**Redeemed (Graphic)**

**The Great Pardon**

(Romans 3:22)

“This righteousness is given through **faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe**. There is no difference between Jew and Gentile.”

(Romans 3:23-24)

“**for all have sinned** and fall short of the glory of God, and all are **justified** freely by his grace through the **redemption** that came by Christ Jesus.”

***Justified—****Just as if you never sinned.*

If God has declared you **innocent**, stop living **guilty**.

(Romans 8:1)

“Therefore, there is now **no condemnation** for those who are **in Christ Jesus**,”

(Romans 5:1)

“Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, **we have peace with God** through our Lord Jesus Christ.”

Benefits:

* Peace with God

(Romans 5:2)

“through whom we have gained **access** by faith **into his grace** in which we now stand.”

Benefits:

* **Peace** with God
* **Accepted** by God.

(Romans 5:2-5)

“And we boast in the **hope** of the glory of God. Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, **hope**. And **hope** does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.”

Benefits:

* **Peace** with God
* **Accepted** by God.
* **Hope** in God.

(Romans 5:6-8)

“You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare die. **But God demonstrates his own love for us in this:** While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”

Benefits:

* **Peace** with God
* **Accepted** by God.
* **Hope** in God.
* **Love** of God.

(Romans 6:21-23)

“What benefit did you reap at that time from the things you are now ashamed of? **Those things resulted in** **death**! But now that you have **been set free from sin** and have become slaves of God, **the benefit you reap leads to holiness, and the result is eternal life.** For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

 You have been **acquitted of all charges** and you now **belong to the Lord**!

 So, what happened to all my stuff?