

3 Elements of the Gospel Message

1. We are **Separated from God**

A. By sin and rebellion. Independence from God.

Romans 3:23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

B. Everyone has sin - name it! Drugs, alcohol, sexual immorality, lying, stealing, envy, bitterness, etc.

2. There is a **Price / Penalty**

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

A. Death is eternal separation from God . . . in hell.

B. We owe God a debt that we cannot pay.

3. But God has **Grace / Mercy / Forgiveness through repentance**

A. Jesus paid for your sins on the Cross.

B. Confess / Repent = change of mind.