

The Rescue

Deeper Series: Part 3
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Romans 2:29 (CEV) *True circumcision is something that happens deep in your heart, not something done to your body.*

I. Father Abraham.

Genesis 12:1 (CEV) *The LORD said to Abram: Leave your country, your family, and your relatives and go to the land that I will show you.*

II. 3 Promises to Abraham

Genesis 12:2-3 (CEV) *I will bless you and make your descendants into a great nation. You will become famous and be a blessing to others. ³....Everyone on earth will be blessed because of you.*

1. A great nation.
2. Make you famous.
3. Bless everyone.

III. Trust. (Genesis 15:3-6)

Genesis 15:6 (TEV) *Abram put his trust in the LORD, and because of this the LORD was pleased with him and accepted him.*

Romans 4:11 (Para) *Circumcision was a sign that Abraham already trusted and had faith and that God had already accepted him and declared him to be righteous—even before he was circumcised.*

Which best reflects your view and why?

God accepts me based on my behavior?

God accepts me based on my church?

God accepts me based on my belief?