

Zacchaeus - A Notorious Sinner Saved!

Luke 19:1-10

Luke 19:1: Then Jesus entered and passed through Jericho.

Luke 19:2: Now behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus who was a chief tax collector, and he was rich.

Luke 19:3-4: And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not because of the crowd, for he was of short stature. So he ran ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see Him, for He was going to pass that way.

Matthew

- Heart
- House
- Hand

Luke 19:5: And when Jesus came to the place, He looked up and saw him, and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and come down, for today I must stay at your house."



Jesus called **Zacchaeus** by his **name**!

There was an **urgency** in Jesus!

This was Zacchaeus' **day**!

Is it possible that this is **your** day?

Now is the **day** of **salvation**!

Hebrews 4:7: **Today**, if you hear **His voice**, don't **harden** your **heart**.

Luke 19:6: So he made haste and came down, and **received Him joyfully**.

In verse 5, we see God **sovereignly seeking** Zacchaeus!

In verse 6, we see man's **responsibility** to **receive** Jesus!

Luke 19:7: But when **they** saw it, **they** all **complained**, saying, He has gone to be a guest with a man who is a **sinner**.

Mark 2:15-17: Now it happened, as He was dining in Levi's house, that many tax collectors and sinners also sat together with Jesus and His disciples; for there were many, and they followed Him. And when the scribes and Pharisees saw Him eating with the tax collectors and sinners, they said to His disciples, "How is it that He eats and drinks with tax collectors and sinners?" When Jesus heard it, He said to them, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance."

Luke 7:33-35: For John the Baptist came neither eating bread nor drinking wine, and you say, "He has a demon." The Son of Man has come eating and drinking, and you say, "Look, a glutton and a winebibber, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!" But wisdom is justified by all her children.

Luke 19:8: Then Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold."

Faith and Works

Zacchaeus' faith saved him!

Zacchaeus had **true** saving **faith** that produced **works!**

True saving faith produces the **fruit** of **repentance!**

Luke 19:9: Jesus said to him, "Today **salvation** has come to this house, because he also is a **son** of **Abraham.**"

Are you **saved**?

Romans 10:9-10: 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**. For with the **heart** one **believes** unto **righteousness**, and with the **mouth confession** is made unto **salvation**.

Abraham's life was marked by **Faith** and **Works**.

Luke 19:10: For the **Son of Man** has come to **seek** and to **save** that which was **lost**.

One person at a time!

We're always looking for our **one!**