

Welcome to Overflow!

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Hymn #546 Before the Throne of God Above

#472 Take My Life and Let It Be

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Things to Know

- Follow us on Instagram: @2pcoverflow
- Weekly lectures & info: “landing page”: www.2pc/overflow or through Instagram
- Small Groups Room Numbers:
- Bowie/Jennifer—C106
- Britton/Margaret—C107
- Katy/Mary Katherine/Sissy—Salmon Room
- Kelly/Ashley—Historical Hall/outside
- Mary Evelyn/Ginny—C103
- Mary Helen—C310
- Susan—C100

Romans-Outline

I. Paul Explains the Gospel of Jesus Christ, ch. 1-11

A. Greetings & Expression of Theme, 1:1-17

B. Paul Explains the Righteousness of God that is Revealed in the Gospel, 1:18-11:36

1. All Have Sinned, 1:18-3:20

2. All are Made Right with God by Grace through Faith, 3:21-31

3. This has Always Been the Way to be Counted Righteous, ch. 4

4. God has Provided All that We Need Through Our Union with Christ and His Holy Spirit, ch. 5-8

5. God is Always Faithful to His Children, ch. 9-11

II. Paul Exhorts the Saints at Rome to Present Their Bodies to God as a Living Sacrifice in Response to the Gospel, ch. 12-16

A. Righteousness Lived Out in Everyday Life and Relationships, 12:1-15:13

B. Righteousness Exemplified in Paul's Mission and Relationships, 15:14-16:24

C. Closing with a Doxology & an Expression of Paul's Clear Desire for the Roman Church to be Established According to the Gospel, 16:25-27

Romans: Introduction and Overview

The Glory of the Gospel

I. Why Study the Letter to the Romans?

II. What Will We Find in the Letter to the Romans?

Today's Aim:

1) to gain an understanding of the facts about Romans

2) to begin to understand that Romans offers us truth that leads to experiencing grace and true peace for all who will believe

Grace: undeserved, unearned favor

Peace: an overall sense of well-being

I. Why Study the Letter to the Romans?

A. It's a Book in the Bible.

B. It is Historically Significant to the Christian Church.

C. It's Content is Eternally Important.

Romans Outline:

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II. Paul Exhorts the Romans Believers to Respond to the Gospel, chapters 12-16

II. What Will We Find in the Letter to the Romans?

A. Genre: Letter (Epistle)

B. Author: the Apostle Paul

C. Recipients: the Christian Church in Rome

see the Bible Project videos for complete background

D. Paul's Purpose in Writing:

1. To explain the pathway to grace and true peace: the Gospel of Jesus Christ

The Gospel: the Good News that we can be at peace with God through the person and work of Jesus Christ

2. To establish his readers in the Gospel so that they will...

a. Experience the Gospel

b. Expand the Gospel

Truths to Remember:

Romans reveals...

- 1) the beauty of God and the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Good News.
- 2) the pathway to grace and true peace.

Questions to Consider:

Will you be open to the possibility that...

- 1) grace and true peace will NOT be found in what this world is offering us, but CAN be found in the teaching and truth explained in the Letter to the Romans?
- 2) grace and true peace can be found in the Gospel, the Good News about Jesus Christ?