

Become a Tree of Life

Genesis 3 [Reading 3:22-24]

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- A Tree of Life in the past
- A Tree of Life in the future
- A Tree of Life in the present

A Tree of Life in the past

*The LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden, and there He put the man whom He had formed. ⁹ And out of the ground the LORD God made every tree grow that is pleasant to the sight and good for food. **The tree of life** was also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. (Genesis 2:8-9)*

A Tree of Life in the past

*Then the LORD God said, “Behold, the man has become like one of Us, to know good and evil. And now, lest he put out his hand and take also **of the tree of life**, and eat, and live forever”—*

*²³ therefore the LORD God sent him out of the garden of Eden to till the ground from which he was taken. ²⁴ So He drove out the man; and He placed cherubim at the east of the garden of Eden, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to guard the way to the **tree of life**. (Genesis 3:22-24)*

A Tree of Life in the future

*And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding from the throne of God and of the Lamb. ² In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, was **the tree of life**, which bore twelve fruits, each tree yielding its fruit every month. The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. (Revelation 3:1-2)*

A Tree of Life in the present

*The fruit of the righteous is **a tree of life**, And he who wins souls is wise. (Proverbs 11:30)*

A Tree of Life in the present

- *The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life*

A person have been saved by Jesus Christ... is a righteous

A Tree of Life in the present

- *The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life*
- Individual Christians are to become trees of life
- The tree of life **bring life** to the people everywhere

A Tree of Life in the present

- Bring the tree of life to children (Mat 18:1-6; Mark 10:13-16)
- Bring the tree of life to adults, all levels/classes in society
- Bring the tree of life to those nearest eternity (... Hebrew 9:27)

Proverbs 11:30

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Prayer

- Dear Jesus Christ, I pray to be a tree of life, bringing the gospel to the people I have met. In Jesus' Name. Amen!