

Things To Look For When Considering Someone To Marry

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- Qualities to look for when considering marriage:
 - Spiritual minded.
 - Someone with the same heavenly goal as you.
Amos 3:3; Eccl. 4:9-12
 - Someone who will respect his/her God given responsibilities. *Eph. 5:25, 28-29, 22-24*
 - Someone who will help you be the best Christian you can be. *1 Cor. 9:5; 1 Tim. 3:11*

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- Qualities to look for when considering marriage:
 - Honesty.
 - Foundation of love is mutual trust.
1 Cor. 13:6-7
 - Hard to trust in one who constantly lies.
Ps. 5:9
 - Honesty brings safety to the marriage.
Prov. 31:11

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- Qualities to look for when considering marriage:
 - Good judgment (maturity).
 - During course of marriage, many big decisions will have to be made.
 - Trouble comes on those who are hasty.
Prov. 21:5; 29:20
 - A person of good judgment considers things before doing things. *Prov. 31:16*
 - Maturity will help us become patient.
1 Cor. 13:4a; James 4:13-15

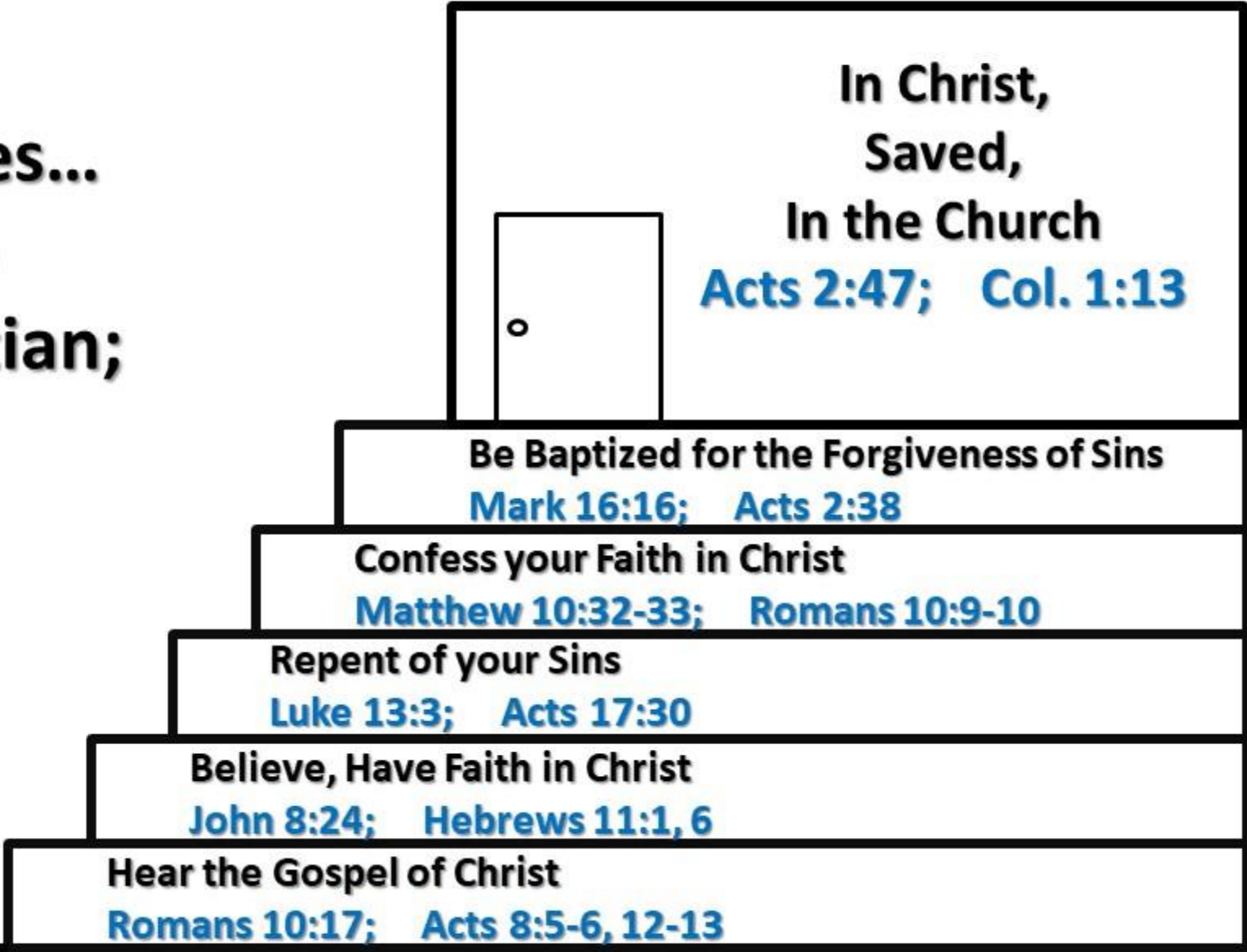
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- Qualities to look for when considering marriage:
 - Kindness.
 - Even the best of marriages, from time to time, will have problems.
 - Look for someone who is kind even when treated wrong. *Eph. 4:32; Col. 4:6; Phil. 4:5*
 - True love possesses kindness. *1 Cor. 13:4; Eccl. 10:12*
 - Kindness will help us listen to our spouse. *James 1:19*

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- Qualities to look for when considering marriage:
 - Responsible.
 - Marriage brings about new and great responsibilities.
Matt. 19:5-6
 - When one fails to provide for one's family, he is worse than an unbeliever. *1 Tim. 5:8; 2 Thess. 3:10*
 - Responsibilities increase when children come.
Eph. 6:4; Ps. 78:5-8

**The Bible Teaches...
That In Order To
Become A Christian;
One Must:**



**In Christ,
Saved,
In the Church**
Acts 2:47; Col. 1:13

Be Baptized for the Forgiveness of Sins
Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38

Confess your Faith in Christ
Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:9-10

Repent of your Sins
Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30

Believe, Have Faith in Christ
John 8:24; Hebrews 11:1, 6

Hear the Gospel of Christ
Romans 10:17; Acts 8:5-6, 12-13

Lost! Sinner! Without Hope!
Romans 3:10, 23; Ephesians 2:12