## **HEARING THE WORD**

## **ROMANS 10:8-17** (NASV)

8 But what does it say? "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart"—that is, the word of faith which we are preaching, 9 that if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved; 10 for with the heart a person believes, resulting in righteousness, and with the mouth he confesses, resulting in salvation.

## **1. PROCESS** = of Salvation

- **A. PREACHING** = the Word of Faith = HEARING the Gospel
- **B. PRESCRIPTION** = What is Required for Healing
  - (1) CONFESS with your mouth JESUS AS LORD
  - (2) COMMIT (BELIEVE) in your heart that God raised Jesus from dead
  - (3) **CONCLUSION** = you will be Saved = resulting in Salvation

11 For the Scripture says, "Whoever believes in Him will not be disappointed." 12 For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, abounding in riches for all who call on Him; 13 for "Whoever will call on the name of the Lord will be saved."

- **2. POSSIBLE** = Who can be Saved?
  - **A. PUBLIC** = Whoever believes in HIM = EVERYONE
  - **B. PROFESS =** v13 for Whoever will call on the name of the LORD will be saved

14 How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed? How will they believe in Him whom they have not heard? And how will they hear without a preacher? 15 How will they preach unless they are sent? Just as it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news of good things!"
16 However, they did not all heed the good news; for Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our report?" 17 So faith comes from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ.

## **3. PROCESS**

- **A. PREACHER** = sent to preach good news of good things
- **B. PREVENT** = not heeding the good news
- **C. PRINCIPLE** = 17 So faith comes from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ.