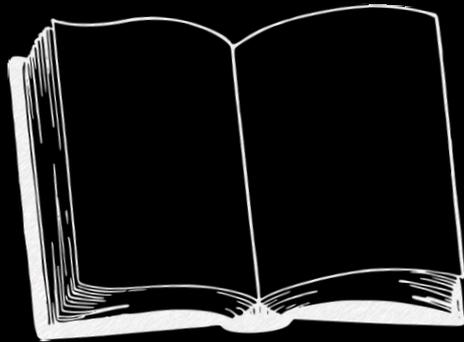




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BIBLE READING

Nehemiah 2 : 1 - 8

Artaxerxes Sends Nehemiah to Jerusalem

1. In the month of Nisan in the twentieth year of King Artaxerxes, when wine was brought for him, I took the wine and gave it to the king. I had not been sad in his presence before,

2 so the king asked me, “Why does your face look so sad when you are not ill? This can be nothing but sadness of heart.” I was very much afraid,



3 but I said to the king, “May the king live forever! Why should my face not look sad when the city where my ancestors are buried lies in ruins, and its gates have been destroyed by fire?”

4 The king said to me, “What is it you want?” Then I prayed to the God of heaven,



5 and I answered the king, “If it pleases the king and if your servant has found favor in his sight, let him send me to the city in Judah where my ancestors are buried so that I can rebuild it.”

6 Then the king, with the queen sitting beside him, asked me, “How long will your journey take, and when will you get back?” It pleased the king to send me; so I set a time.



7 I also said to him, “If it pleases the king, may I have letters to the governors of Trans-Euphrates, so that they will provide me safe-conduct until I arrive in Judah?”

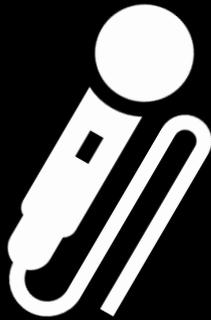
8 And may I have a letter to Asaph, keeper of the royal park, so he will give me timber to make beams for the gates of the citadel by the temple and for the city wall and for the residence I will occupy?” And because the gracious hand of my God was on me, the king granted my requests.





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'CO-WORK AND CONTINUOUS PRAYER'

Nehemiah 2 : 1 - 8

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**CO-WORK and
Continuous Prayer
Nehemiah 2.1-8**



**Nehemiah Co-worked
in continuous prayer**



**Nehemiah's reaction
to sadness and fear
was continuous prayer**



Powerful continuous
prayer.



**Jesus told him, “I am the way, the truth, and
the life. No one comes to the Father
except through Me. John 14.6
CSB**



**For all have sinned and fall short of the
glory of God. Romans 3.23 CSB**



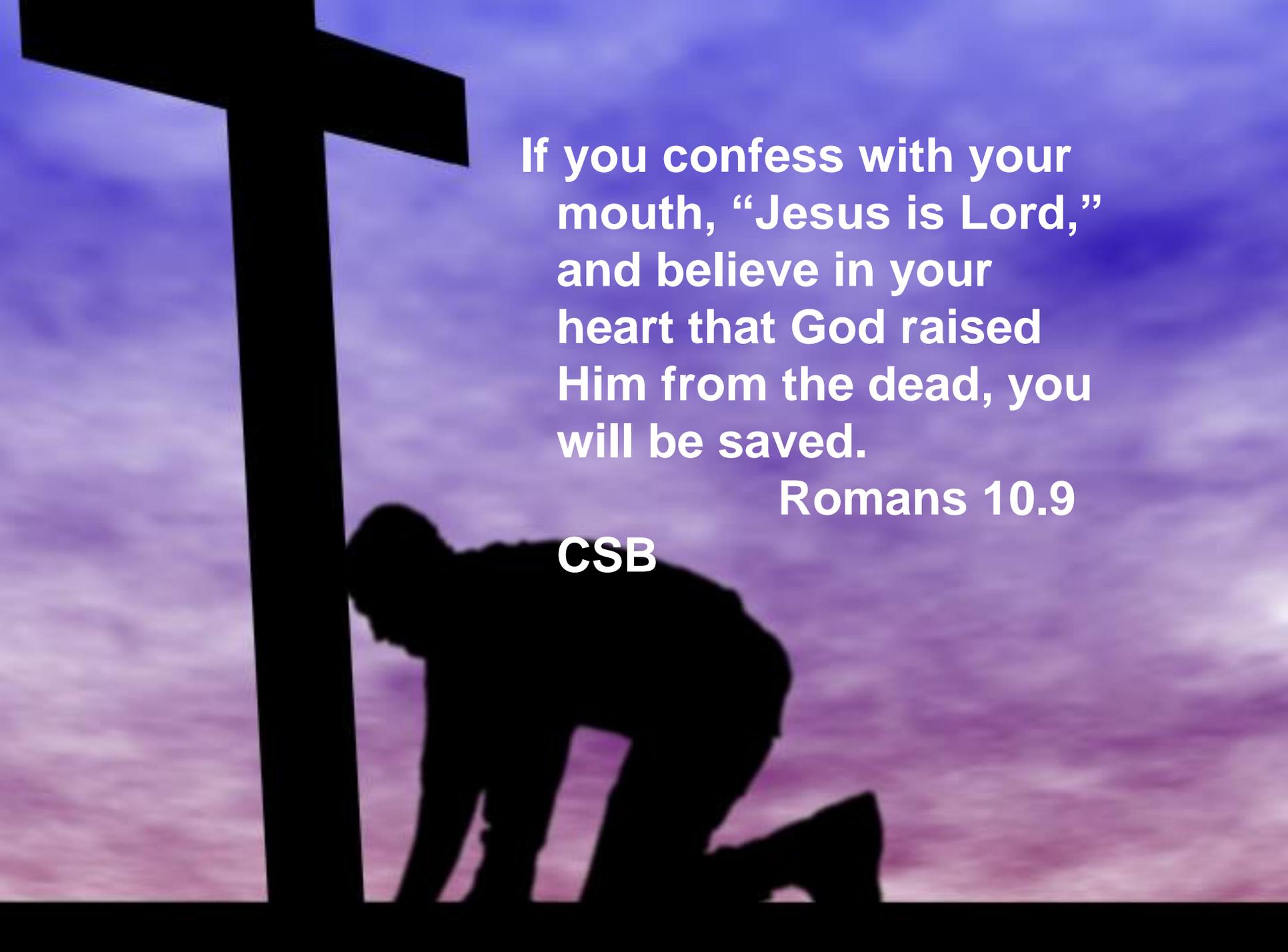
**For the wages [paycheck] of sin is death, but
the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus
our Lord. Romans
6.23 CSB**



**But God proves His own love for us in that
while we were still sinners,
Christ died for us! Romans 5.8 CSB**

**For everyone who calls
on the name of the
Lord will be saved.
Romans 10.13 CSB**



A silhouette of a person kneeling in prayer next to a large cross against a purple and blue sky. The person is on the left side of the frame, leaning their head against the vertical post of the cross. The cross is a simple wooden structure. The background is a gradient of purple and blue, suggesting a sunset or sunrise.

If you confess with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.

Romans 10.9

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