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Jesus Paid the Bill

- A New Position, A New Future and a Changed Life Now

The Old You and Your New Position in Christ

- Alienated and An Enemy
- Irreconcilable Differences — Rom 3:23, Isa 64:6
- Real Body, Real Forgiveness

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#1 Our New Position

- Priestly Language: Holy, Blameless, Above Reproach

If You Continue....

- Faith that Saves..... is an Enduring Faith
- Some Think They Are Saved and Are Not — Jn 10:28, Mt 7:21
- Prodigals or Profess — 1 Jn 2:19, 2 Cor 13:5

Colossians Genuine Faith

- Not Moved but Grounded

COLOSSIANS 1:24

#2 A New Testimony

- Penance and Purgatory?
- Cant Add or Improve Christ's Work

Paul's Suffering “Walking as Jesus Walked”

- Our Suffering is Evidence — Jn 15:18, Mk13:13, 2 Tim 3:12
- Our Suffering Benefits Others

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#3 A New Power

- Mystery: A Truth Unknown But Now Revealed
- Fraternal Secret, Inside Information

The Church: A Two-fold Mystery

- Jews and Gentiles on Equal Footing — Rom 11:11,16-18
- Jesus Dwells in Our Hearts by the Holy Spirit

Impartation not Imitation

- Power on the Inside, A Changed Life on the Outside

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#4 A New Purpose

- Him We Preach.....
- The Goal: “Save the Lost, Mature the Saved”