Right with God: By Faith or By Works? Genesis 15:6 March 8, 2020

How can I get right with God? What do I have to do?

Justification is by grace alone through faith alone in Christ alone.

There are only two choices, God's grace, or the works treadmill.

RCC has sided with the works treadmill.

What did Abram believe so as to have righteousness credited to him? (Galatians 3:6)

What was the content of his faith?

The Seed Galatians 3:16 (3:8)

Salvation has always been by faith in the promised Messiah.

Does Righteousness come to us by faith or by works? (Romans 4:2)

Paul could boast about his spiritual attainment. (Philippians 3:2-9)

Are you the captain of your own salvation?

Christ is our righteousness by faith.

Faith is not a substitute for righteousness.

God doesn't say, "You are not righteous, but I accept faith in its place."

What kind of faith brings righteousness? (James 2:22)

What kind of faith is justifying faith?

James teaches that true faith is seen by the works that it performs.

Faith without words is a dead faith.

Conclusion: Romans 4:20-25