze snake on a pole so anyone who was bitten can look upon the snake and be healed.
  - ✓ <u>John 19</u>: Jesus is lifted up on the cross to achieve ultimate victory over the serpent Satan and over death and sin.

### A gift, no matter how great, must be accepted to be received

Andrew Jackson pardons George Wilson for



mail theft (which was punishable by death at that time)...
but Wilson refused the pardon.

Acts 2:34-38 (ESV) 34 For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says, "The Lord said to my Lord, "Sit at my right hand, 35 until

Do you simply like the idea of salvation, or are you following Jesus? fore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified." <sup>37</sup> Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" <sup>38</sup> And Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Though one of Jesus' Peter calls them to turn from their titles is 'Son of sin & identify with Christ's death David', He is greater! and resurrection, through baptism, His role as King/ & receive forgiveness & the Lord has no end. ultimate gift: The Holy Spirit!

The people now realize they rejected the very One who died and resurrected for their salvation.

## Are you on the fence about choosing to follow Jesus?

# Consider the Challenges and the Benefits...