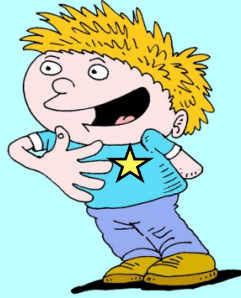


Many think that if they do enough good deeds it will offset their sinful deeds of lying, stealing, and blasphemy, etc.

I'm a good person & try to do what's right.



They believe their good deeds will impress God and he will welcome them into heaven...

But the Bible teaches that "we are all as an unclean thing, and all our righteousnesses are as filthy rags."

Isaiah 64:6



How could we ever work our way into a right relationship with God if the best works we do are tainted by sin?

There is only one person who has ever lived that qualifies to work for our salvation...



Jesus Christ.

He is God almighty and he lived a perfect life.



Jesus shed his precious blood to wash away our sins when he suffered and died on the cross.



"Christ died for our sins."
"He was buried, and...rose again the third day."

1 Corinthians 15:3-4



If you are willing to turn from your sins and receive Christ with a child-like faith, God will forgive all your sins and grant you the free gift of eternal life.

"For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast."

Ephesians 2:8-9



"Repent ye, and believe the gospel."

Mark 1:15

Bob's Bread



One day, Bob decided to make a loaf of bread.

This will be easy!



First he dug a large area of dirt.

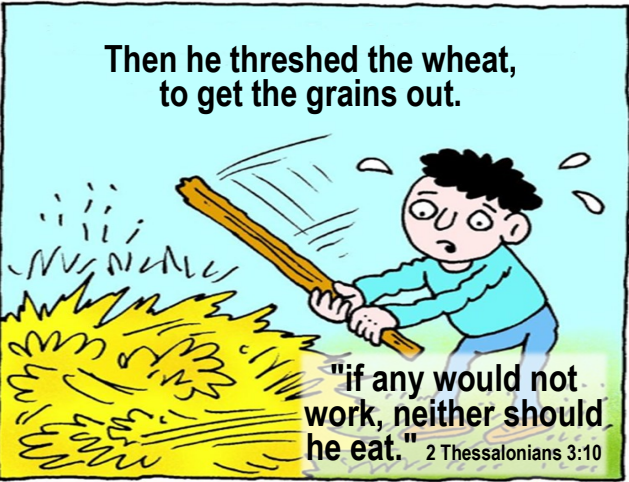
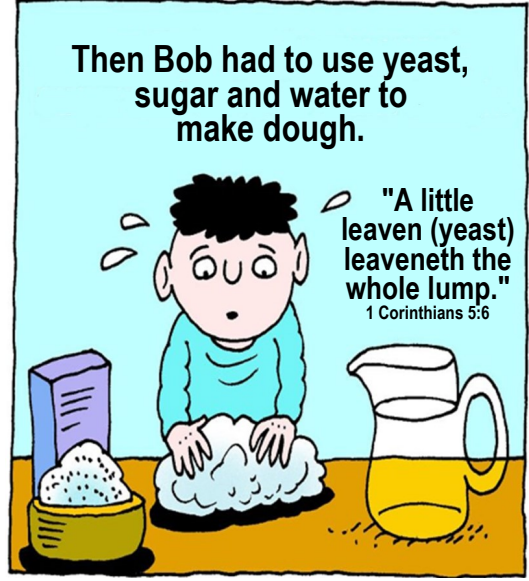


Then he planted some wheat.





"For whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."
Galatians 6:7



Bob then built an oven, and gathered wood, which meant more hours of hard work.



We can earn many things through hard work, but there is one thing we can never earn no matter how hard we work, and that is ETERNAL LIFE.