

# True Salvation

(Kevin Vigneault/Romans 10:1-13/3.22.15)

9 am Lord's Table Worship Service

Context – Romans shows the shortcoming of man: the complete inability to follow God's law. Romans 9 precedes our text by focusing in on God's sovereignty in our salvation and His graciousness. The chapter shifts gear a bit and talks about Israel's predicament in relation to the law (9:27-33)

- I. Israel's struggle stated by Paul (1-3)
  - a. Paul's desire is that they be \_\_\_\_\_. VS. 1
  - b. Their \_\_\_\_\_ is not in accordance with knowledge. VS. 2
    - i. They try to establish their own righteousness and miss God's. VS. 3
- II. What are they missing? \_\_\_\_\_ fulfills the law for everyone who believes. (4-13)
  - a. Fake righteousness through self-attainment. VS. 5
  - b. Real righteousness explained. VS. 6-8
    - i. It is not \_\_\_\_\_.
    - ii. It is not \_\_\_\_\_.
    - iii. It is accomplished and found in \_\_\_\_\_,
  - c. What is this preaching that is mentioned in VS. 8?
    - i. Confession of Christ as \_\_\_\_\_.
    - ii. Believing in Him as \_\_\_\_\_.
      1. For the heart brings righteousness. VS. 10
      2. For the mouth brings salvation. VS. 10
      3. For Christ does not disappoint. VS. 11
      4. For God is impartial. VS. 12
      5. For God is abounding in riches to all. VS. 12
      6. For anyone who calls will be saved. VS. 13

Conclusion – Paul's desire is that the self-righteous Jews would come to realize that their salvation is already taken care of. Your salvation just as it is stated in the OT is based upon the heart. The unreachable righteous standard set by God is accomplished by the Christ. This salvation is free to all who confess and believe. This salvation is founded firmly on the very Son of God who will not disappoint.