



GUIDED BIBLE STUDY

Evidence for Salvation

Speaker: Pastor Alan Brooks

Message Title: "Do You Know You're Saved?"

Key Passage: Romans 10:9

Highlighted Scriptures

"...If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." – Romans 10:9

"For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God." – Ephesians 2:8

"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." – Romans 3:23

"Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven... but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." – Matthew 7:21

Discussion Questions

- 1. What are the similarities and differences between a sports fanatic and a committed Christian?**
- 2. Why is it essential to believe that God raised Jesus from the dead?**
- 3. Why is both believing with the heart and confessing with the mouth important for salvation?**
- 4. What does Matthew 7:21–22 say about the need for Jesus' lordship in our lives?**

5. Do you know that you are saved? If not, talk to someone and get that worked out.

Key Takeaways

- **Salvation is not about how good you are — it's about what Jesus did on the cross.**
- **Romans 10:9 reminds us that belief and confession are both necessary.**
- **Many people believe they are “good,” but Matthew 7 warns that knowing about Jesus is not the same as truly following Him.**
- **The fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5) is evidence of true faith: love, patience, kindness, etc.**
- **Your confidence in salvation doesn't come from emotions or dramatic experiences, but from trusting God's Word.**

Reflection Activity

Take time this week to write down your salvation story. Include what you believed, when you believed, and how you've seen fruit from that decision. Then, read Romans 10:9 and Ephesians 2:8 again to remind yourself of the truth.

Prayer Prompt

Father, thank You for making salvation simple yet powerful. I confess Jesus as my Lord and believe in my heart that You raised Him from the dead. Help me walk in that assurance and reflect Your love to others. In Jesus' name, Amen.

