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A - ADMIT that you are separated from God because of your sins and need to be forgiven in order to become His child.

B - BELIEVE in Jesus Christ, God's Son, and accept His sacrifice on the Cross for your sins. (To believe means to actively trust Him; not just agree about Him.)

C - CONFESS Jesus as Lord and Savior with your life and with your words.

A Sample Prayer: “Dear Jesus, I believe that You are the Son of God and that you died on the Cross for my sins. I am a sinner and I need to be forgiven. Please forgive my sins, come into my life, and make me a child of God. For I now receive you as my Savior and commit my life to you as my Lord.

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