

Is It Really That Hard To Believe God Would Offer Us A Clean Slate?



With every fresh snow that covers the dirt and grime of everyday life comes the reminder that God desires us all to enjoy the freedom of a clean slate. He says, "Come now, let us reason together... Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow."¹

At Christmas we celebrate the birth of Jesus who came into the world not simply to teach a better way to live, but to die for our sins. To give us a fresh start. This fresh start is like a virgin snow that descends on our hearts, cleansing us from the guilt of our evil deeds, thoughts and intentions. Snow is a beautiful gift from God. So, too, is God's forgiveness. It is a gift. God sent his Son to die in our place and he offers new life to anyone who would care enough to receive it. "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."²

Just take some time and get alone. Tell Jesus, in prayer, your desire to have him forgive your sins and clean your life and heart. Then simply invite him in... "Jesus, I open the door to you." Jesus says that if anyone opens the door (of their heart) he will come in and dwell. Then read the section of the Bible called "John." Jesus will begin to speak to your heart. If you would like more information after that, contact us at EveryStudent.com.