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**Romans 1:16 (NKJV)** For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, . . .

**Romans 3:22 (NKJV)** even the righteousness of God, through faith in Jesus Christ, to all and on all who believe . . .

**Romans 4:1–3 (CSB)** What then will we say that Abraham, our forefather according to the flesh, has found? 2If Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about—but not before God. 3For what does the Scripture say? **Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him for righteousness.**

**Romans 4:4–5 (CSB)** 4Now to the one who works, pay is not credited as a gift, but as something owed. 5But to the one who does not work, but believes on him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is credited for righteousness.

**Ephesians 2:8–9 (CSB)** 8For you are saved by grace through faith, and this is not from yourselves; it is God’s gift—9not from works, so that no one can boast.

**Romans 6:23 (CSB)** For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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**Romans 4:6–8 (CSB)** 6Likewise, David also speaks of the blessing of the person to whom God credits righteousness apart from works:

7Blessed are those whose lawless acts are forgiven

and whose sins are covered.

8Blessed is the person the Lord will never charge with sin.

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**Romans 4:9–10 (CSB)** 9Is this blessing only for the circumcised, then? Or is it also for the uncircumcised? For we say, **Faith was credited to Abraham for righteousness.**, 10In what way, then, was it credited—while he was circumcised, or uncircumcised? It was not while he was circumcised, but uncircumcised.

**Romans 4:18 (CSB)**He believed, hoping against hope, so that he became **the father of many nations**, according to what had been spoken: **So will your descendants be.**

**Romans 4:21–22 (CSB)** 21because he was fully convinced that what God had promised, he was also able to do. 22Therefore, **it was credited to him for righteousness.**

**Romans 4:23–25 (CSB)** 23Now **it was credited to him** was not written for Abraham alone, 24but also for us. It will be credited to us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead. 25He was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.

**Romans 4:19 (CSB)** He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body to be already dead (since he was about a hundred years old) and also the deadness of Sarah’s womb.

**Romans 4:20–21 (CSB)** 20He did not waver in unbelief at God’s promise but was strengthened in his faith and gave glory to God, 21because he was fully convinced that what God had promised, he was also able to do.

**Proverbs 24:16 (CSB)** Though a righteous person falls seven times,

he will get up, . . .

**Psalm 37:24 (CSB)** Though he falls, he will not be overwhelmed,

 because the Lord supports him with his hand.