THE BOOK OF ROMANS

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

Romans 11:24-36

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

UNDER THE SHADOW OF THE ALMIGHTY - PART 6

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

SUBJECT TOPICALLY REFERENCED UNDER:

Israel, Foreknowledge, Adoption, Sovereignty, Justification, Predestination, Election

Romans 11:19-36

You will say then, "Branches were broken off that I might be grafted in." 20 Well said. Because of unbelief they were broken off, and you stand by faith. Do not be haughty, but fear. 21 For if God did not spare the natural branches, He may not spare you either. 22 Therefore consider the goodness and severity of God: on those who fell, severity; but toward you, goodness, if you continue in His goodness. Otherwise you also will be cut off. 23 And they also, if they do not continue in unbelief, will be grafted in, for God is able to graft them in again. 24 For if you were cut out of the olive tree which is wild by nature, and were grafted contrary to nature into a cultivated olive tree, how much more will these, who are natural branches, be grafted into their own olive tree? 25 For I do not desire, brethren, that you should be ignorant of this mystery, lest you should be wise in your own opinion, that blindness in part has happened to Israel until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in. 26 And so all Israel will be saved, as it is written: "The Deliverer will come out of Zion, And He will turn away ungodliness from Jacob; 27 For this is My covenant with them, When I take away their sins." 28 Concerning the Gospel they are enemies for your sake, but concerning the election they are beloved for the sake of the fathers. 29 For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. 30 For as you were once disobedient to God, yet have now obtained mercy through their disobedience, 31 even so these also have now been disobedient, that through the mercy shown you they also may obtain mercy. 32 For God has committed them all to disobedience, that He might have mercy on all. 33 Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and His ways past finding out! 34 "For who has known the mind of the LORD? Or who has become His counselor?" 35 "Or who has first given to Him And it shall be repaid to him?" 36 For of Him and through Him and to Him are all things, to whom be glory forever. Amen.

UNDER THE SHADOW OF THE ALMIGHTY

Psalm 91:4

He shall cover you with His feathers, and under His wings you shall take refuge; His truth shall be your shield and buckler.

Psalm 63:7-8

Because You have been my help, therefore in the shadow of Your wings I will rejoice. 8 My soul follows close behind You; Your right hand upholds me.

Matthew 23:37

"O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the one who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing!

1.)	IS WHERE God desires you to see beyond	vs. 7-8
2.)	IS WHERE God desires you to be unburdened	vs. 9-10
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6.) IS WHERE God desires you to be growing vs. 19-36

Stress the doctrine of abiding here in the last points

Under The Shadow Of The Almighty

Is Where God Desires You To Be Growing

1a.) So be humble about it	vs. 19-24
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24 For if you were cut out of the olive tree which is wild by nature, and were grafted contrary to nature into a cultivated olive tree, how much more will these, who are natural branches, be grafted into their own olive tree?

Thinking about the first fruits of the resurrection of Jesus Christ, you must come to the record in scripture that reveals that Nicodemus was not only a high-ranking religious priest in Israel at that time, but the scriptures tell us that many Jews believed Jesus as Messiah in the first century.

Many Had Been Cultivated Back In, Back Then. and they are still returning.

John 10:42
And many of the Jews believed in Him there.

John 11:45

Then many of the Jews who had come to Mary, (Martha) and had seen the things Jesus did, believed in Him.

John 12:9-11

Now a great many of the Jews knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. 10 But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, 11 because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus.

John 12:42

Nevertheless, even among The Rulers many believed in Him, but because of the Pharisees they did not confess Him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue;

May I say that they were eye witnesses of what we are studying today!

Under The Shadow Of The Almighty

Is Where God Desires You To Be Growing

1b.) So be gracious about it.

vs. 25-27

Verse 25

For I do not desire, brethren, that you should be ignorant of this mystery, lest you should be wise in your own opinion, that blindness in part has happened to Israel until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in.

26 And so all Israel will be saved, as it is written: "The Deliverer will come out of Zion, and He will turn away ungodliness from Jacob; 27 For this is My covenant with them, when I take away their sins."

Bible Prophecy Declares - - Israel's Future is Certain

Isaiah 43:21

This people (The Jewish Nation) I have formed for Myself; they shall declare My praise.

Yet at this very hour – Israel As a Nation is in Unbelief.

- (1) Israel and the Jews have no temple.
 - (2) They have no sacrifice
- (3) What or Who does Israel have as an atonement?
- (4) They have no revelation because they refuse to seek Him.
- 1.) Everything that a Physical Temple represented "YEHSHUA SAID "I AM HE"
- 2.) Everything that a Physical Sacrifice represented—"YEHSHUA SAID "I AM HE"
- 3.) Everything that a Physical Atonement represented "YEHSHUA SAID "I AM HE"
- 4.) Everything that a Physical Revelation represented "YEHSHUA SAID "I AM HE"

Isaiah 59:20

"The Redeemer will come to Zion, and to those who turn from transgression in Jacob," Says the LORD.

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John 12:32-33

And I, if I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all peoples to Myself." 33 This He said, signifying by what death He would die.

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John 10:14-18

I am the good shepherd; and I know My sheep, and am known by My own. 15 As the Father knows Me, even so I know the Father; and I lay down My life for the sheep. 16 And other sheep I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they will hear My voice; and there will be one flock and one shepherd. 17 "Therefore My Father loves Me, because I lay down My life that I may take it again. 18 No one takes it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This command I have received from My Father."

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Jeremiah 29:13-14

And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart. 14 I will be found by you, says the LORD, and I will bring you back from your captivity; I will gather you from all the nations and from all the places where I have driven you, says the LORD, and I will bring you to the place from which I cause you to be carried away captive.

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Hosea 6:1-2

Come, and let us return to the LORD; For He has torn, but He will heal us; He has stricken, but He will bind us up. 2 After two days He will revive us; On the third day He will raise us up, that we may live in His sight.

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Zechariah 12:10

"And I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on Me whom they pierced. Yes, they will mourn for Him as one mourns for his only son, and grieve for Him as one grieves for a firstborn.

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Isaiah 66:8-9a,15-16

Who has heard such a thing? Who has seen such things? Shall the earth be made to give birth in one day? Or shall a nation be born at once? For as soon as Zion was in labor, She gave birth to her children. 9 Shall I bring to the time of birth, and not cause delivery?" says the LORD... 15 For behold, the LORD will come with fire And with His chariots, like a whirlwind, To render His anger with fury, And His rebuke with flames of fire. 16 For by fire and by His sword The LORD will judge all flesh; and the slain of the LORD shall be many.

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Revelation 19:11-16

Now I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse. And He who sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war. 12 His eyes were like a flame of fire, and on His head were many crowns. He had a name written that no one knew except Himself. 13 He was clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of God. 14 And the armies in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, followed Him on white horses. 15 Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. And He Himself will rule them with a rod of iron. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. 16 And He has on His robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.

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Revelation 1:4b-8

Grace to you and peace from Him Who is and Who was and Who is to come, and from the seven Spirits who are before His throne, 5 and from Jesus Christ, the Faithful Witness, the Firstborn from the dead, and the Ruler over the kings of the earth. To Him Who loved us and

washed us from our sins in His own blood, 6 and has made us kings and priests to His God and Father, to Him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. 7 Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him, even they who pierced Him. And all the tribes of the earth will mourn because of Him. Even so, Amen. 8 "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End," says the Lord, "Who is and Who was and Who is to come, The Almighty."

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Matthew 24:22-31 NLT

In fact, unless that time of tribulation is shortened, not a single person will survive. But it will be shortened for the sake of God's chosen ones. 23 "Then if anyone tells you, 'Look, here is the Messiah,' or 'There He is,' don't believe it. 24 For false messiahs and false prophets will rise up and perform great signs and wonders so as to deceive, if possible, even God's chosen ones. 25 See, I have warned you about this ahead of time. 26 "So if someone tells you, 'Look, the Messiah is out in the desert,' don't bother to go and look. Or, 'Look, He is hiding here,' don't believe it! 27 For as the lightning flashes in the east and shines toward the west, so it will be when the Son of Man comes. 28 Just as the gathering of vultures shows there is a carcass nearby, so these signs indicate that the end is near. 29 "Immediately after the tribulation of those days, the sun will be darkened, the moon will give no light, the stars will fall from the sky, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. 30 And then at last, the sign that the Son of Man is coming will appear in the heavens, and there will be deep mourning among all the nations of the earth. And they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. 31 And He will send out His angels with the mighty blast of a trumpet, and they will gather His chosen ones from all over the world -from the farthest ends of the earth and heaven.

Under The Shadow Of The Almighty

Is Where God Desires You To Be Growing

1c.) So be confident about it

vs. 28-32

Verse 28-32

Romans 11:28-32

Concerning the Gospel they are enemies for your sake, but concerning the election they are beloved for the sake of the fathers. 29 For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. 30 For as you were once disobedient to God, yet have now obtained mercy through their disobedience, 31 even so these also have now been disobedient, that through the mercy shown you they also may obtain mercy. 32 For God has committed them all to disobedience, that He might have mercy on all.

God does not save and then un-save

What kind of a god would He be if He couldn't do what He has promised to do?

Jude 1:24

Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy,

We're actually talking about your security in Christ. How so? - - It's His field – It's His vineyard, His orchard.

- HE ADDS TO HIS INVESTMENTS.
- HE WALKS IN THE MIDST'S OF HIS INVESTMENT AND LOOKS FOR PRODUCTIVITY
- HE DOES THE GRAFTING & THE PRUNING
- He does the nurturing. The water. The soil, the sun
- HE PROTECTS HIS CORPS FROM HARM.
- He is the husbandmen.
- He is the harvester.
- He is the first to partake.

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Is Where God Desires You To Be Growing

1d.) So be generous about it

vs. 33-36

Verse 33-36

33 Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and His ways past finding out! 34 "For who has known the mind of the LORD? Or who has become His counselor?" 35 "Or who has first given to Him and it shall be repaid to Him?" 36 For of Him and through Him and to Him are all things, to whom be glory forever. Amen.

There are Several Doxologies in the book of Romans – But none are like this...

"Here theology turns to poetry. Here the seeking of the mind turns to the adoration of the heart."

- William Barkley

In verses 33,34,35 – Paul paraphrases from the Book of Isaiah 40.

Let's All Stand in Devotion Together.

Isaiah 55:9

"For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts.

Isaiah 40:28

Have you not known? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the LORD, The Creator of the ends of the earth, neither faints nor is weary. His understanding is unsearchable.

Psalms 145:3

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; and His greatness is unsearchable.

Colossians 1:12-23

Giving thanks to the Father who has qualified us to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in the light. 13 He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, 14 in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins. 15 He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. 16 For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him. 17 And He is before all things, and in Him all things consist. 18 And He is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence. 19 For it pleased the Father that in Him all the fullness should dwell, 20 and by Him to reconcile all things to Himself, by Him, whether things on earth or things in heaven, having made peace through the blood of His cross. 21 And you, who once were alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now He has reconciled 22 in the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy, and blameless, and above reproach in His sight - - 23 if indeed you continue in the faith, grounded and steadfast, and are not moved away from the hope of the Gospel which you heard, which was preached to every creature under heaven, of which I,

(Paul),

became a minister.

Job 5:8-9

"But as for me, I would seek God, and to God I would commit my cause - - 9 Who does great things, and unsearchable, marvelous things without number.

My personal witness of what He did to me in Mark 7

Mark 7:31-37 NLT

Jesus left Tyre and went up to Sidon before going back to the Sea of Galilee and the region of the Ten Cities 32 A deaf man with a speech impediment was brought to him, and the people begged Jesus to lay his hands on the man to heal him. 33 Jesus led him away from the crowd so they could be alone. He put his fingers into the man's ears. Then, spitting on his own

fingers, he touched the man's tongue. 34 Looking up to heaven, he sighed and said, "Ephphatha," which means, "Be opened!" 35 Instantly the man could hear perfectly, and his tongue was freed so he could speak plainly! 36 Jesus told the crowd not to tell anyone, but the more he told them not to, the more they spread the news. 37 They were completely amazed and said again and again, "Everything he does is wonderful. He even makes the deaf to hear and gives speech to those who cannot speak."

Allow Me to Applaud You for Enduring This Deep Dive.

Welcome to Romans Chapter 9

Romans Chapters 1 thru 8 The doctrines of sin, salvation, faith, grace, & the new man in Christ

Romans Chapters 9 thru 11 The doctrines of sin, salvation, faith, grace, & the new man in Christ

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

THE CHOICE, IS IT YOURS?

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

"What we have before us is one of the most hotly contended chapters of the Bible. The reason being is that it challenges our human capabilities to understand or fathom the Nature of God. If there was ever a reason as to why you should read, study and know the word of God in its entirety – this chapter demands such a discipline. Among Scholars There Are Competing Views and all of them deal with the Nature of God, His Sovereign, all based upon His Divine Person. This section of the book of Romans begins a 3 level argument divided up into 3 division. The 1st. is Chapter 9 is where God's past dealings with the nation of Israel are reviewed. Then in chapter 10 we see the 2nd. division that deals with God's present dealings with the nation of Israel and it's reconstitution among the nations, and 3rd., Chapter 11 deals with God's future involvement with Israel and His ultimate fulfillment of the prophetic scriptures regarding Israel's return to the LORD and their End Times ministry of the Coming Kingdom."

Luke 2:25-34a

And behold, there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon, and this man was just and devout, waiting for the Consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him. 26 And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ. 27 So he came by the Spirit into the temple. And when the parents brought in the Child Jesus, to do for Him according to the custom of the law, 28 he took Him up in his arms and blessed God and said: 29 "Lord, now You are letting Your servant depart in peace, According to Your word;30 For my eyes have seen Your salvation31 Which You have prepared before the face of all peoples, 32 A light to bring revelation to the Gentiles, and the glory of Your people Israel." 33 And Joseph and His mother marveled at those things which were spoken of Him. 34 Then Simeon blessed them, and said to Mary His mother, "Behold, this Child is destined for the fall and rising of many in Israel,



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