

# Lord's Day 24

Questions 62, 63, & 64

**Q**uestion 62: *Why can't the good we do make us right with God, or at least help make us right with him?*

**A**nswer: *Because the righteousness which can pass God's scrutiny must be entirely perfect and must in every way measure up to the divine law. Even the very best we do in this life is imperfect and stained with sin.*

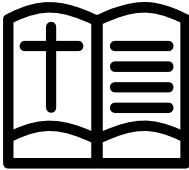


## Heart of the Matter:

List some of the areas of your life where your best is just not enough. \_\_\_\_\_

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Write a prayer and give them to God. \_\_\_\_\_

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Romans  
3:20

Galatians  
3:10

Deuteronomy  
27:26

Isaiah 64:6

## Key scriptures:

**Isaiah 64:6** *"All of us have become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous acts are like filthy rags; we all shrivel up like a leaf, and like the wind our sins sweep us away."*

**Psalm 22:3** *"Yet you are enthroned as the Holy One; you are the praise of Israel."*

Write a note to God, an expression of your gratitude and praise.

**Dear**



**God,** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Q**uestion 63: *How can you say that the good we do doesn't, earn anything when God promises to reward it in this life and the next?*

**A**nswer: *The reward is not earned; it is a gift of grace.*

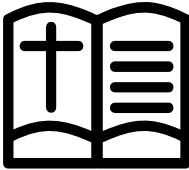


## Heart of the Matter:

**John 3:16** *“For God so loved the world that He **gave** His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”*

What would you **give** because you love God?

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## Key scriptures:

Matthew

5:12

Hebrews

11:6

Luke

15:10

2 Timothy

4:7-8

Ephesians

2:8

Fill in the blanks.

**Ephesians 2:8** *“For by \_\_\_\_\_ you have been saved through \_\_\_\_\_, and that not of yourselves; it is the \_\_\_\_\_ of God,”*

What is a gift of God in this text?

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**Luke 17:10** *“So likewise you, when you have done all those things which you are commanded, say, ‘We are unprofitable servants. We have done what was our duty to do.’”*

What are several things you see as your duty because you love God?

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Fill in the blanks.

**Hebrews 11:6** *“But without \_\_\_\_\_ it is \_\_\_\_\_ to please Him, for he who comes to God \_\_\_\_\_ that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.”*

In what ways are you seeking God by faith?

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**Q**uestion 64: *But doesn't this teaching make people, indifferent and wicked?*

**A**nswer: *No. It is impossible for those grafted into Christ by true faith not to produce fruits of gratitude.*



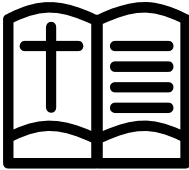
## Heart of the Matter:

What are some things you can do with Christ in you?

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What are some fruits of "gratitude" you would like to do as Christ dwells in you?

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## Key scriptures:

Luke  
6:43-45  
John  
15:15

**Luke 6:43-45** *"For a good tree does not bear bad fruit, nor does a bad tree bear good fruit. For every tree is known by its own fruit. For men do not gather figs from thorns, nor do they gather grapes from a bramble bush. A good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings forth good; and an evil man out of the evil treasure of his heart brings forth evil. For out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks."*

What are some good things you have stored in your heart?

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Act out one of your gratuities.  
Write down your plan of action.

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Set a deadline for beginning.

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