

THE BOOK OF ROMANS

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO GRACE.
THE FOUNDATION OF NEW TESTAMENT THEOLOGY.

Romans 8:31-39

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT BIBLE PROPHECY?

The Gospel of Grace. The Foundation of New Testament Theology
And How The Justified Shall Live by Faith in Jesus Christ Alone.

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Romans 8:31-39

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? 32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? 33 Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. 34 Who is he who condemns? It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us. 35 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? 36 As it is written: "For Your sake we are killed all day long; We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter." 37 Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. 38 For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, 39 nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

In perfect biblical style, the apostle Paul asks a question in verse 31 and then answers his question with another question in verse 32.

And of course - Jesus was The Master of this form of education.

It's a style of logic and reasoning that demands critical thinking. God expects you and I to use our minds in such a way so as to create, increase and expand our thinking capabilities or muscle logic. - in a word, don't be a little thinker!

(which is amusement, and entertainment can be a danger to the welfare of your thinking. It's why excessive exposure to social media and video games are so dangerous to the physical and spiritual development of our minds.)

Solomon - the wisest man who ever lived -
exercised awesome logic and reasoning powers in his government,
and over his political career.

"Just divide the baby in half and there you go."

Revelation 19:10

And I fell at his feet to worship him. But he said to me, "See that you do not do that! I am your fellow servant, and of your brethren who have the testimony of Jesus. Worship God! For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy."

John 16:33

And these things I have spoken unto you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

Revelation 3:7-8,10

"And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write... 8 "I know your works. Look, I have set before you an open door, and no one can shut it; because you have a little strength, and you have kept My word, and have not denied My name, - 10 Because you have kept My command to persevere, I also will keep you from the hour of trial which shall come upon the whole world, to test those who dwell on the earth.

Isaiah 42:9

Behold, the former things have come to pass, and new things I declare; Before they spring forth - I tell you of them."

Luke 21:34-36

"Be careful, because your hearts could be weighed down with dissipation, drunkenness and the anxieties of this life, and that day will close in on you unexpectedly like a trap. 35 For it will come upon all those who live on the face of the whole earth. 36 Be always on the watch, and pray that you may escape all that is about to happen, and that you may be able to stand before the Son of Man."

Philippians 3:20-21

For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, 21 who will transform our vile body that it may be conformed to His glorious body,

Matthew 16:1-4

Then the Pharisees and Sadducees came, and testing Him asked that He would show them a sign from heaven. 2 Jesus answered and said to them, "When it is evening you say, 'It will be fair weather, for the sky is red'; 3 and in the morning, "It will be foul weather today, for the sky is red and threatening.' Hypocrites! You know how to discern the face of the sky, but you cannot discern the signs of the times. 4 A wicked and adulterous generation seeks after a sign, and no sign shall be given to it except the sign of the prophet Jonah."

What Are You Going To Do About Bible Prophecy?

1.) The fact is - your glorification is coming.

vs. 31-32

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? 32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?

1a.) We will learn the truth

vs. 31a

Romans 8:31

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us...

“These Things”

What are those things? - - The Things summed up in **Romans 8:28-30**

Verse 28-30

28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. 29 For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren. 30 Moreover whom He predestined, these He also called; whom He called, these He also justified; and whom He justified, these He also glorified.

Your coming glorification is your final and forever state of existence.

The power of One with Him - you are the majority
when it comes to the true mathematics of it all.

With the LORD – You with Him are greater than the hundreds against you,
Or the thousands, or millions even billions of others who cannot contend with The Presence of The One

1b.) We will see the opposition

vs. 31b

If God is for us, who can be against us?

Against

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any accusation, indictment, attack, defamation, condemnation, any judgment with the intent to destroy or malign. to slander.

Joshua 1:5-7,9

No man shall be able to stand before you all the days of your life; as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you. **6** Be strong and of good courage, for to this people you shall divide as an inheritance the land which I swore to their fathers to give them. **7** Only be strong and very courageous, **9** Have I not commanded you? Be strong and of good courage; do not be afraid, nor be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.”

Jeremiah 1:19

They will fight against you, but they shall not prevail against you. For I am with you,” says the LORD, “to deliver you.”

Song of Solomon 8:6a

You have set me as a seal upon your heart, as a seal upon your arm; for love is as strong as death

2 Kings 6:16

So he answered, "Do not fear, for those who are with us are more than those who are with them."

Psalm 118:6

The LORD is on my side; I will not fear. What can man do to me?

What Are You Going To Do About Bible Prophecy? When the fact is – your glorification is coming!

1c.) We will know His favor

vs. 32

**32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all,
how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?**

"He who did not spare His own Son."

Question:

Does Romans 8:28 apply to Jesus Christ also?

Romans 8:28

**And we know that all things work together for good (1) to those who love God, (2) to those who are
the called according to His purpose.**

Shall He not - with Him also freely - give us all things?

2 Corinthians 8:9

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that you through His poverty might become rich.

A Warning From Jesus

Luke 12:16-21

Then Jesus spoke a parable unto them, saying: "The ground of a certain rich man yielded plentifully. **17** And he thought within himself, saying, "What shall I do, since I have no room to store my crops?... **18** So he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods. **19** And I will say to my soul, "Soul, you have many goods laid up for many years; take your ease; eat, drink, and be merry." ' **20** But God said to him, "Fool! This night your soul will be required of you; then whose will those things be which you have provided?' **21** "So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."

Are You "Becoming Rich / Wealthy?"

- (1) How rich are you in Forgiveness? (2) How much Grace is in your account? (3) How much Mercy have you deposited in the bank lately?
- (4) How rich are you in Love and (5) Peace – Are you rich with Peace? Are you surrounded on every side like a man having fallen into Fort Knox – have you fallen into the Peace of God?

I'D LIKE TO ASK YOU TODAY –

IF YOU'D LIKE TO MAKE A DEPOSIT – NOT INTO THE
BANK OF AMERICA – GOD FORBID THAT, BUT A DEPOSIT
INTO THE BANK OF GOD?

Did you know that Sheep prove the Existence of God?

End of Study

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