



# Lord's Day 23

Questions 59, 60, & 61

**Q**uestion 60: *How are you right with God?*

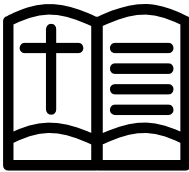
**A**nswer: *Only by true faith in Jesus Christ. Even though my conscience accuses me of having grievously sinned against all God's commandments and of never having kept any of them, and even though I am still inclined toward all evil, nevertheless, without my deserving it at all, out of sheer grace, God grants and credits to me the perfect satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness of Christ, as if I had never sinned nor been a sinner, as if I had been as perfectly obedient as Christ was obedient for me. All I need to do is to accept the gift of God with a believing heart.*



## Heart of the Matter:

What do you tell yourself about your inclination to do, hear, and desire things that grieve God? \_\_\_\_\_

According to the question, answer what should you tell yourself? \_\_\_\_\_



## Key scriptures:

Romans  
3:21-28, 3:9-10  
7:23, 3:24, 4:3-5  
4:24-25  
Galatians  
2:16  
Ephesians  
2:8-9  
Philippians  
3:8-11  
Titus  
3:4-5  
Genesis  
15:6  
2 Corinthians  
5:17-19, 5:21  
1 John  
2:1-2  
John  
3:18  
Acts  
16:30-31

**Galatians 2:16** *“knowing that a man is not justified by the works of the law but by faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, that we might be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law; for by the works of the no flesh shall be justified.”*

In what ways have you put your faith in Jesus Christ? \_\_\_\_\_

**Ephesians 2:8-9** *“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.”*

For what things in life are you depending on God's grace? \_\_\_\_\_

**Titus 3:4-5** *“But when the kindness and the love of God our Savior toward man appeared, not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit,”*

How do you see the Holy Spirit working in your life? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Q**uestion 61: *Why do you say that by faith alone you are right with God?*

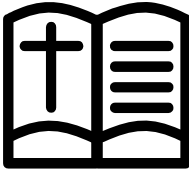
**A**nswer: *It is not because of any value my faith has that God is pleased with me. Only Christ's satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness make me right with God. And I can receive this righteousness and make it mine in no other way than by faith alone.*



## Heart of the Matter:

Define faith as you know it to be. \_\_\_\_\_  
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How do you feel knowing faith is a gift from God and not our own doing?  
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## Key scriptures:

**1 Corinthians 1:30-31** *"It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God — that is, our righteousness, holiness and redemption. Therefore, as it is written: "Let him who boasts boast in the Lord."*

In what ways in your life do you boast in the Lord? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Habakkuk 7:4** *"Behold the proud. His soul is not upright in Him; But the just shall live by his faith."*

How do you live by faith in your 'daily' walk? \_\_\_\_\_  
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How would you like to increase your faith in your daily walk?  
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What actions might you need to take? \_\_\_\_\_  
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1 Corinthians

1:30-31

Romans

10:10

1 John

5:10-12