

The Gospel Call & True Conversion

Recovering the Gospel

Lesson #3: “Believe and Confess”

- Read Chapter **Three** and answer the following questions from pages 35-45.

Romans 10:9-10 “that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. **10** For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.”

1. What was Israel’s great theological error in **Romans 10:1-5**?
2. “We often _____ that we understand a text because we _____ an interpretation of it without _____ from those who _____ it without question from _____.”
3. List’s the author’s five serious objections to the sinner’s prayer.
4. How has **Romans 10:9** been turned into an empty creed?
5. What evidence is needed to show a person is truly converted?
6. How is true saving faith validated?
7. How are the belief systems of demons and many humans alike?

8. What is the Biblical meaning of the 'heart'?

9. A true conversion has happened when the sinner confesses what with their mouth?

10. "True _____ in Jesus shows itself in a real _____ to and an open confession of His _____, which deepens as the believer _____ and grows stronger even in the most _____ of circumstances."

11. What did Robert Haldane say was the evidence of true faith in Christ based on **Romans 10:9-10**?

12. How were people in the Roman Empire dismissed of the charges of being a Christian?

13. What does **1 Corinthians 12:3** teach a true believer can and cannot do?

14. How have many people in churches today come to have a false assurance of salvation?

15. "...faith in Christ is ... persevering, dynamic, and evident. This is _____ because salvation is the _____ of God for the _____ of God. He who first _____ saving faith in the _____ of the believer _____ see to it that that _____ perseveres, deepens, and manifests."