

All On The Altar Sunday
Romans 10:1-4, 9-17, 21
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Romans 10:1-4

Brothers, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved. ² For I can testify about them that they are zealous for God, but their zeal is not based on knowledge. 3 Since they did not know the righteousness that comes from God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness. 4 Christ is the end of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes.

Romans 10:9-17

⁹ That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved.

11 As the Scripture says, "Anyone who trusts in him will never be put to shame." 12 For there is no difference between Jew and **Gentile—the same Lord is Lord** of all and richly blesses all who call on him, 13 for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

14 How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? 15 And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

16 But not all the Israelites accepted the good news. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our message?" 17 Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ.

Romans 10:21

²¹ But concerning Israel he says, "All day long I have held out my hands to a disobedient and obstinate people."(NIV).



List what you think are the three greatest needs:

1.

2.

3.

Selfactualization

Esteem

Love/belonging

Safety

Physiological

According To Scripture The Three Greatest Needs Are:

Sin

Sorrow

3.

1. We Must Cultivate A Desire For Souls.

Romans 10:1 Brothers, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved. (NIV)

Proverbs 23:7

7 For as he thinks in his heart, so is he. "Eat and drink!" he says to you, But his heart is not with you. (NKJV)

Proverbs 4:23

23 Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life. (NIV)

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2. We Must Expose The Deception About Salvation.

Romans 10:2-4 2 I can say this about them: They really try to follow God, but they do not know the right way. 3 Because they did not know the way that God makes people right with him, they tried to make themselves right in their own way. So they did not accept God's way of making people right. 4 Christ ended the law so that everyone who believes in him may be right with God.

3. We Must Explain Fully The Description of Salvation.

A. Salvation Requires A Confession
Romans 10:9 ⁹ That if you confess with
your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and
believe in your heart that God raised
him from the dead, you will be saved.
(NIV)

B. Salvation Requires A Commitment

Romans 10:9 9 That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. (NIV)

C. Salvation Requires A Confidence

Romans 10:9 9 That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. (NIV)

D. Salvation Requires A Courage

Romans 10:9 9 That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. (NIV)

Mark 8:38

38 If anyone is ashamed of me and my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, the Son of Man will be ashamed of him when he comes in his Father's glory with the holy angels."

4. We Must Accept The Outy of Soul-Winning.

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5. We Must Repent of Disobedience To God.

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