

WHAT IS THE GOSPEL?-INTRODUCTION

1 Corinthians 15:1-8; Romans 3:21-26; Ephesians 2:1-10

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Introduction

- *Hebrews 4:12*

Some Diagnostic Questions:

How do you get eternal life?

What is the main problem we have as human beings?

How do you know if you are saved?

What did Jesus accomplish at the cross?

- *Matthew 28:18-20*
- *Acts 1:8b*
- *Acts 10:42-43*

Gospel Misunderstandings

1. One of Many
 - *John 14:6*

2. Prosperity Now
 - *Philippians 3:8-11*

3. Personal Morality

4. Inner Peace
 - *Philippians 1:21*

5. Horizontal Justice

What the Bible Says about the Gospel

Four concepts: God; Man; Christ; Response.

- I. **1 Corinthians 15:1-8 – The Gospel is news, not advice.**

II. Romans 3:21-26 – The Gospel is received, not achieved.

III. Ephesians 2:1-10 – The Gospel is transformation, not reformation.