

## **ASK: In your opinion, what does it take to go to heaven?**

### **F Is for Forgiveness**

Everyone has sinned and needs God's forgiveness.

**Romans 3:23** *for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,*

**God's forgiveness is in Jesus only.**

**Ephesians 1:7** *In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace*

### **A Is for Available**

God's forgiveness is available for all.

**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.*

**God's forgiveness is available but not automatic.**

**Matthew 7:21** *Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven.*

### **I Is for Impossible**

According to the Bible, it is impossible to get to heaven on our own.

**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.*

**ASK: So how can a sinful person have eternal life and enter heaven?**

### **T Is for Turn**

If you were going down the road and someone asked you to turn, what would he or she be asking you to do? (Change direction) Turn means repent. Turn away from sin and self.

**Luke 13:3** *I tell you, no; but unless you repent you will all likewise perish.*

*Turn to Jesus alone as your Savior and Lord.*

**John 14:6** *Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."*

**Here is the greatest news of all.**

**Romans 10:9-10** *that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.*

**ASK: What happens if a person is willing to repent of their sins and confess Christ?**

### **H Is for Heaven**

Heaven is a place where we will live with God forever.

**John 14:3** *And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also.*

**Eternal life begins now with Jesus.**

**John 10:10** *The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.*

**How can a person have God's forgiveness, eternal life, and heaven?**

**Romans 10:13** *For "whoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."*