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The Benefits of Salvation

Romans 10:9

Salvation is not just about heaven someday. It is about a changed life right now.

In Romans 5:1-11, Paul lays out eight benefits we receive the moment we put our faith in Christ:

1. Peace with God	5. The love of God
2. Access to God	6. The Holy Spirit from God
3. Hope in God	7. Deliverance by God
4. Triumph through God	8. Joy with God

The world needs more joy.
And the world needs more of God.

When people see you walking in joy even in the middle of the mess, it becomes a powerful witness for Christ.

Commit to the Journey

Committing to obedience is a lot like committing to the whoops or committing to a triple. It takes time, courage, discipline, and repetition. It does not come with the snap of a finger. You grow into it.

Here is a list worth committing to if we want to grow in our walk with God:

1. Inner healing is greater than outward success.	6. Truth is both liberating and refining.
2. Mercy is greater than justice.	7. Learning is greater than education.
3. Kindness is better than being right.	8. Giving is sweeter than gaining.
4. Serving is better than being served.	9. Forgiveness does not fix everything, but it frees you.
5. Brokenness is the doorway to wholeness.	10. Prayer is more powerful than persuasion.

God is not after your performance.
He is after your heart.

Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established.

Proverbs 16:3

That is not a blank check. It is a promise of guidance.

And remember: Serving is better than being served.

"The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve."

Mark 10:45

Grateful for every rider, family, and crew member who joined us this weekend.
Church is not a building. It is wherever God meets His people.

Dream Big. Pray Big. Believe Big.