



OUR BELIEFS

BLAIR COUNTY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

At Blair County Christian School, it is our goal that every child knows Jesus Christ as their personal Savior and that they strive to gain a personal relationship with Him. One's eternal destiny is truly the most important thing in life. The Bible teaches that we have an eternal soul, and once we die, we will either spend eternity in Heaven or Hell.

The only true way to know for sure that you will spend eternity in Heaven is to accept Jesus Christ as your personal, sufficient Savior. Salvation is a free gift from God given to us by His Son's death on the cross of Calvary. To accept this free gift just follow these steps, which are most commonly called 'The Romans Road':

The first verse on the Romans Road to salvation is *Romans 3:23*, "*For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God.*" We have all sinned. We have all done things that are displeasing to God.

The second Scripture on the Romans Road to salvation, *Romans 6:23*, teaches us about the consequences of sin - "*For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.*" The punishment that we have earned for our sins is death. Not just physical death, but eternal death!

The third verse on the Romans Road to salvation picks up where *Romans 6:23* left off, "but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord, *Romans 5:8* states "*But God commendeth His love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.*" Jesus Christ died for us! Jesus' death paid for the price of our sins. Jesus' resurrection proves that God accepted Jesus' death as the payment for our sins.

The fourth stop on the Romans Road to salvation is *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.*" Because of Jesus' death on our behalf, all we have to do is believe in Him, trusting His death as the payment for our sins - and we will be saved. *Romans 10:13* says it again, "*For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.*" Jesus died to pay the penalty for our sins and rescue us from eternal death. Salvation, the forgiveness of sins, is available to anyone who will trust in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior.

The final aspect of the Romans Road to salvation is the results of salvation. *Romans 5:1* has this wonderful message: "*Therefore, being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.*" Through Jesus Christ we can have a relationship of peace with God.

Finally, we have this precious promise of God from *Romans 8:38-39*, "*For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come. Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.*"

Would you like to follow the Romans Road to salvation? If so, here is a simple prayer you can pray to God. Saying this prayer is a way to declare to God that you are relying on Jesus Christ for your salvation. The words themselves will not save you. Only faith in Jesus Christ can provide salvation!

"God, I know that I have sinned against you and am deserving of punishment, but Jesus Christ took the punishment that I deserve so that through faith in Him I could be forgiven. With your help, I place my trust in You for salvation. Thank You for Your wonderful grace and forgiveness - the gift of eternal life! Amen!"

QUESTIONS?
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