Releasing the Power of Communion

A. Receiving the Body of Jesus Christ.

1) 1 Cor 11:23 For I have received of the Lord that which also I delivered unto you, that the Lord Jesus the same night in which he was betrayed took bread:
2) 1 Cor 11:24 And when he had given thanks, he brake it, and said, Take, eat: this is my body, which is broken for you: this do in remembrance of me.

B. Praying the Benefits of the Body.

1) Ps 105:37 Having eaten the lamb, they came out of Egypt with not one feeble among them.
2) John 6:48 I am the Bread of life. Your fathers ate manna in the wilderness and are dead.
3) John 6:50 This is the bread which comes down from heaven, that a man may eat, and not die.
4) John 6:51 I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever: the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.
5) Rom 8:1 There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit (i.e., we have been set free and are not condemned to die).

C. Receiving the Blood of Jesus Christ.

1) 1 Cor 11:25 After the same manner also he took the cup, when he had supped, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood: this do ye, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of me.
2) 1 Cor 11:26 For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do show the Lord's death till he come.

D. Praying the Benefits of the Blood.

1) Ex 12:23 An animal's blood over the door protected the Hebrews from the destroyer.
2) Matt 26:28 How much more the precious Blood of the Lamb of God has washed away all our sins and has created a Blood Covenant of protections for us.
3) 1 Cor 10:16 The Cup of Blessing declares that the price for every blessing, which Jesus purchased for us, was paid with His Blood and comes to us and is remembered through this cup.
4) Rom 8:2 The Law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus has set us free from the law of sin & death.
5) Lev 17:11 The life is in the blood, so the life of God in this Communion Blood floods us, setting us free from the dominion of sin and the effects of sin and the wages of sin.
6) John 6:56 He that eats my flesh and drinks my blood dwells in me and I in Him. For the Blood purchased for us the right to be free from sin and he that eats of this bread shall life forever.
7) John 11:25 Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believes in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live:
8) John 11:26 And whosoever lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?
9) Rom 8:11 But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken (i.e., give life to) your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwells in you.
10) 1Th 4:15, 16 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:
11) 1Th 4:17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

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