# Romans 1:16 (ESV) – Kept Believing

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

**Sermon Notes**

What is this salvation?

**Main point:** The gospel is the power of God: to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you believing, to

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your faith intact, and to bring you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to glory.

**Why I believe this is the case:**

Reason 1.) It’s given as an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for why we should not be

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Reason 2.) Elsewhere in the New Testament the phrase ‘for salvation’ refers to

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Reason 3.) Salvation in this verse is dependent upon \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Reason 4.) Verse 16 is given as the reason why Paul wanted to preach the

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Rome.

Other Scripture referenced: Ephesians 2:8; 1 Corinthians 1:18; Philippians 1:6; Romans 8:30; 2 Corinthians 4:6; 2 Thessalonians 2:13; 2 Corinthians 7:10; Hebrews 9:28; 1 Peter 1:5; 1 Corinthians 15:1-2; 1 John 2:19