WEEK NINE - ROMANS NINE

Romans 6: 13

"Neither yield ye your members *as* instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members *as* instruments of righteousness unto God."

THE THINGS I WANT TO ACCOMPLISH THIS WEEK!!!

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Date: Time:

Weekly memory verse - Romans 6: 13

Read - Romans 9: 1-5

Examine -

1. Is Paul a liar?

2. What bears Paul's witness?

3. What two things did Paul have in his heart?

4. What two adjectives does he use to describe them?

5. What does Paul wish for himself in order that Israel could be saved?

6. What does this mean "accursed from Christ"?

7. Who is Paul's kinsmen?

8. What are some of their benefits? (8 total)

9. Who is over all?

Apply -

Paul was willing to go to Hell in order that Israel could be saved. Would you be willing for this? That's a tough question! I'm not sure that I could say yes, but it challenges us to be more compassionate for souls.

List some things that you could give up to see people get saved.

Praise -

Pray -

Date: Time:

Main thought to meditate on today:

Weekly Memory Verse - Romans 6: 13

Read - Romans 9: 6-13

Examine -

1. These Israelites had the Word of God. Did the Word take effect?

2. Are all Israel who say they are?

3. Are all descendants of Abraham the blessed seed?

4. How many sons did Abraham have?

5. Was Isaac the first born? (You may need help on the last one)

6. From where was the seed coming?

7. Did Isaac have two sons?

8. Was the younger or older chosen?

9. Did these children do anything in this process?

10. When were these things said to Rebecca?

11. God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Jacob, but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Esau. Why?

Apply -

Just because you are born in a family that loves God does not promise you salvation. Not all of Israel was saved even though they had the Gospel in their midst. This is a hard passage to understand. We have to trust that God knows best and what we see as being unfair is not, because he did it. List some areas that you do not think are fair and ask God to help you trust Him by faith!

Praise -

Pray -

Date: Time:

Main thought to meditate on today:

Weekly Memory Verse - Romans 6: 13

Read - Romans 9: 14-18

Examine -

1. As a result of yesterday, does God have unrighteousness?

2. What does God say to Moses about compassion and mercy?

3. In verse 16, we see two phrases that tell us that there is nothing we can do to earn God's mercy. List them and explain what they mean!

4. What Old Testament example is used in this passage?

5. For what purpose was Pharaoh raised up? (2 things)

6. God can have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or he can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Apply -

Again we see the principle that God is the one who decides many things!

We also see that in other parts of the Bible man has a free choice! We can not bring these things together nor can we understand them. Does this change our commands to go with the Gospel? (Acts 1:8; Matthew 28: 19-20)

Praise -

Pray -

Date: Time:

Main thought to meditate on today:

Weekly Memory Verse - Romans 6: 13

Read - Romans 9: 19-24

Examine -

1. Can God find fault in your life?

2. Have you ever resisted His will?

3. Can you resist His will?

4. Should we fight against God?

5. Answer the question put forth in verse 20?

6. Does the potter have power over the clay (Read Jeremiah 18:1-6)?

7. Define Honor -

8. Define Dishonor -

9. In the first part of verse 22, name the two things God is going to show us?

\* "Fitted to destruction" is literally fitted themselves for destruction.

10. Who is the "vessels of mercy"?

11. From what group of people do these vessels come?

Apply -

We are clay in the hand of the potter! It seems crazy for clay to object what its maker is doing and making but that's what we do! What areas of your life have you accused God of not doing "right"?

Ask His forgiveness and accept the way He made you!

Praise -

Pray -

Date: Time:

Main thought to meditate on today:

Weekly Memory Verse - Romans 6: 13

Read - Romans 9: 25-29

Examine -

1. What is Osee? (Bonus points)

2. What is Esaias? (Bonus points)

3. To what do you think verse 25-26 is referring? (Hint: the last word in verse 24 may help you) Explain your answer!

4. How big will Israel get?

5. Even though they get this big, what will God do?

6. Will God totally destroy Israel?

7. If God would not have left a seed, what would they be like?

8. Look at Genesis 19: 23-25. What happens to these cities?

Apply -

It is nice to know that God now accepts Gentiles into his adoption. Most of us are Gentiles. List five ways that your life would have been different if God would have limited salvation to Jews!

Praise -

Pray -

Date: Time:

Main thought to meditate on today:

Weekly Memory Verse - Rom. 6: 13

Read - Romans 9: 30-33

Examine -

1. What did the Gentiles not do?

2. Did they get what they did not seek after?

3. How? Look at the end of verse 30.

4. What did Israel follow after?

5. Did they get what they sought?

6. Why did they not get what they were going after?

7. At what did they stumble?

8. What is this stumbling stone?

9. Where was the stone laid?

Apply -

Are you seeking to provide your own righteousness?

Look at the last part of the chapter. The word ashamed means disappointed. Have you been disappointed in Christ?

Below in the Praise section, list some things He has done for you!

Praise -

Pray -

Date: Time:

Main thought to meditate on today:

Weekly Memory Verse - Romans 6: 13

Read - Romans 9

Examine -

1. What was Paul's strong burden?

2. Does the Word of God accomplish its purpose?

3. Are we promised a place in Heaven based on who we were born to?

4. Is God unrighteous in anything He does?

5. Does the potter have the right over the clay?

6. Is the Gospel open to everyone?

7. How do we attain righteousness?

Apply -

Write briefly what God communicated to you through this chapter!

**Review your Memory Verse for tonight!**

Praise -

Pray -

Main thought to meditate on today: