

# Bethel Bible Series

## Reversion

### NT Study 10

*Never say: "You're forgiven—but don't do it again."*

*This implies that forgiveness is conditional upon on not sinning again. It negates the grace of the gospel. - PK*

Welcome

Opening - How does Acts 1:8 tell us we are to respond to Jesus' calling to share His Good News?  
Prayer Requests and Opening Prayer

## Review of Last Week - *Christ the Lord*

The Apostles Await the Power (Acts 1)

*Figures Approaching City*

After Jesus ascended, they waited for the Spirit in Jerusalem as instructed

They stayed together, prayed constantly

*City, Green Pastures and Globe*

Acts 1:8

In Jerusalem (Acts 2-7)

*First Spire*

Day of Pentecost - rec'd Spirit, Jews from around the world heard gospel

Spoke the gospel boldly, not stopped by threats from officials

Given wisdom to stand against Jews

Had the saving power of the gospel

Performed miracles, healed by faith in Jesus' name

*Second Spire*

120 grew to 5000+ within first year

3000 were added on Pentecost

*Third Spire*

Met daily, Broke bread in homes, Sold possessions, Shared everything

Persecution of apostles grew to wide persecution of the church

In Judea and Samaria (Acts 8-12)

*Arched Doorway and Path to Pastures*

Members were scattered throughout Judea and Samaria and preached there

Philip preached and baptized in a Samaritan city; they received the Spirit

*Broken Portion of City Wall*

Philip witnessed to Ethiopian and baptized him

Peter visited Cornelius (Italian centurion) and baptized household

Apostles objected, then praised God for including Gentiles (Acts 11:18)

Paul called by Christ to take message to Gentiles, mission trips

Barnabas and Saul formed and grew first Christian church at Antioch

To The Ends of The Earth (Acts 13-28)

*Globe Surrounded by Light*

"Since you reject it, we turn to the Gentiles." Paul is sent to the Gentiles

*Open Book*

*Xristos 'O Kurios*

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### Lesson - *Reversion*

Three Barriers to the Gospel

What is the simple message of the gospel?  
Ephesians 2:8-9

Barrier 1 - Philosophical Ideas  
Hermits (Asceticism)  
Gnostics (Knowledge)  
Stoic  
Platonists (logic)

Barrier 2 - Human Pride  
If I gave you a \$100 bill, how would you feel?  
Romans 6:23

Barrier 3 - Experience  
What else would you think about the \$100 bill?  
What is the price for God's salvation?  
John 3:16

### *Reversion*

What problem arose in the early church?  
Acts 15:5

Why is this contrary to the gospel?  
Romans 2:12  
Romans 3:19-24  
Romans 3:27-28  
Galatians 2:21, 3:18

Why did some Jews have trouble with salvation apart from the Law?  
Deuteronomy 28:1-2

How did Jesus warn against reversion?  
Mark 2:21-22

Was this concept of salvation by faith a completely new approach by God since man can't earn his way?  
Romans 4:1-5

How did the writers of Galatians, Hebrews and Romans respond?  
Galatians 1:6-8  
Galatians 3:1-3  
Hebrews 2:1  
Hebrews 13:9  
Romans 16:17-18

*Figures Walking Away From Light*

*Figures Stopped and Pointed Back to Light*

*Three Scrolls*

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### Galatians

#### *Scroll Over Dead Tree*

Who wrote this letter and to whom?

Galatians 1:1-2

Acts 14:20-21

How many of his 3 missionary journeys took him through Galatia?

Acts 16:6, 18:23

Why did Paul state his credentials before correcting the Galatians?

Galatians 1:11-12

Galatians 1:14

Galatians 2:11

Galatians 2:15-16

What arguments did Paul give against righteousness through the law?

Galatians 3:1-5

Galatians 3:10-11

Galatians 4:8-11

Galatians 4:21

Galatians 5:3-4

What did Paul say about the Jews who were leading the Galatians astray?

Galatians 6:12-13

Galatians 5:7-12

### Hebrews

#### *Scroll Over Man in Pit*

##### *Man in Pit*

Hebrews 1:1-2

Hebrews 1:3-4

Hebrews 3:3

##### *Green Robe*

Hebrews 4:14-15

Hebrews 7:23-25

Hebrews 7:26-28

##### *Scroll*

Hebrews 8:6-13

##### *Stone Block*

Hebrews 9:1, 11

##### *Lamb*

Hebrews 9:12-14

Hebrews 9:25-26

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#### Romans

*Scroll Over Second Man in Pit*

Who wrote this letter and to whom?

Romans 1:1, 7a

When was this letter written?

Romans 15:23-26

*Scrolls in Arm*

Romans 2:25-26

Romans 3:1, 9

Romans 3:19-20

Romans 4:16

*Grain Sheaf in Arm*

Romans 11:5-6

#### Closing Prayer

#### Summary

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*Three Scrolls*

*Galatians Scroll Over Dead Tree*

*Hebrews Scroll Over Man in Pit*

*Man in Pit*

*Green Robe*

*Scroll*

*Stone Block*

*Lamb*

*Romans Scroll Over Second Man in Pit*

*Scrolls in Arm*

*Grain Sheaf in Arm*

#### Distribute Materials

Next Week - *Justification*