



# THE HESELSCHWERDT FAMILY

MISSIONARIES TO EAST AFRICA

## Personal Testimony

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### **HOW I BELIEVED FOR SOMEONE TO BE SAVED:**

Before I knew that people needed to believe in the name of Jesus Christ so that they may be saved, I thought that we were supposed to attend in all church activities. Also, I thought that the works that people used to do so that they may be saved. But, no, this is works of our hands and cannot save us. And even I also say that if we be baptized, all of us would be saved, but it can't work, because baptism is a work.

### **HOW I KNEW THAT OUR GOOD WORKS CANNOT SAVE US:**

When I started going to Lighthouse Baptist Church, that is when I knew that our works cannot save us because I heard Pastor Brandon saying when he was teaching us that for a person to be saved, they must only believe in Jesus Christ only, because Jesus is the only pathway for us to be saved. People may say that if we be baptized or do good works before God, that means that they are saved, but now I know that our works cannot save us.

### **HOW I GOT SAVED:**

I was saved when I knew that one must believe in Jesus' name only. That is when I started to know that Jesus is the only way to be saved. So, I decided to believe in Jesus Christ, to make my life in the Lord. Now I know that we are saved by our faith in Jesus Christ, but not by our works. Therefore, it is very important for us to get baptized; however, our baptism has no part in our salvation.

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