***Nuggets From The Word***

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**“*I Will – If You Will*”**

**EZEKIEL 36:26–27** ***I*** ***will give you*** *a* ***new heart*** *and put* ***a new spirit*** *in you;* ***I will remove*** *from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. 27 And* ***I will put My Spirit in you*** *and* ***move you to******follow my decrees*** *and be careful to* ***keep my laws****.*

***Amplified Bible****, A* ***new heart*** *will I give you and a* ***new spirit*** *will I put within you, and I will* ***take away*** *the stony heart out of your flesh and* ***give*** *you a heart of flesh. 27 And I will put My Spirit within you and* ***cause you*** *to walk in My statutes, and you shall heed My ordinances and do them*.

**Romans 10:9–10** *If you declare with your mouth, “****Jesus is Lord****,” and believe in your heart that* ***God raised Him from the dead****, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your* ***faith*** *and are saved.*

**Amplified Bible**, ***Because if*** *you acknowledge and confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and in your heart believe* (adhere to, trust in, and rely on the truth) *that God raised Him from the dead,* ***you will be saved****. 10 For with the heart a person believes* (adheres to, trusts in, and relies on Christ) *and so is justified* (declared righteous, acceptable to God)*, and with the mouth he confesses* (declares openly and speaks out freely his faith) *and confirms* [his] *salvation*

God does the Giving. Jesus Christ is God’s Gift to sinful men. Those who Believe that God sent Jesus to pay the penalty of our sins are the recipients of God’s Gift. Those who, 1) acknowledge that Jesus Christ came to redeem sinners, 2) confess that they are sinners in need of a Savior, 3) confess their sins to Jesus Christ and ask His forgiveness and for Him to come into their lives, ***these are those who*** receive salvation and an eternal inheritance?

If you ***believe*** Jesus died and rose again to forgive you and to give you true life, if you have ***asked*** him to forgive you, if you have ***asked*** him to come into your life, **then** you have begun an incredible journey with the King of the universe. No longer do you have to worry about whether you’re good enough for God, because in Christ you are God’s own child! ***Nothing can separate you from the love of God in Christ Jesus***. When you feel alone or when you experience guilt and shame, you can ***turn to God the Father*** instead of running away from Him. You are forgiven!

A **relationship** with God is better than any other relationship or anything you can buy. It’s permanent and will change you more than anything else in your life. Welcome to the beginning of a lifelong journey. You can become a child of God’s eternal Kingdom.

If you have questions or need someone to pray with you and help you ask Jesus to come into your heart and life – please come see us or give us a call.

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