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- Hear the gospel.
  - In order to understand something, we need to learn about it. *Exo.* 19:9; *Deut.* 4:10
  - Faith in God only comes by hearing about Him. Rom. 10:17; Mark 4:23
  - Not just hear, but examine what is said.
     1 John 4:1; 1 Thess. 5:21

- Believe the gospel.
  - Believe the facts of the gospel.
     1 Cor. 15:1-4; John 4:40-42
  - Believe in Jesus.
     John 3:16, 18; Acts 4:12
  - Do something with that new faith.
     James 2:14, 17-18, 20-24



- Repent of your sins.
  - Understand the horrible nature of sin.
     Rom. 6:23; Isa. 59:1-2
  - Change your mind concerning sin.
     Acts 3:19; Eph. 4:28
  - Desire to no longer live in it.
     Rom. 6:1-2; 1 Pet. 2:24-25

- Confess your faith in Jesus.
  - State with your mouth that you believe in Him. Rom. 10:9-10; Acts 8:36-37
  - Show with your life that you do believe.
    1 Tim. 6:12
  - Never deny Him, in word or deed.
     Luke 9:26; Titus 1:16

- Be baptized for the forgiveness of sins.
  - Not because you are already saved, but to be saved. Acts 2:38; 1 Pet. 3:21
  - Not because the preacher said it, but because Jesus said it. Mark 16:16
  - Baptism has a purpose.
     Rom. 6:3-5

