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A. Paul is emphatic, Jesus came to this earth to save sinners (Rom. 3:23; 6:23; 5:8)!

B. On the cross Jesus paid for our sin debt so that we could be saved.

C.Jesus came to save us because we are <u>unable</u> to save ourselves.

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When we trust & <u>hope</u> in Jesus it glorifies Him.

Do you trust Him enough to pray for someone who seems most unlikely to repent & believe?