

IS BEING “GOOD” ENOUGH?

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UNLEASHED
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
TEACHING NOTES

“Can I be good enough to get into heaven?”

THE STANDARD OF HEAVEN IS PERFECTION.

Revelations 21:27 (NASB)

'...and nothing unclean, and no one who practices abomination and lying, shall ever come into it, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life.'

Revelations 21:4 (NASB)

...and He will wipe away every tear from their eyes; and there will no longer be any death; there will no longer be any mourning, or crying, or pain; the first things have passed away.

WE CAN'T REACH THAT STANDARD ALONE.

Romans 3:23 (NLT)

For everyone has sinned;
we all fall short of God's glorious standard

GRACE Receiving the good that we don't deserve.

Ephesians 2:8-9 (NASB)

For it is by grace that you have been saved through faith; and this is not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

James 2:17 (NASB)

In the same way, faith also, if it has no works, is dead, being by itself.

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Romans 5:20b (NASB)

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