

# Salvation Unto Us Has Come

(also known as To Us Salvation Now Is Come)

JUSTIFICATION

*Music: 'Es ist das Heil uns Kommen Her' traditional German circa 1400 from Etlich Christlich Lider, Wittenberg, 1524.  
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♩ = 100

1. Sal - - va - tion un - to us has come By God's free grace and fa - - - vor;  
 2. What God did in His law de - mand And none to Him could ren - - - der  
 3. It was a false, mis - lead - ing dream That God His Law had gi - - - ven  
 4. From sin our flesh could not ab - stain Sin held its sway un - - cea - - sing;

Good works can - not a - - vert our doom, They help and save us ne - - - ver.  
 Caused wrath and woe on ev - ery hand For man, the vile of - - fend - - - er.  
 So sin - ners could them - selves re - deem And by their works gain Hea - - - ven.  
 The task was use - less and in vain, Our guilt was e'er in - - crea - - sing.

Faith looks to Je - - sus Christ a - - lone, Who did for all the  
 Our flesh has not those pure de - - sires The spi - - rit of the  
 The Law is but a mir - - ror bright To bring the in - - bred  
 None can re - move sin's pois - oned dart Or pur - - if - y our

world a - - tone; He is our one Re - - deem - - - er.  
 Law re - - quires, And lost is our con - - di - - - tion.  
 sin to light That lurks with - - in our na - - - ture.  
 guile - - ful heart? So deep is our cor - - ru - - - ption.

5. Yet as the Law must be fulfilled  
 Or we must die despairing,  
 Christ came and hath God's anger stilled,  
 Our human nature sharing.  
 He hath for us the Law obeyed  
 And thus the Father's vengeance stayed  
 Which over us impended.

6. Since Christ hath full atonement made  
 And brought to us salvation,  
 Each Christian therefore may be glad  
 And build on this foundation.  
 Thy grace alone, dear Lord, I plead,  
 Thy death is now my life indeed,  
 For Thou hast paid my ransom.

7. Let me not doubt, but trust in Thee,  
 Thy Word cannot be broken;  
 Thy call rings out, "Come unto Me!"  
 No falsehood hast Thou spoken.  
 Baptized into Thy precious name,  
 My faith cannot be put to shame,  
 And I shall never perish.

8. The Law reveals the guilt of sin  
 And makes men conscience-stricken;  
 The Gospel then doth enter in  
 The sinful soul to quicken.  
 Come to the cross, trust Christ, and live;  
 The Law no peace can ever give,  
 No comfort and no blessing.

9. Faith clings to Jesus' cross alone  
 And rests in Him unceasing;  
 And by its fruits true faith is known,  
 With love and hope increasing.  
 Yet faith alone doth justify,  
 Works serve thy neighbor and supply  
 The proof that faith is living.

10. All blessing, honor, thanks, and praise  
 To Father, Son, and Spirit,  
 The God that saved us by His grace,-  
 All glory to His merit!  
 O Triune God in heaven above,  
 Who hast revealed Thy saving love,  
 Thy blessed name be hallowed.