

YOU ARE NOT GOOD ENOUGH

Don't Have What It Takes, Series

Week #1

- REACH UP TO GOD AND WORSHIP HIM WITH EVERYTHING WE HAVE
- REACH OUT TO OTHERS TO SHARE JESUS CHRIST WITH LOVE, ACCEPTANCE, AND FORGIVENESS
- REACH IN TO THE CHURCH FAMILY TO ENCOURAGE AND TO EQUIP

Philippians 3:4-9, "Yet, I could have confidence in myself if anyone could. If others have reason for confidence in their own efforts, I have even more. For I was circumcised when I was eight days old, having been born into the pure blooded Jewish family that is a branch of the tribe of Benjamin. I am a real Jew, if there ever was one. What's more, I was a member of the Pharisees, who demanded the strictest obedience to the Jewish law. I was so zealous, that I harshly persecuted the church and I obeyed the Jewish law so carefully that I was never accused of any fault. Whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ.

What is more, I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus, my Lord, for whose sake, I have lost all things. I consider them rubbish that I may gain Christ and be found in Him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law; but instead, my righteousness is through faith in Christ."

PERFORMANCE TRAP

1a. WE ATTEMPT TO PLEASE GOD BY _____ **FOLLOWING RULES** _____.

1b. WE ATTEMPT TO PLEASE GOD BASED ON WHAT _____ **WE DON'T DO** _____.

2. MY WORTH IS BASED ON WHAT I _____ **PRODUCE** _____ AND HOW WE _____ **PERFORM** _____.

MY TRUE WORTH IS FOUND WHEN WE UNDERSTAND THAT WE WORK, NOT FOR _____ **GOD'S APPROVAL** _____, BUT FROM _____ **HIS APPROVAL IN CHRIST** _____.