

Romans 8 – The Absolute Security of the Christian

- I. God has delivered us from condemnation (1-4).
- II. God has changed & empowered us by His Spirit (5-13).
- III. God has adopted us as His children (14-17).
- IV. God has destined us for glory (18-25).
- V. God has given us His Spirit as an intercessor (26-27)

The Spirit's Intercession

Romans 8:26-27

- I. Generally: The Spirit Comes to Our Aid (26a-b)
 - A. The Reality (26a)
 - B. The Reason (26b)
- II. Specifically: The Spirit Prays for Our Needs (26c-27)
 - A. Our Intercessor (26c)
 - B. His Intercession (26c-27)
 - 1. The Nature of the Spirit's Work—"Intercedes" (26c)
 - 2. The Depth of the Spirit's Concern—"Groanings" (26c)
 - 3. The Means of the Spirit's Intercession—"Too Deep for Words" (26c)
 - 4. The Effectiveness of the Spirit's Prayers (27)
 - a. God already knows your heart.
 - b. God already knows the Spirit's mind.
 - c. The Spirit already knows God's will.