

Handling Accurately The Word Of GOD

Lesson 2

Topic For This Lesson → SALVATION

Biblical Points Of Emphasis

- ◆ All are in need of it (Rom. 3:23)
 - Sin is something we do, not something we're born into or inherit from Adam [*Calvinism*]
(Ezek. 18:2-4, 20; 28:15; Jas. 1:13-16; 1 Jn. 3:4)
- ◆ It is found only in Christ (Mt. 1:21; Lk. 2:11; Acts 4:12)
- ◆ It is available only because a high price was paid (Jn. 3:16-17)
- ◆ It is provided through the word of God (Rom. 1:16; Jas. 1:21; 2 Tim. 3:15)
- ◆ It something every person must individually strive for (Acts 2:40; Phil. 2:12)
- ◆ It can be neglected (Heb. 2:3)
- ◆ It is for those who obey its "Author" (Heb. 5:8-9)
- ◆ It is obtained upon meeting certain conditions:
 - Not "universal salvation" (Mt. 7:13-14, 21-23; 25:31-33, 41-46a)
 - One must believe to be saved (Jn. 8:24; Mk. 16:16; 1 Pet. 1:9)
 - One must repent of sin to be saved (Lk. 13:3, 5; Acts 17:30; 2 Cor. 7:10)
 - One must confess Jesus as the Christ to be saved (Mt. 10:32-33; Acts 8:37; Rom. 10:9-10)
 - One must be baptized to be saved (Mk. 16:16; 1 Pet. 3:21)
- ◆ It can be lost or forfeited (Acts 8:9-24; Heb. 6:4-6; 2 Pet. 2:20-22)

Indicate How Each Of The Following Do Not Agree With The Above Points

- ◆ Salvation By "Faith Only" (Jas. 2:19; Mk. 3:11; Jn. 12:42)
- ◆ Receiving Christ As "Personal Savior" Into Your Heart
- ◆ Saying "The Sinner's Prayer" (Acts 2:38; 8:22)
(Compare what "lost people" were told to do vs. how "erring Christians" were instructed)

Review the chart on pg. 4 as a "summary" for this lesson & a "bridge" to Lesson 3.

Recorded Conversions In The Book Of Acts

<i>Text</i>	<i>Hear</i>	<i>Believe</i>	<i>Repent</i>	<i>Confess</i>	<i>Baptized</i>
Acts 2	●		●		●
Acts 8:4-13	●	●			●
Acts 8:26-40		●		●	●
Acts 9					●
Acts 10	●				●
Acts 16:14-15	●				●
Acts 16:16-34		●			●
Acts 18	●	●			●
Acts 19	●				●