

# The Book of Galatians

# “Justified by Faith”

Biblical justification refers to the theological concept within Christianity that signifies a believer's righteous standing before God.

It is the act of God declaring a person to be righteous and forgiven of sins based on faith in Jesus Christ.

**Biblical justification consists of several key components:**

- Grace
- Faith
- Atonement
- Imputed Righteousness
- Redemption
- Reconciliation

1 O foolish Galatians! Who has bewitched you that you should not obey the truth, before whose eyes Jesus Christ was clearly portrayed among you as crucified?

2 This only I want to learn from you: Did you receive the Spirit by the works of the law, or by the hearing of faith?

Galatians 3:1-2, NKJV

3 Are you so foolish? Having begun in the Spirit, are you  
now being made perfect by the flesh?  
4 Have you suffered so many things in vain – if indeed it  
was in vain?

Galatians 3:3-4, NKJV

Therefore He who supplies the Spirit to you and works  
miracles among you, does He do it by the works of the law,  
or by the hearing of faith?

Galatians 3:5, NKJV

6 Just as Abraham "believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness."

7 Therefore know that only those who are of faith are sons of Abraham.

Galatians 3:6-7, NKJV

We are justified by faith and faith alone.

8 For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that  
not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,  
9 not of works, lest anyone should boast.

Ephesians 2:8-9, NKJV

And the Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the Gentiles by faith, preached the gospel to Abraham beforehand, saying, "In you all the nations shall be blessed."

Galatians 3:8, NKJV

Now the Lord had said to Abram:  
“Get out of your country,  
From your family  
And from your father's house,  
To a land that I will show you.”

Genesis 12:1, NKJV

“I will make you a great nation;  
I will bless you  
And make your name great;  
And you shall be a blessing.”

Genesis 12:2, NKJV

“I will bless those who bless you,  
And I will curse him who curses you;  
And in you all the families of the earth shall  
be blessed.”

Genesis 12:3, NKJV