Reach One

Romans 9:30-10:21

The Message 9:30-10:4
The Gentiles did not seek righteousness but attained it by faith in Jesus.
Israel zealously tried to purify themselves but stumbled over the saving message of Jesus.
Jesus is the only person who can save, and faith in Him is the only way to righteousness.
God's Word: For years, God promised a Savior and He delivered. His Word is
Our responsibility: Prioritize and embody the message of and salvation by faith alone.
The Process 10:5-15
Jesus came to earth, died on the cross, and was resurrected from the dead. He is near.
Confess and believe Jesus is Lord to be saved!
God gives His gracious riches to all who believe and unifies all Christians under His lordship.
Believers receive the privilege and responsibility of being a part of God's sovereign plan.
God sends messengers.
Those messengers speak the gospel.
People hear the message.
People believe in Jesus.
People call on the Lord.
God's Word: God has had a plan all along and still does. His Word is
Our responsibility: Believe and then the Gospel.
The Response 10:16-21
Some Israelites responded with disbelief, jealousy, foolishness, anger, and antagonism.
Some Gentiles responded with faith and became part of the beloved spiritual family.
God's Word: God expected the responses He received. His Word is
Our responsibility: Anticipate both faith and disbelief in response to the gospel.
compassionately sharing the gospel.
Because God's Word is trustworthy, follow your beautiful, promise-keeping God.
Live a life of sharing the good news.

How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news! – Romans 10:15b

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ROMANS 9:6a But it is not as though the word of God has failed.

ISAIAH 28:16 ...therefore thus says the Lord God, "Behold, I am the one who has laid as a foundation in Zion, a stone, a tested stone, a precious cornerstone, of a sure foundation: 'Whoever believes will not be in haste.'"

ISAIAH 8:14-15 And he will become a sanctuary and a stone of offense and a rock of stumbling to both houses of Israel, a trap and a snare to the inhabitants of Jerusalem. And many shall stumble on it. They shall fall and be broken; they shall be snared and taken.

1 PETER 2:4-8 As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in Scripture: "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame." So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone," and "A stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense." They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do.

EPHESIANS 2:19-20 So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone...

ROMANS 9:2-3 ...that I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my brothers, my kinsmen according to the flesh.

ISAIAH 52:7 How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news, who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."