Devotion

Pleasant View Baptist Church ● Scripture: Romans 8:35-39

**The Love of God**

There will be times in our life where we will feel so close to God and can really feel His love. There may also be times where events occur where we will feel separated from His Love. In this passage, Paul list 10 things that cannot separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. At times we can be insecure about His Love. However, God wants His people to be confident in His Love. In short, Paul wants us to know there is NOTHING than can separate us from His Love.

 God shows us His love many ways. I would like to remind you a couple of ways God shows His love to you. God shows us His love by creating us. God loved us so much that he created us to have a relationship with Him. I also believe that God shows His love to us through other believers. I think of the passage of 1 John 4:11-13. Verse 11 states that, “*Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.”* We are instructed to love one another. Some individuals may not receive the opportunity to read the Gospel, however they should be able to see His love through the way we live our lives. God also showed the ultimate love for us by sending His own son to pay the price for our sins. The road to Calvary could not separate us from His love. The cross could not separate us from His love. If anything, the cross proved His love for us.

 If you are down and out, know that you are loved by God. As a believer there is nothing that can sperate you from that love.

*♪Jesus loves me this I know. For the Bible tells me so. ♪*