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And they sang a new song with these words: You are worthy For you were slaughtered, and your blood has ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation.'

(Revelation 5:9, New Living Translation)

HOW MUCH DOES JESUS LOVE US?

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

(John 3:16, English Standard Version)

1. Jesus loved us so much, He became one of us!

The Word [Jesus] became human and made his home among us.

(John 1:14, NLT)

He came into the very world he created, but the world didn't recognize him. He came to his own people, and even they rejected him.

(John 1:10-11, NLT)

To all who believed him and accepted him, he gave the right to become children of God. (John 1:12, NLT)

The payment for sin is death.

But God gives us the free gift of life forever in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 6:23, New Century Version)

2. Jesus loved us so much, He died for us!

When we were utterly helpless, Christ came at just the right time and died for us sinners.

Now, most people would not be willing to die for an upright person, though someone might perhaps be willing to die for a person who is especially good.

But God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners. (Romans 5:6–8, NLT)

Jesus knew that his mission was now finished.... he said, 'It is finished!'
Then he bowed his head and gave up his spirit. (John 19:28–30, NLT)

Why are you looking among the dead for someone who is alive? He isn't here! He is risen from the dead! (Luke 24:5–6, NLT)

Jesus himself was suddenly standing there among them. 'Peace be with you,' he said. (Luke 24:36, NLT)

Again he said, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I am sending you.' Then he breathed on them and said, 'Receive the Holy Spirit.'

(John 20:21–22, NLT)

3. Jesus loves us so much, He offers us <u>new life!</u>

The Spirit of the One who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you. So the God who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your bodies. . . . by the power of his Spirit, who lives in you.

(Romans 8:11, New International Revised Version)

My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life. (John 10:10, NLT)

I saw a vast crowd, too great to count, from every nation and tribe and people and language, standing in front of the throne and before the Lamb. ... And they were shouting with a great roar, 'Salvation comes from our God who sits on the throne and from the Lamb! (Revelation 7:9–10, NLT)

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