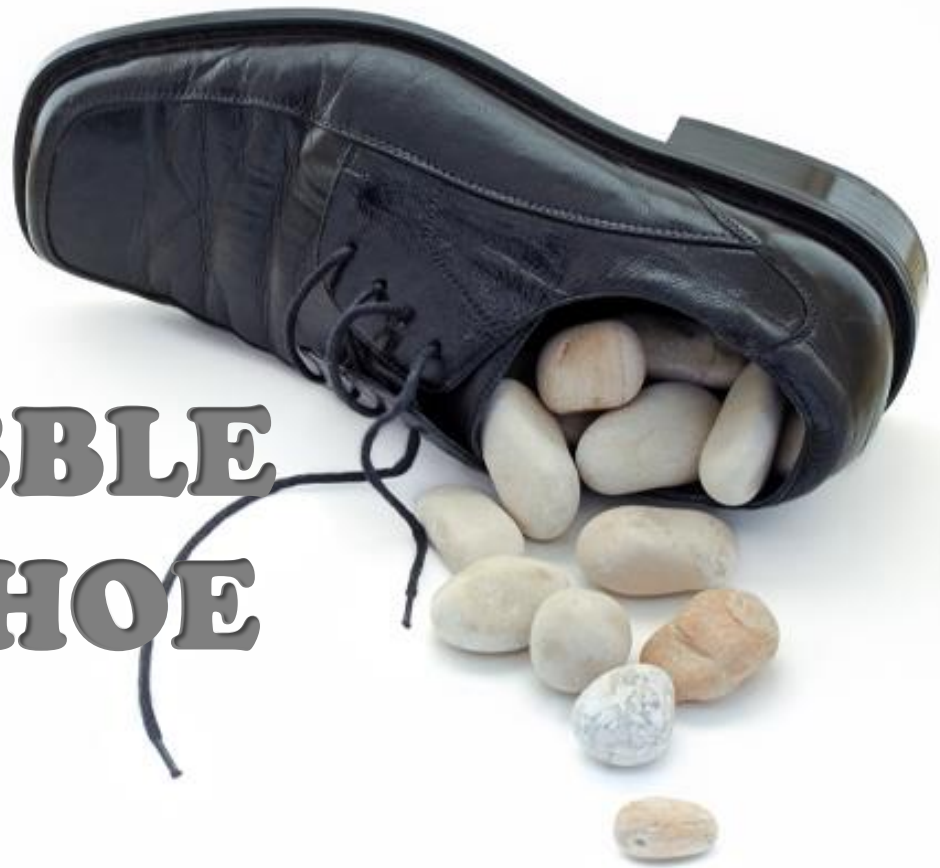


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Genesis 15:1-6 (NIV)

15 After this, the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision: “Do not be afraid, Abram. I am your shield, your very great reward.” ² But Abram said, “Sovereign LORD, what can you give me since I remain childless and the one who will inherit my estate is Eliezer of Damascus?” ³ And Abram said, “You have given me no children; so a servant in my household will be my heir.” ⁴ Then the word of the LORD came to him: “This man will not be your heir, but a son who is your own flesh and blood will be your heir.” ⁵ He took him outside and said, “Look up at the sky and count the stars—if indeed you can count them.” Then he said to him, “So shall your offspring be.” ⁶ Abram believed the LORD, and he credited it to him as righteousness.



GOD MADE A PROMISE



GOD DID SOME DIVINE ACCOUNTING

Romans 4:2 (NIV)

² If, in fact, Abraham was justified by works, he had something to boast about—but not before God.



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IMPLICATIONS



WHO CARES ABOUT RIGHTEOUSNESS?



HOW DO WE GET RIGHTEOUSNESS?

Romans 3:20 (NIV)

²⁰ Therefore no one will be declared righteous in God's sight by the works of the law; rather, through the law we become conscious of our sin.

Romans 4:23-24 (NIV)

²³ The words “it was credited to him” were written not for him alone, ²⁴ but also for us, to whom God will credit righteousness—for us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead.

Philippians 3:9 (NIV)

⁹ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ—the righteousness that comes from God on the basis of faith.

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CONCLUSION



BELIEVE GOD

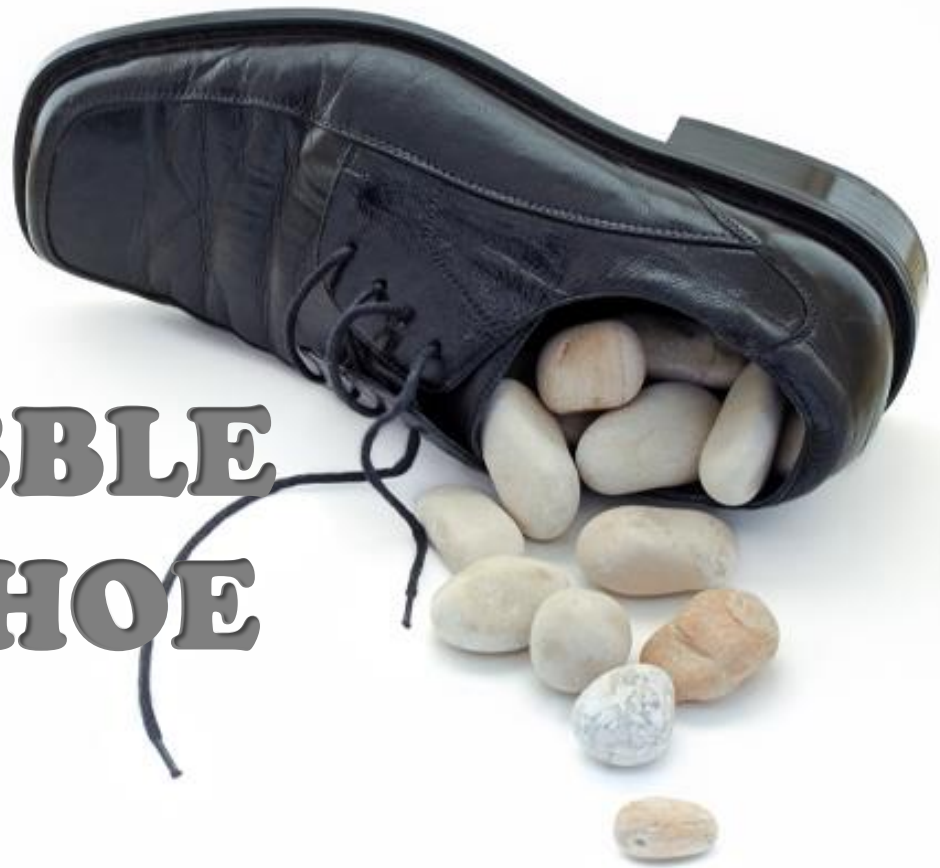


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