

DARING TO BELIEVE

Daring Faith: The Key to Miracles Rick Warren

"This is the only work God wants from you: Believe in the one he has sent." John 6:29 (NLT)

FOUR BENEFITS OF BELIEVING IN JESUS

1. EVERYTHING I'VE EVER

"All . . . who believe in Jesus will be forgiven of their sins through Jesus' name." Acts 10:43 (NCV)

"We are made right with God by placing our faith in Jesus Christ. And this is true for everyone who believes, no matter who we are." Romans 3:22 (NLT)

2. I LEARN"Everything, absolutely everything . . . got started in him and <u>finds its purpose in</u> him." Colossians 1:16 (MSG)

"It's in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for . . . part of the overall purpose he is working out in everything and everyone."

Ephesians 1:11 (MSG)

3. I GET A GOD'S

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"He gives power to the weak, and strength to the powerless." Isaiah 40:29 (NLT)

"I pray that you will begin to understand how incredibly great his power is to help those who believe him. It is that same mighty power that raised Christ from the dead." Ephesians 1:19-20 (TLB)

4. I'M GUARANTEED"Jesus told her, 'I am the one who raises the dead and gives them life again. Anyone who believes in me, even though he dies like anyone else, shall live again. He is given eternal life for believing in me and shall never perish."

John 11:25-26 (TLB)

"God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16 (NLT)

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO "BELIEVE IN JESUS"? T.R.U.S.T.

"If you confess with your mouth, '<u>Jesus is my Lord</u>,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." Romans 10:9 (CSB)

"Nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. No power in the sky above or in the earth below-indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Romans 8:38-39 (NLT)

"Give yourselves completely to God—every part of you—for you are back from death and you want to be tools in the hands of God, to be used for his good purposes." Romans 6:13 (TLB)

"God has made us what we are, and in our union with Christ Jesus he has created us for a life of good deeds, which he has already prepared for us to do."

Ephesians 2:10 (GNT)

"For you have been given not only the privilege of trusting in Christ but also the privilege of suffering for him." Philippians 1:29 (NLT)

"But if you suffer for doing what is right, God will reward you for it. So don't be afraid and don't worry." 1 Peter 3:14 (NLT)

"For the word of the Lord holds true, and we can trust everything he does." Psalm 33:4 (NLT)

"God can't break his word . . . We who have run for our very lives to God have every reason to grab the promised hope with both hands and never let it go." Hebrews 6:18 (MSG)

WHY I STILL DARE TO BELIEVE

"All who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God." John 1:12 (NIV)