What Just Happened to Me?

Because of our sin, a huge impassible gap is between us and God.

**Romans 5:12**
When Adam sinned, sin entered the world. Adam’s sin brought death, so death spread to everyone, for everyone sinned.

**Romans 3:23**
For everyone has sinned; we all fall short of God’s glorious standard.

Because God loves us so much, his solution was to send his son, Jesus Christ, to bridge the gap. Jesus willingly laid down his life, paying the penalty for our sins, and three days later, rose from the dead.

**Romans 6:23**
For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Romans 5:8**
But God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners.

**John 14:6**
Jesus told him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me."

By accepting Jesus as our Savior, he removes the gap by forgiving us of our sins and restores us to a right relationship with God. Only through Jesus can we cross the bridge and receive eternal life.

**Romans 10:9-10, 13**
If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by confessing with your mouth that you are saved. For ‘everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.’

**1 John 2:12**
I am writing to you who are God’s children because your sins have been forgiven through Jesus.

**1 John 1:8-9**
If we claim we have no sin, we are only fooling ourselves and not living in the truth. But if we confess our sins to Him, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all wickedness.

**Ephesians 2:8-9**
God saved you by his grace when you believed. And you can’t take credit for this; it is a gift from God. Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it.