What Must I Do To Be Saved?

1. **Hear** the Gospel (Romans 10:13-17).
2. **Believe** the Gospel (Acts 15:7; Mark 16:15, 16).
4. **Confess** Faith in Christ (Acts 8:37).
5. **Be Baptized** for Remission of Sins (Acts 2:38).
6. **Be Faithful** (Revelation 2:10).

January 31, 2016

ORDER OF WORSHIP

- Announcements
- Danny Shackleford
- Song Leader
- Larry Wood
- Scripture Reading
- David Smith
- Opening Prayer
  - Jodie Criswell (A.M.), Young Men (P.M.)
- Closing Prayer
  - Britt Lindley (A.M.), Young Men (P.M.)
- Lord’s Table
  - Jarvene Shackleford (Presiding),
  - Jeff Staggs, Jordan Staggs, Tom Wade
- Count and Usher
  - Ricky Cissom
  - Casey Harris
- Prepare Communion
  - Angela Bridges & Dala Vandygriff
- Wednesday Night Song Leader
  - Chance Criswell (02/02/2016)

OUR RECORD

January 24, 2016

- Sunday Bible Study: 106
- Sunday Morning Worship: 124
- Sunday Evening Worship: 75
- Wednesday Night Bible Study: 94
- Budget: $3,500
- Contribution this week: $3,568

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Thanks be to God for giving us His Word which answers the great questions of life! The real question is this: Will we believe and obey it?
The jackpot for tomorrow’s Powerball has reached a world record of 1.5 billion dollars. Whoever picks the lucky numbers will receive a 1.5 billion dollar annuity paid out over 30 years or a cash total worth $930 million. The millions of Americans who have purchased lottery tickets in hopes of winning this 1.5 billion dollar prize have, no doubt, imagined what they would do if they won the jackpot. Surely, near the top of the list for most people would be, “I’d give a big chunk to my church.” But let’s think about that for a second.

I’m reminded of the preacher who once went to a rather wealthy business man in his congregation to ask for a donation for some much-needed funds. The business man looked rather shocked that the preacher would ask him for a donation, so said to the preacher, “Are you not aware that my mother needs 24 hour nursing care?” “No,” said the preacher. “Are you not aware that my children have accumulated several hundred thousand dollars worth of student loan debt?” Again, the preacher said, “No.” “Are you not aware that my sister is widowed and trying to raise her five children on a waiters’ salary?” Feeling a bit embarrassed at this point, the preacher again softly said, “No, I didn’t.” Then the businessman said, “Preacher, if I won’t help any of them, then what makes you think I’d help you?”

The purpose for the illustration above is to demonstrate that whether we help the church or not has little to do with money we have or what our circumstances in life are. It boils down to a matter of the heart.

Just think how much money “the church” would have if all these people who plan to give a big chunk of their winnings to the church if they win the $1.5 billion jackpot, I would like to think about that for a second.

To all those who seek to give a “great sum” of money to the church if they win the $1.5 billion jackpot, I would like to look for a smile today and return it with one of your own. Give someone faith and hope, it’s such a beautiful loan.

On Wednesday: Forget yesterday’s sorrows, mistakes, sadness, and pain. Lift your heart with hope as flowers to sun and rain.

On Thursday: Gather a thought that’s kind, one that’s sincere and deep. Be sure to pass it along for such are too precious to keep.

On Friday: You shall not pass this way again, so do any good you can do. Don’t put it off till tomorrow or the chance may be lost for you.

On Saturday: Today will soon be a memory so don’t let it come to an end, without a smile, without a song, without a thoughtful gift, some flowers, or a smile makes us all rich indeed.

A Week of Good Thoughts

Suppose we start this very day To live our lives in a different way; Suppose we vowed and constantly tried To help those in trouble on life’s wayside; If we showed by our deeds a hint of His love Wouldn’t earth be a bit more like heaven above?

On Monday: Look for a smile today and return it with one of your own. Give someone faith and hope, it’s such a beautiful loan.

On Tuesday: Gather a thought that’s kind, one that’s sincere and deep. Be sure to pass it along for such are too precious to keep.

On Wednesday: Forget yesterday’s sorrows, mistakes, sadness, and pain. Lift your heart with hope as flowers to sun and rain.

On Thursday: Offer a word of comfort and prayer to help someone in need. A little thoughtful gift, some flowers, or a smile makes us all rich indeed.

On Friday: You shall not pass this way again, so do any good you can do. Don’t put it off till tomorrow or the chance may be lost for you.

On Saturday: Today will soon be a memory so don’t let it come to an end, without a smile, without a song, or just a word from a friend.

On Sunday: Don’t let worry and care depress you, or brush your joy away. But arise and give thanks to God above, for His love and another ‘Blest Day.’

...let each esteem other better than themselves. Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others” (Philippians 2:3-4).

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