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Today caught up so will mention another one of my favorite verses. We all know John 3:16: for God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son that whomever believes in him will not perish but have everlasting life. But what comes after that verse?

John 3:7-21 Niv

¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. ¹⁸ Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God's one and only Son. ¹⁹ This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but people loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil. ²⁰ Everyone who does evil hates the light, and will not come into the light for fear that their deeds will be exposed. ²¹ But whoever lives by the truth comes into the light, so that it may be seen plainly that what they have done has been done in the sight of God

God didn't send him into condemn the world but save it. I like to think of it as if I go onto a train and it is going to crash. At the last minute Jesus pulls me out to save me. He didn't put me there Just saved me. If we believe we are not condemned but if we don't, we already are, but by our own actions. People Love darkness to hide their sins. Christ brought light and they HATE it. It is hated because it shows plainly our sins. So as a Christians we love the light because it shows the Love of Christ.

Many blessings

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