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Micah 7:19

“... You will trample our sins under Your feet and throw them into the depths of the ocean.” Micah 7:19

During my young teen years my parents gave me a valuable birthstone ring. One day when out playing at the local pond – not wanting to lose it, I slipped it off of my finger with the intent of putting it in my pocket for safe keeping. As I took off the ring it slipped out of my hand and to my horror it fell into the pond’s dark waters! Fearful of the trouble that waited for me at home if I didn’t come home with that ring on my finger, I waded into the waters with its smelly muck in search of my ring. I never found it. In only two or three feet of water, I never found it.

While my loss was unintentional, our God has lost something as well, only His loss was determined and calculated. For those who will accept His Son, Jesus Christ, God has thrown your sin into the ocean! Why then, in Heaven’s name, do believers constantly endeavor to dig up or search out their sin? “As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgression from us.” (Psalm 102:12).

Friend, if our God and Father – in Jesus’ work at Calvary’s cross – has done away with your sin, why do you constantly dwell upon it? Let it go and in its place embrace the new life of righteousness and freedom from condemnation offered in only in Jesus! (Romans 8:1 – 2).

“Having therefore, brethren, boldness to enter into the holiest by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way, which He hath consecrated for us, through the veil, that is to say, His flesh; And having an high priest over the house of God; Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; for He is faithful that promised...” (Hebrews 10:19 – 23)

For the believer, we are forever freed from the consciousness of sin and now have complete access to fellowship with God without any fear or sense of inferiority or guilt!

Alleluia!

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