



## **Lesson 5: Overcoming Fear by Faith Genesis 15:1-6**

### **I. Read Romans 3:9-18**

- a. How many categories of people are there in the world? (verse 9)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- b. What condition is theirs equally? (verse 9)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- c. How does Paul describe the human condition in ...
  - Verse 10
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verse 11
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verse 12a
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verse 12b
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verse 12c
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verses 13-14
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verse 15
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - Verses 16-17



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- Verse 18

d. How do you respond to this description of the human condition?

e. Why was it necessary for Paul to speak so bluntly about the sin of the human race?

### **2. Read Romans 3:21-31.**

a. Who did Jesus say shall see God? (Matthew 5:8)

b. But if we are not pure in heart, how will we become that way? (Romans 3:21)

c. How is the righteousness of God obtained? (verse 22)

d. What difference is there between Jews and Gentiles in obtaining this righteousness? (verse 22b-23)

e. What cost is associated with receiving this righteousness? (verse 24)



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- f. What aspect of God's character was revealed through the sacrifice of Christ on the cross? (verses 25-26)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- g. How is it possible for God to be both just and the justifier of sinners? (Is a judge truly just who justifies the guilty?)

### **3. Read Romans 4:1-5.**

- a. How was Abraham justified? (verse 3)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- b. If he had been justified by works, what could he have done? (verse 2)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- c. When a man works, what is justly his? (verse 4)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- d. For the man who does not work for salvation, how does he receive it? (verse 5)

### **4. How do you know you have received salvation? On what basis did you receive it?**