metanoeo

meta - "afterward" noeo - "to think or consider"

Something happens causing the mind to change its thinking

The change that occurs in the mind after one comes to the point of belief in Jesus Christ

A mind change to the direction of God

Acts 8:22 - Away from wickedness

Acts 20:21 - Toward God

2 Tim. 2:25-26 - "Come to their senses"

What Jesus said about it:

Sinners need it, and He called sinners to it.

Mat. 9:13; Mark 1:15

Sinners who do not repent will perish.

Luke 13:5

Joy in heaven over one penitent sinner.

Luke 15:10

Told apostles to preach it to all nations.

Luke 24:47

What Jesus said about it:

It is clear that Jesus expected the gospel to bring the listener to repentance.

Jesus expected sinners to undergo a radical, life-altering change of mind, and He would accept nothing less.

# The Three-Step Process of Repentance

You Sorrow - 2 Cor. 7:9-10

You Resolve - 2 Cor. 7:11a

You Change - 2 Cor. 7:11b,13-16 Luke 3:8 - "fruits worthy of repentance" Acts 26:20 - "works befitting repentance"