

יְשׁוּעָה is not גְּאֻלָּה

Redemption is not Salvation



Today, these two words  
are often misused by  
trying to make them  
interchangeable but they  
are very different.



Strong's H1350

גָּאַל

Redeem, act as kinsman-  
redeemer, avenge, ransom,  
deliver



# Redemption

From modern Merriam Webster  
the act, process, or an instance of redeeming

## Redeem

to buy back : Repurchase —

to free from captivity by payment of ransom



From Noah Webster's 1828  
American Dictionary of the  
English Language

Repurchase of captured goods or  
prisoners the act of procuring the  
deliverance of persons or things  
from the possession and power of  
captors by the payment of an  
equivalent; ransom; release



# Redeem

To purchase back; to ransom;  
to liberate or rescue from  
captivity or bondage, or from  
any obligation or liability to  
suffer or to be forfeited, by  
paying an equivalent;



Strong's H3444

יְשׁוּעָה

Salvation, deliverance, victory



# Salvation

From modern Merriam  
Webster

deliverance from the  
power and effects of sin  
deliverance from danger  
or difficulty



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English Language

The act of saving;  
preservation from destruction,  
danger or great calamity



Genesis 48:16 — the angel who  
has redeemed me from all harm—  
may He bless these boys. And  
may they be called by my name  
and the names of my fathers  
Abraham and Isaac, and may  
they grow into a multitude upon  
the earth.”



Genesis 49:18

I await Your salvation,

O LORD. (יְהוָה)



## Exodus 14:13

But Moses told the people,  
“Do not be afraid. Stand firm  
and you will see the LORD’s  
(יהוה) salvation, which He will  
accomplish for you today; for  
the Egyptians you see today,  
you will never see again.



# Exodus 15:2

The LORD (יה) is my  
strength and my song, and  
He has become my  
salvation. He is my God,  
and I will praise Him, my  
father's God, and I  
will exalt Him.



Psalm 118:14

The LORD (יה) is my  
strength and my song,  
and He has become my  
salvation.



Isaiah 12:2

Surely God (אל) is my  
salvation; I will trust and not  
be afraid.

For the LORD GOD  
(יהוה, יה) is my strength and  
my song, and He also has  
become my salvation.”



# Strong's H3050

יְה

Definition: LORD

A contracted form of יְהוָה, the tetragrammaton, which is the personal name of God in the Hebrew Bible.



It is יהוה Himself who  
saves us, who preserves us  
from destruction.

So what is the reason for  
Yeshua?



Savior

From modern Merriam Webster

one that saves from danger  
or destruction

Webster's 1828

One that saves or preserves



Redeemer

From modern Merriam Webster

a person who redeems

Webster's 1828

One who redeems or ransoms.



It is יהוה who saves (Genesis 49:18,  
Exodus 14:13, Exodus 15:2, Psalm  
118:14, Isaiah 12:2, Acts 2:24, Acts  
3:15, Acts 3:26, Acts 10:40)

Not until after the golden calf incident  
is a redeemer other than Yehovah  
mentioned.

Yeshua who redeems (Job 19:25,  
Galatians 3:13, 1 Peter 1:18,  
Revelation 5:9, Revelation 14:3,  
Revelation 14:4)



Salvation comes directly  
from Yehovah who sent  
Yeshua to redeem mankind  
by paying the price  
demanded that we are neither  
qualified or equipped to pay.



The wrath of God is being revealed from heaven against all the godlessness and wickedness of men who suppress the truth by their wickedness. For what may be known about God is plain to them, because God has made it plain to them. For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood from His workmanship, so that men are without excuse.

Romans 1:18 — 20