

# Receiving the Promises by Activating Your Covenant

As long as you're on this earth, those promises in God's Word are just waiting for you to accept them, believe them, and act upon them. They're in your New Covenant. You have to activate your covenant. ***Your covenant is voice activated.***

## ***Covenant Activation:***

You have to ***give voice*** to Romans 10:9&10 if you want to be born again; you have to give voice to 1 Peter 2:24 if you want to be healed, and you have to give voice to 3 John 2 if you want to prosper financially. And after you've done that, you must ***believe*** that ***what you said is what you believe you have.***

The new birth is the same way. You have to take it by faith, because God gives no one any physical sign that they're born again. Salvation is ***totally*** a faith proposition. God designed it that way. And so it is with everything else that you receive from God: You receive by faith. Your faith is your connection to God. We are saved by grace through faith (*For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Eph. 2:8*). It's by faith that you receive your healing, and by faith that you receive your financial prosperity. In other words, God will do things through faith for you and to you that He won't do any other way.

Until you activate your covenant promises, and take those financial verses that are in your Bible, and speak to that financial mountain and tell it to be gone, in Jesus' Name, Satan will dominate your finances. Mountains are not to be prayed about. Mountains are to be spoken to (Mark 11:23). You don't pray, "*Oh, God, do something about my finances.*" "*Oh, God, get me a better job.*" "*Oh, God, heal me.*"

God gave you, as a person, the authority to change your circumstances to line up with His promises. In the case of sin, you've got to confess it to have your sin forgiven. Doing so is using your mouth to change your life. The only way you can have your sins forgiven as a Christian is to confess them to God. ***If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*** 1 John 1:9

Salvation comes through confessing Jesus with your mouth. You could be the best person in the world. You may be very kind, caring, patient, and considerate of others, not causing anyone any problems, and go to church faithfully. You can join the church and take communion, give faithfully in the offering, and volunteer to help out all your life, but if you did not confess Jesus Christ as your Lord, you'll go to hell. Our salvation is... **Not of works, lest any man should boast.** Ephesians 2:9

How do I know it's this way? Because that's the way God said it is in His Word. God's Word is truth. This may not be something you want to hear, or something you like hearing, but if you want to be right, you've got to follow truth.

It is an imperative necessity that you confess Jesus Christ as your Lord out of your mouth and believe in your heart that God raised Jesus from the dead. **That 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. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.** Romans 10:9,10

Jesus Christ was the One Who said you must be born again (*...**Ye must be born again.** John 3:7*). The term "born again" is always going to bother you until you do it, because when you're not born again, you don't want to hear anything about being born again. But once you receive Jesus as your Lord, you want the whole world to hear about it.

Ever since the time Jesus came to earth, there has been no other way to get to heaven except through Jesus Christ. There are people who don't like that, but their problem is usually pride and stubbornness. We all have to submit to God's Word if we're going to make any progress with God. No religion can get you to God, because no religion has a cure for sin. We have all sinned. We've all done something wrong. We've all committed a sin, and we've all transgressed against God by disobeying Him. **For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;** Romans 3:23

You have to come to God through Jesus Christ. If you receive Jesus as your Lord and Savior, His blood that He shed will cleanse you from all sins.

**... I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**  
John 14:6

**For *there is* one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus;  
Who gave himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time. 1 Tim. 2:5,6**

**In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to  
the riches of his grace; Ephesians 1:7**

**...the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin. 1 John 1:7**

There is no one innocent without the blood of Jesus applied to their life... not one person...  
now, nor ever has been. You must be born again in this life to get to go be with Jesus in the  
next life. The choice will be yours. What are you going to do with Jesus Christ?

Remember, God wishes above all things that you prosper and be in health,  
even as your soul prospers (3 John 2).

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