

Power to Save - cont.

for our life (Romans 10:15; 2 Peter 1:3-4).

The promises of the gospel include the promise of peace (Ephesians 2:17), forgiveness (Ephesians 3:6), heaven (Colossians 1:5), hope (Colossian 1:23; 1 Peter 1:3-4), and immortality (2 Timothy 1:8). Do you want these promises?

The Devil Blinds Men to the Gospel

Do you know that the devil does not want you to be saved from God's wrath by the gospel? He turns reasonable belief into doubtful disbelief. He turns humble obedience into prideful disobedience. He turns zealous activity into cold apathy. He turns respectful fear into false security. And, he turns joyful hope into dark despair.

The Gospel Call Today

God calls us today through his gospel (2 Thessalonians 2:14). This gospel call includes facts, commands, responsibilities, warnings, and promises. To accept this call we need reason, humility, zeal, fear, and motivation. Will you accept God's gospel call today?

- Chris Reeves -

Sentence Sermons

- You don't have to give someone the benefit of the doubt when there is none to give.
- A kind word will lift up a person when life gets him down.
- Say the right thing, then shut up.
- Christians are free from sin, but not free to sin.
- Blessed are the peacemakers.

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For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh, for the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh, but divinely powerful for the destruction of fortresses.
- 2 Corinthians 10:3-4 -

For I am not ashamed of the gospel: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek. For therein is revealed a righteousness of God from faith unto faith:

as it is written, But the righteous shall live by faith.

- Romans 1:16-17 -

What is the New Testament gospel? "Gospel" means good news or glad tidings. It is the good news that a person in sin can be saved from God's wrath by the blood of Jesus Christ.

Since the gospel is so important to our salvation, we should all know what the gospel is. Do we know what is in the gospel and do we all preach the same gospel? Let's take a look at what the gospel is by looking at the five elements of the gospel.

1. The Gospel Is: Facts to Believe

Preaching the gospel includes preaching historical facts that must be confronted, admitted, and believed before a person can be saved (Romans 1:1-4; 1 Corinthians 15:1-8).

The facts of the gospel include believing that Jesus is the divine Son of

God (Mark 1:14-15; 16:16-15; Acts 15:7; Romans 1:16; 10:9-10) and believing in the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus (2 Timothy 2:8).

The facts of the gospel were confirmed by apostolic eyewitness testimony and miracles, so we have good reason to believe these facts today some 2,000 years later (Romans 15:19).

2. The Gospel Is: Commands to Obey

Preaching the gospel includes preaching obedience to the commands of Jesus (Romans 10:16; 1 Peter 4:17).

The commands of Jesus include repentance (Mark 1:14-15; Acts 14:15; 17:30) and baptism (Mark 16:15-16; Acts 8:35; 10:48).

The commands of Jesus relate to the facts discussed above. The death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus is the "form" or pattern for us today to obey (Romans 6:3-5, 17).

3. The Gospel Is: Responsibilities to Fulfill

Preaching the gospel includes preaching the Christian responsibilities that must be fulfilled each day (Romans 1:15; Ephesians

6:15).

The daily responsibilities of a Christian include things like suffering for the gospel (Mark 8:35; 10:29; 2 Timothy 1:8; Philemon 13), standing in the gospel (1 Corinthians 15:2), not changing the gospel (2 Corinthians 11:4; Galatians 1:6-7), defending the gospel (Galatians 2:5,14; Philippians 1:17), speaking the gospel boldly (Ephesians 6:19), supporting the gospel (Philippians 1:5-12; 4:15), and daily living by the gospel (Philippians 1:27).

4. The Gospel Is: Warnings to Heed

Preaching the gospel includes preaching the warnings that must be feared and heeded (2 Thessalonians 1:8-9).

The warnings of the gospel include warnings about present apostasy, or falling away from Christ (Hebrews 2:1-2; 4:1-11), and warnings about the future coming judgment (Acts 24:25).

5. The Gospel Is: Promises to Enjoy

Preaching the gospel includes preaching the promises of good things