

Where Does Faith Come From?

Romans 10:13-17 (NIV) 13"For everyone who <u>calls</u> on the name of the Lord will be saved. 14 How, then, can they call on the one they have not <u>believed in</u>? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not <u>heard</u>?

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Romans 10:13-15;17 (NIV) 14 And how can they hear without someone <u>preaching</u> to them? 15 And how can anyone preach unless they are <u>sent</u>?....

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Romans 10:13-15;17 (NIV) 17 Consequently, <u>faith</u> comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word about Christ."

WHAT IS FAITH?

James 2:14-17 (NIV) ¹⁴ "What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if people <u>claim</u> to have <u>faith</u> but have <u>no deeds</u>? Can such faith save them? ¹⁵ Suppose a brother or sister is without clothes and daily food?



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¹⁶ If one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? ¹⁷ In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action is dead.'"

NOT BY WORKS

Ephesians 2:8-10 (NIV) [®] For it is by grace you have been saved, through <u>faith</u>-and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God-. [®] by works, so that no one can boast.

NOT BY WORKS

For we are God's handiwork, created in Chris Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

TRUE GIVING

¹ "As Jesus looked up, He saw the rich putting their gifts into the temple treasury. ²He also saw a poor widow put in two very small copper coins.

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³'Truly I tell you,' He said,'this poor widow has put in more than all the others. 4 All of these people gave their gifts out of their wealth; but she out of her poverty put in all she had to live on.'"

FAITH

It is not what I say, but what I do, that reflects what I believe

