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Theme: God's plan for salvation. Romans 10:9-10.

People: 2

Scene: During the part of the service where a Bible verse is read.

(Bob comes to the pulpit for the scripture reading. Frank is close behind. Bob looks at Frank not certain why he is sharing the pulpit. Frank looks on waiting for his moment.)

Bob: Turn with me in your Bibles to Romans Chapter 10, verse 9 and 10. "That if you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved."

Frank: *(Raises his paper to start reading)* Are you finished?

Bob: No! *(Continues reading.)* "For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved."

Frank: Are you done?

Bob: Yes.

Frank: Good. Then we're ready for the disclaimer.

Bob: What disclaimer?!

Frank: You know, the disclaimer that reads, *(In a radio voice)* "The following people are excepted from the previous passage: Those who are sinless, good of heart, and generally all around nice people..."

Bob: *(Rather anxiously.)* Wait a minute!! It doesn't say that in the Bible!

Frank: I know that, but we know that there are just some things that have to be implied, like nice people don't have to confess anything 'cause there's nothing for them to confess.

Bob: There's nothing in the Bible to say that!! If anything it says the opposite! *(Opens Bible)* Here read Romans 3:23!!

Frank: "...for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

Bob: See!! "For all have sinned!" All of us, everybody! We all need to be saved!!

Frank: *(Spoken smugly, as if he has an ace up his sleeve.)* Everybody?

Bob: Everybody!! "All have sinned!" Everybody!!!

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Frank: EV-very-body?

Bob: Everybody!

Frank: The Pope?

Bob: Everybody!!

Frank: Billy Graham?

Bob: EVERYBODY!!!

Frank: Miss Wiggins?

Bob: EV....Miss Wiggins?!?

Frank: 1978, 5th grade Sunday School Teacher? Oh, how soon we forget.

Bob: Hey! I wasn't the one who had the crush on her.

Frank: Yeah, well, what sin could Miss Wiggins possibly have? Surely there has to be an exception for her.

Bob: Well, for one thing, it's obvious you didn't learn anything in her class! Look, we only see what's on the outside! God looks at our heart. He knows what condition we're in, and yes, Miss Wiggins needs to believe that Jesus died on the cross to save her.

Frank: Okay, fine, everyone has sinned. But! There is still a flaw in your reading that needs to be disclaimed.

Bob: What flaw?

Frank: Well, from the way you were reading it, it's implied that anybody can confess and be saved.

Bob: That's right. Anybody.

Frank: Anybody?

Bob: ANYBODY!!

Frank: Any...body?

Bob: What part of anybody don't you understand?

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Frank: Both you and I know some people who just don't deserve to go to Heaven, and we're including them?

Bob: Look! The point is, none of us deserve to go to Heaven! That's why Jesus died on the cross for us!

Frank: Well, what about that guy that rear ended you, and started to yell at you like it was your fault? Both you and I know, surely, he doesn't deserve to go to Heaven!

Bob: But, neither you nor I are judging, God is. The Bible says that He has opened the door for anyone to enter, regardless of who they are or what they've done. No exceptions.

Frank: But, there's nothing in there about recycling, protecting the environment, being nice to animals or even going to church!

Bob: It's not in the Bible.

Frank: Well, what about the 10 commandments! Surely you have to keep the commandments!

Bob: All it say's is confess and believe, nothing else.

Frank: There has to be something else! "Relatives of employees are prohibited from entering the contest."

Bob: NO! There's nothing else!!

Frank: "A limited time offer!"

Bob: NOOOO!!! It's good for as long as we live!

Frank: AHA!!!!

Bob: What?

Frank: AHA!!! THERE'S OUR DISCLAIMER!!! IT'S ONLY GOOD FOR AS LONG AS WE ARE ALIVE!!!

Bob: Okay fine. Give the disclaimer.

Frank: "The Plan of Salvation offered by the Lord Jesus Christ is only good for the limited time in which you are able to continue breathing."

Bob: Very Good.

Frank: "Void where prohibited by law..."

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Bob: It is not prohibited!!! (*Bob chases Frank off stage*)

Frank: I'm a lawyer! I can't help myself!!!

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