

LET RIGHTEOUSNESS SPEAK FOR ITSELF

ROMANS 10:6-10

I. RIGHTEOUSNESS IS ALLOWED TO SPEAK (10:6-8)

A. Righteousness Has Something To Say About Some Of The Wrong Thinking That Exists Regarding The Messiah (10:6-7)

1. Messiah Is Inaccessible

2. Messiah Is Not Associated With Two Of The Preeminent Doctrines Of Christianity

a. The Incarnation

b. The Resurrection

B. Righteousness Has Something To Say About The Proximity Of God's Salvation (10:8)

1. It Is Very Close

2. It Is Wrapped Up In A Message And A Method

II. MAN IS COMMANDED TO SPEAK IN SOLIDARITY WITH THE CONCLUSIONS DECLARED BY RIGHTEOUSNESS (10:9-10)

A. The Confession Which Must Be Made: "The Lord Jesus"

B. The Content Of Heart Belief: "God Hath Raised Him From The Dead"

1. The Significance Of The Resurrection

a. Christ Often Used Its Implications In His Own Defense

b. Christ Requires Men To Be In Agreement With Who He Said He Is

2. The Significance Of God As The Agent Of Resurrection

a. It Verifies Christ's Place In The Triune Godhead

b. It Assures Us Of The Efficacy Of His Work