

# FOUNDATIONS

## LESSON 46: FAITH AND REPENTANCE

**Main Idea:** *Faith and Repentance are foundational to anyone being right with God. They both are essential to one being saved from the wrath to come.*

### **I. Faith And Repentance Are Essential Components To A Person's Salvation**

- Hebrews 11:6; Acts 2:38; Ephesians 2:8-9

### **II. To Please God a Person Must Have Faith**

A. Expressions of Faith are Found Throughout the Scriptures (Hebrews 11:6; Habakkuk 2:4; Genesis 15:6)

B. What is Faith? (Hebrews 11:1; Matthew 11:27; John 20:27-28; Matthew 11:28-30)

C. Variety of Faith (Mark 9:24)

1. Great Faith (Matthew 8:10)
2. Little Faith (Matthew 6:30)
3. Strong Faith (Romans 4:19-21)
4. Growing Faith (2 Thessalonians 1:3)
5. Sincere faith (2 Timothy 1:5)
6. Sound faith (Titus 1:13, 2:2)
7. Full Assurance of Faith (Hebrews 10:22)
8. Shipwrecked Faith (1 Timothy 1:19-20)

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## III. Repentance is Necessary to Have Our Sins Forgiven

- Acts 2:38

### A. The Nature of Repentance

1. A new trust in the Lord (Isaiah 30:15)
2. A clear desire for obedience (Jeremiah 34:15)
3. A clear distaste for ungodliness (Genesis 39:7-9)

### B. The Elements of Repentance

1. A sense of shame
2. Humbling
3. Sorrow and regret
4. Distaste for sin for what it is
5. Recognition of the pardon of God.

### C. The Signs of Repentance

1. Earnestness (2 Corinthians 7:11)
2. Eagerness to Clear Themselves (Luke 19:8)
3. Indignation

## IV. Conclusion and Application

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