- 14. Who is the prototypical believer?
- 15. According to 4:14, if Jews can become heirs by obeying the law then faith has what?
- 16. Can anyone keep the law?
- 17. It is a "slap in the face" to God when we do what?
- 18. What two problems would there be for a person if, in theory, salvation could be attained by keeping the law?
- 19. The law brings about what?
- 20. In 2 Corinthians 3:7,9 Paul referred to the law as the ministry of what?
- 21. Why does the law bring about wrath?
- 22. What does the word, "transgression" mean?
- 23. Where there is no law there is no what?
- 24. God defined His standard and that proved men were what?
- 25. What's the solution to man's sin problem?
- 26. If justification were available to those who are of the law and who keep the law, then who could be saved?
- 27. Abraham was justified by believing what?
- 28. What is the purpose of the law?

- 29. The purpose of the law is to show us our sinfulness so we'll look for what?
- 30. God wants our salvation to be what?
- 31. If you introduce works into salvation then you have just introduced an element of what?
- 32. God knows that the best environment for growth is the atmosphere of what?
- 33. What is one of the great things about God's plan of salvation, as opposed to man's system?
- 34. How old were Abraham and Sarah when God made the promise to them that they would have a son?
- 35. How do we know that Abraham's faith was more than just mere mental assent to some facts about God?
- 36. What is the thing that matters most about faith?
- 37. What kind of faith do demons have?
- 38. In the acrostic given by Pastor Bryan, in understanding a definition of faith, the "F" stands for what?
- 39. Faith is based upon what?
- 40. "A" stands for what in the acrostic definition of faith?
- 41. Do you agree with all of the facts that you know about your sinfulness and God's salvation?
- 42. What does the "I" stand for in the acrostic definition of faith?
- 43. Have you internalized the facts that you say you believe about

your sinfulness and God's salvation?

- 44. What does the "T" stand for in the acrostic definition of faith?
- 45. Trusting is the act of what?
- 46. What does the "H" stand for in the acrostic definition of faith?
- 47. "Hope" in the Bible is something that is what?
- 48. Do you have a faith that is based upon facts, an agreement with those facts, and internalization of those facts, a trust in the Person of Christ, and a true biblical hope?
- 49. Is your faith more than just intellectual assent to a set of facts about God and Jesus?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- *** How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- » How can I accomplish this change?
- » What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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FAITH APART FROM LAW Romans 4:13-17 (Series #35)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon **"Faith Apart From Law".** All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

- 1. Why do many people skip over Romans 4:1-17?
- 2. In 3:21-31, Paul taught what?
- 3. What does Paul illustrate in Romans 4:1-8?
- 4. Who was the man to whom God had given the sign of circumcision to in Genesis 17?
- 5. How many years are between Abraham's justification and his circumcision?
- 6. Circumcision did not add to Abraham's faith or help him attain it; it merely did what?
- 7. What issue today is a parallel to circumcision?
- 8. Baptism is the God-given way a person does what?
- 9. What question does Paul deal with in Romans 4:13-17?
- 10. What word did Paul place in the very beginning of the sentence of verse 13? Why?

- 11. The promise to Abraham was given in what passage?
- 12. How long was that before the giving of the law?
- 13. Did the law add anything to Abraham's justification?