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Topic: Life of Christ: How Important is Salvation?

Scripture text: Mark 9:42-50

1. In the last days, Christianity will fall away, which means it will turn apostate. It will still be in existence but with a false gospel that cannot save. We must be certain of our salvation. Without believing in the true gospel, we will still die in sin, end up in hell where there is no escape.

2. How important we see our salvation is seen in our holiness. Our lives should be characterised by holiness where we will be careful not to stumble new believers. We must check our conduct that no area of our life will bring shame to Christ. We must also not stumble ourselves. This means we must be careful with what we do (our hands), where we go (our feet) and what we see (our eyes). We must not hold on to sin. Surrender our all for Christ. This is the extent we must be prepared to go to enter heaven.

3. Holiness does not mean perfection. It means getting rid of sin. Salt symbolises preservation and purity. We must "salt" our life completely. By our holiness, we can help others to be holy as well.