

Gaining A Greater Grasp On The Gospel of Grace

A Series of Studies From Romans

Focusing On Our Heavenly Father:

Standing On His Promises By Faith

—Introducing Romans 9–11

—**from Romans 9: 14–16** What shall we say then? There is no injustice with God, is there? May it never be! For He says to Moses, “I will have mercy on whom I have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I have compassion.” So then it does not depend on the man who wills or the man who runs, but on God who has mercy.

—**from Romans 10: 8–13** But what does it say? “The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart”—that is, the word of faith which we are preaching, that if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved; for with the heart a person trusts, resulting in righteousness, and with the mouth he confesses, resulting in salvation. For Scripture says, “Whoever trusts in Him will not be disappointed.” For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, abounding in riches for all who call on Him; for “Whoever will call on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

—**from Romans 11: 33–36** Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and unfathomable His ways! For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who became His counselor? Or who has first given to Him that it might be paid back to him again? For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be the glory forever. Amen.

—**from Romans 12: 1–2** Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

IMPORTANT IDEAS INCLUDED IN TODAY’S STUDY

God’s _____ is one of the most essential truths that we need to _____!
God can do _____ and He will always do _____!
To God be _____!

Summarizing what Paul reveals to us in Romans 9, 10, & 11:

—1) Romans 9 ***clarifies*** God’s _____ in _____ Israel to be a _____!

—2) Romans 10 ***contrasts*** the _____ of a Gospel of _____
with **the** _____ Gospel of _____ & ***confronts*** us
with the _____ of personal _____ !

Religion is

The Gospel of Grace is

—3) Romans 11 ***concludes*** that God has a
_____ !

Five Practical Applications in view of God's sovereign authority:

—1— God's Word is **never frustrated by historical events!**

—2— The **SOVEREIGNTY** of God supports

—3— There are lessons for us to learn

—4— Israel was **called** to be

In our day and age, we are **called** to be

Success in ministry is

It's always

—5— No one will ever get to heaven/glory **on their own terms.**