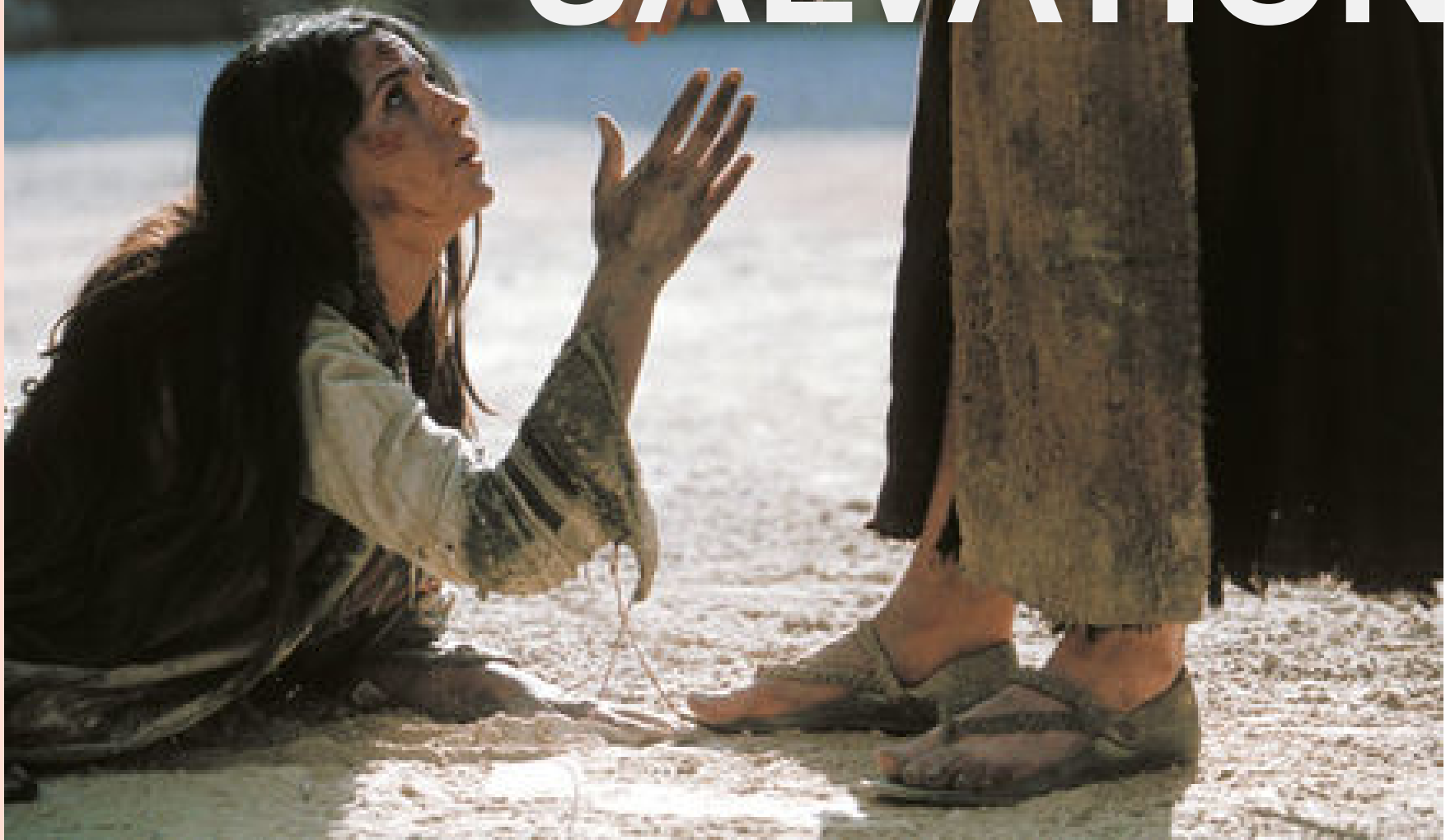


SALVATION



REDEMPTION BY JESUS CHRIST AND ITS
EFFICACIOUS EFFECT IN OUR SALVATION

SALVATION IS RELATED BUT DISTINCT FROM REDEMPTION





SALVATION: *SOTERIA* (GK), DELIVERANCE IN GENERAL

Psalm 120: 1 - Lord
*save me from lying
lips, from the tongue
of the deceitful...*

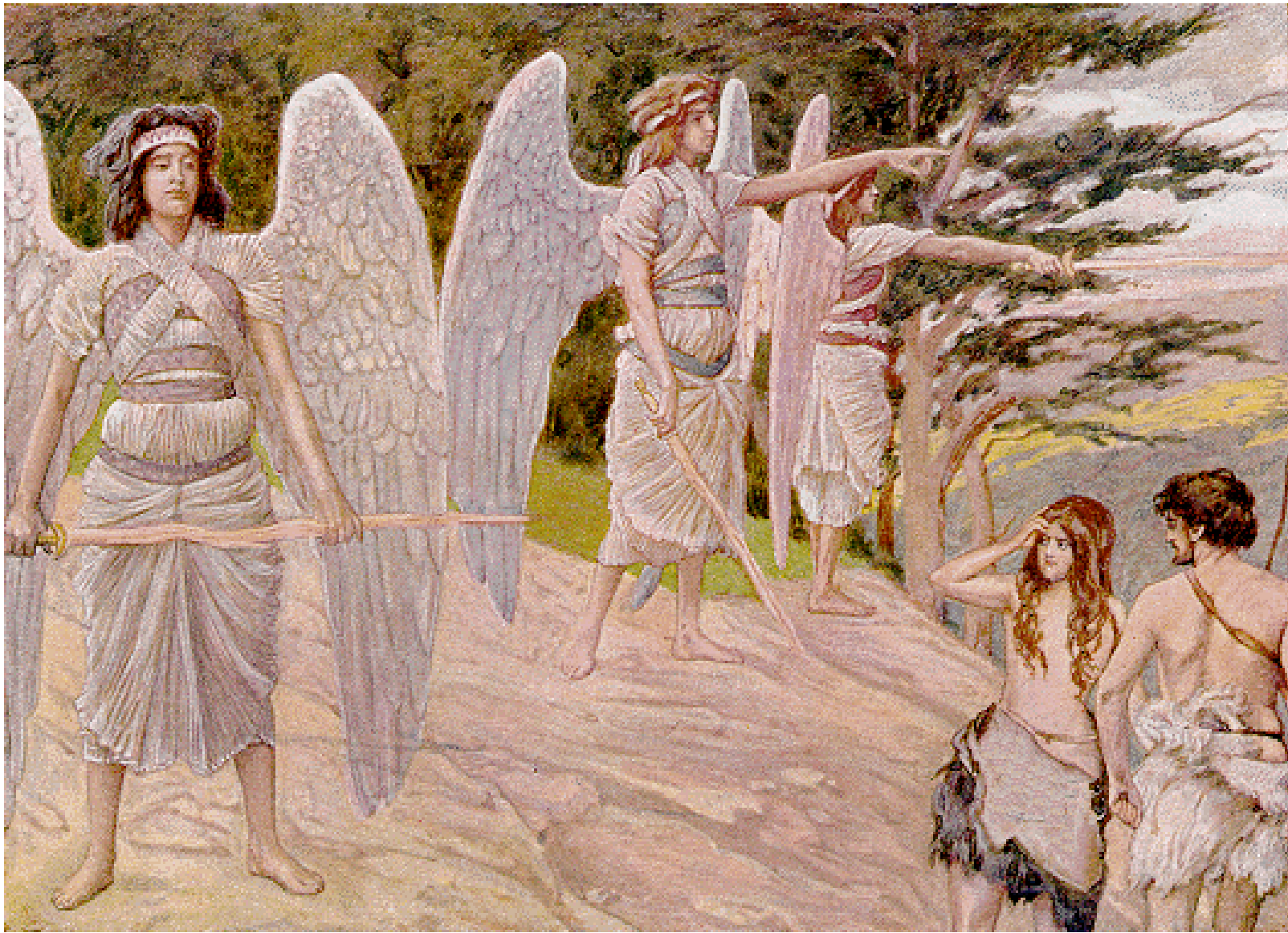


REDEMPTION: *LUTROO* (GK), TO *RELEASE ON RECEIPT OF RANSOM*



Luke 24:21: “We had hoped that he will be the one to *redeem* Israel...”





WE NEED TO BE SAVED!

SAVED US FROM WHAT? FROM WHOM?



*There are two ways to live your life.
One is as though nothing is a miracle.
The other is as though everything is a miracle.*
Albert Einstein (1879-1955)

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**OUR SALVATION
MUST CONSIST
IN A NEW
BEGINNING**

RESTORATION

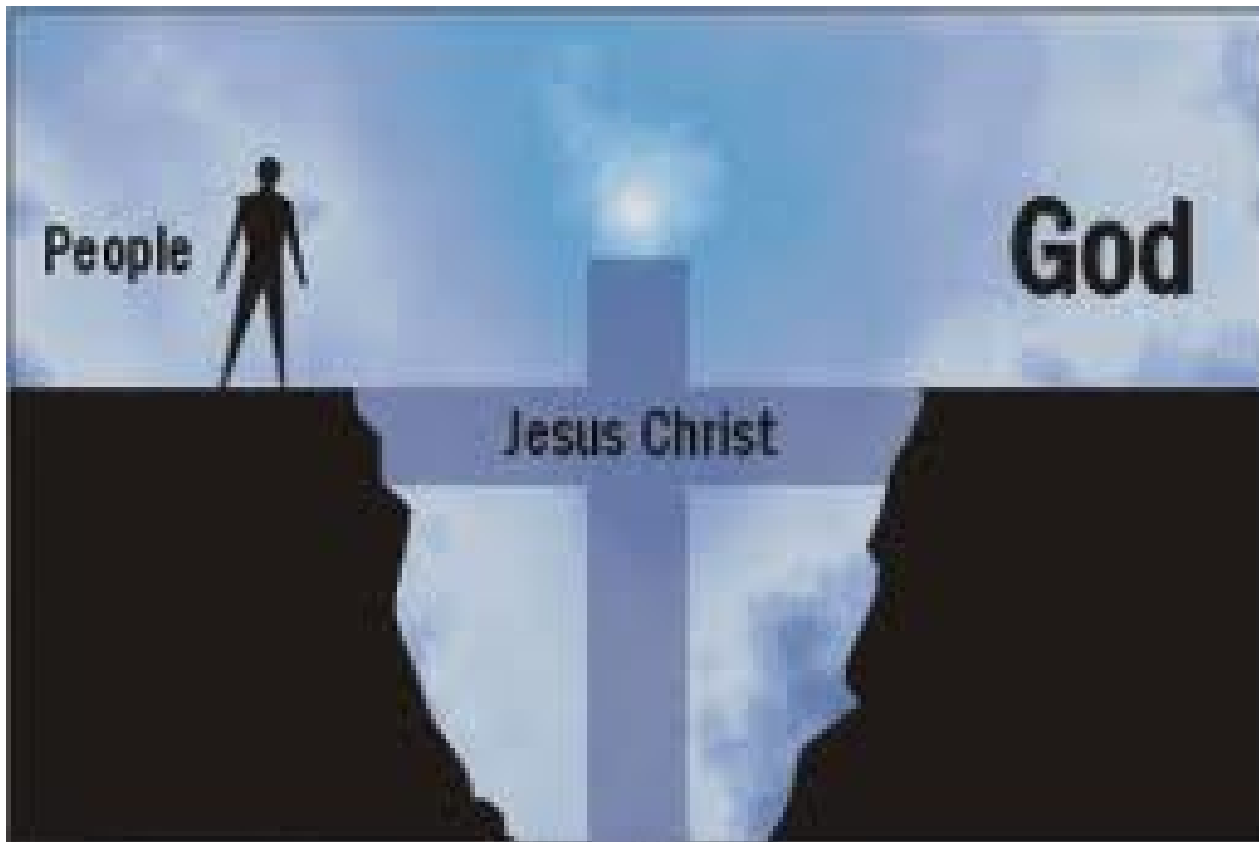
Matt 17:11: *“Elijah had indeed come to restore all things...”*



IN THE EYES OF MAN, THIS SALVATION
MEANS TEMPORAL LIBERATION FROM
ENSLAVING CONDITIONS



IN THE EYES OF GOD, THIS SALVATION
MEANS TOTAL LIBERATION FROM SIN AND
DEATH, ROOT CAUSE OF ALL ENSLAVEMENT.



GOD SENT HIS SON TO BE THE
MEDIATOR – THE BRIDGE THAT SPANS
THE GULF OF OUR BROKEN HUMANITY
AND GOD’S ALL-HOLY GLORY.



**THUS, OUR SALVATION MEANT THAT
GOD, THROUGH CHRIST, WOULD REDEEM
US FROM OUR SINFUL CONDITIONS.**



Romans 5:9 – We have been saved...by His life.

SALVATION: LIFE RESTORED BY CHRIST'S REDEEMING ACTIONS



TO BE RESTORED, NOT TO BE REVERTED BACK.

GOD'S PART: SALVATION THROUGH REDEMPTION

Eph 2:8 – *For by grace you have been saved through faith... It is the gift of God.*

Acts 16:31 - *Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, and your household.*



OUR PART: FAITH

FOR US CATHOLICS, THIS FAITH HAS TO BE MADE “OPERATIVE” WITHIN THE CHURCH



Eph 4:3-5 – *Strive to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace: one body and one Spirit; one Lord, one faith, one baptism.* ●

...NURTURED BY LIFE OF WORSHIP AND PARTICIPATION IN THE SACRAMENTS



**...AND PERFECTED BY A LIFE MARKED
BY COMPASSION AND CHARITY.**



James 2:17 – Faith, if it has no works, is dead, being by itself.