

HOW TO BE ACCEPTED BY GOD
Transforming Truths
Romans 4:1-16
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In Romans 3:28 Paul states the principle that it is only by faith that we can have a right relationship to God. Now, in chapter 4, he uses the true-life example of Abraham to illustrate this important truth.

I. TWO IMPORTANT WORDS

- * "JUSTIFIED"
- * "CREDITED"

II. HOW CAN I BE ACCEPTED BY GOD?

Abraham shows us ...

1. **We don't** become acceptable to God by _____ Romans 4:1-8

2. **We don't** become acceptable to God by _____ Romans 4:9-12

3. **We don't** become acceptable to God by _____. Romans 4:13-15

4. **The only way** we are acceptable to God is through _____

III. WHY DID GOD MAKE OUR ACCEPTANCE BASED ONLY BY OUR FAITH?

- 1) To demonstrate God's _____ (verse 16)
- 2) To demonstrate God's _____ (verse 17)