

## Why We Need The Gospel Preached Part 2!

*KJV Romans 1:15 So, as much as in me is, I am ready (eager) to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also.*

*16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.*

Paul said he was **eager, willing, and ready** to preach The Gospel to those who lived in Rome.

Paul had **ready mind** (1 Peter 5:2) this is someone who knows what they've committed to and do it willingly no matter the cost!

**I wonder how many believers know the cost of following Christ!**

Christians should be like the highly paid professional athletes today!

They get paid **multiple millions of dollars** to play sports, and people come from all over the world to watch them.

So, they play **hurt, injured, and sick**; they have a ready mind!

It must be a career ending injury to keep them from playing!

So many saints are not in the game, not preaching The Gospel, or sharing their faith with others—**not having a ready mind!**

- **Rome** represented the civilized world, and the cold world and everything that opposes God!

Rome had their own gods, their own government, and their own way of living Rome had everything most people and cities didn't have:

Paved streets, technology, music, culture, fine dining, and wealth!

Rome didn't need anybody, yet Paul was ready to tell them **The Good News**, with all their conquest, riches & power they need **Jesus Christ**.

Paul said he was not **ashamed or afraid** to share **The Gospel** with people who thought they didn't need anything.

Rome had the wealthiest most powerful people on the planet at that time!

Paul knew **The Gospel is the power of God for salvation!**

**Salvation** is “*soteria*” means **deliverance** (rescue from sin, & evil), **preservation** (being kept in the best condition) **and safety** from the enemy’s tactics.

Everyone who calls on Jesus is guaranteed **salvation**.

This **salvation** is progressive and eternal, beginning instantly and manifesting daily!

*Proverbs 4:18* But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn, which shines brighter and brighter until full day.

**Those who confess Christ, are saved, and being saved and will be eternally saved!**

We are saved **in** this evil world, we are **being** saved from this world, we are saved from Satan, and his demons, and lastly, we are saved into **The Kingdom of God**.

We are not simply saved (rescued) from something, we are saved into something called **The Kingdom of God**.

When a person is **rescued** from **danger** they aren’t taken into another dangerous situation, that’s not **being rescued!**

When someone’s rescued, they’re taken out of danger to a **safe place!**

*KJV Psalm 34:19* Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the LORD delivereth (rescues) him out of them all.

When we call on Jesus, He forgives us and takes into His Kingdom where there’s righteousness, peace & joy in The Holy Spirit!

**In The Kingdom we don’t have to worry about the devil, the world or man!**

**The Good News is the devil has been handled by Jesus!**

**1 John 3:8b** ... *For this purpose, the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil.*

**Luke 10:19** *Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.*

**It doesn't matter what the world does, Jesus gives us Peace!**

**KJV John 16:33** *These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.*

**The Good News is it doesn't matter what people do!**

**Hebrews 13:5** *Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."*

**The Good News is** Jesus promised to never leave us (**give up on us**) or forsake us (**abandon us**)!

**6** *So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me.*

**It's about time people who believe The Gospel open their mouths and say with boldness...**

**The Lord Jesus Christ is my Savior, The Holy Spirit is my helper!**

**KJV Psalm 27:1** <A Psalm of David.> *The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the LORD is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?*

**Romans 10:9** *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.*

You know this, to **confess is to say the same thing as another**, it's agreeing with someone.

- **In our case confession is saying the same thing as God!**

God raised Jesus from the dead and gave Him a Name above every name, at The Name of Jesus Christ every knee will bow, and every tongue **confess (agree)** that Jesus Christ is LORD to the glory of God The Father.

Who said the **only** time we can **confess** Jesus is LORD is when we get saved?

**KJV Psalm 91:1** *He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.*

*2 I will say of the LORD, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.*

The son writer declares he will **write, sing, and say** something about The Lord.

That he will **declare, preach, and proclaim** who The Lord is to him!

David says The Lord is his light, his constant illumination & revelation!

The Lord is his **salvation**, his constant eternal defense who can possibly get to him to defeat him? **Why should he be afraid of anything?**

No matter what situation David finds himself in God can and will get him out of it! God is his **rescuer!**

David says The Lord is the **strength of his life**, He's my **stronghold, my fortress** the daily attacks from the enemy can't wear us down because God keeps building us up!

The Gospel builds us up as the world, the flesh and the devil try to tear us down!

Listen **"WE HAVE TO SAY THE SAME THING GOD SAYS"!**

**Confession ends the trial if you keep arguing the trial will continue!**

- **Somebody needs to make a plea bargain!**

**You need to agree with God's charges against you and get a reduced sentence so the trial (test) can end, and you can begin again!**

