

I believe in God the Father almighty;
Creator of heaven and earth
and in Jesus Christ His Only Son, our Lord,
Who was conceived from the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary,
Who suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried,
on the third day rose again from the dead,
ascended into heaven,
sits at the right hand of the Father,
whence He will come to judge the living and the dead;
and in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Church,
the remission of sins,
the resurrection of the flesh,
And life everlasting. Amen

John 19:28-30

The end of Jesus's earthly mission is the starting point of the redemption of all who would believe in Him-

1 Corinthians 1:22-24

1. The Cross of Christ was my cross

1 Peter 3:18, Romans 5:6-8, Isaiah 53:4-6, Matthew 26:36-39, Hebrews 10:11-14

2. The Cross of Christ is the only means of forgiveness

Psalms 103:8-12, Colossians 2:13-14, John 8:2-11, Isaiah 1:18

3. The cross of Christ is the grounds of our righteousness before God

2 Corinthians 5:21, Philippians 3:9, Romans 5:18-20