**The Cross of Christ**

**Reveals the Worth of Man**

Romans 5:6–11 (NLT)

1. **Christ values your life.**
* Not because of your race.
* Not because of your talents.
* Not because of the way you look.
* Not because of your gender.
* Christ values your life because he created you with purpose.
* Psalm 139:13–16 (NLT)
1. **Sin never renders you worthless in the eyes of God.**
* Sin will hurt you.
* Sin will destroy your life.
* Sin will bring death.
* Sin will cause eternal separation from God.
* Jesus paid a high price to free you from sin and death. (Christ died for all)
* If your private life has not been invaded by the cross, you have not been touched by the Cross of Christ.
1. **The Cross never Devalues a person.**
* The cross devalued a person until Jesus died on it.
* The Cross doesn’t condemn but convinces.
* The Cross makes forgiveness possible.
* The Cross conforms the will of a person from selfishness to otherness.
* We may not deserve to be saved but we are worth saving.