

From Broken to Beloved:

Discovering God's Amazing Grace in Romans

Adult Equipping Hour | 12-Week Study

Course Overview

Join us for an transformative 12-week journey through Paul's magnum opus - the Book of Romans. This letter contains the most systematic presentation of the gospel in all of Scripture, revealing how God's righteousness is both displayed in His justice and graciously extended to all who believe. Together we'll explore the profound depths of God's plan of salvation, the triumph of grace over sin, and what it means to live as recipients of His righteousness.

Study Guide: *Romans: A 12 Week Study* from the "Knowing the Bible" series

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Weekly Schedule

Week 1: Overview

Week 2: The Gospel as the Revelation of the Righteousness of God (*Romans 1:1-17*)

Week 3: God's Righteousness in His Wrath against Sinners (*Romans 1:18-3:20*)

Week 4: The Saving Righteousness of God (*Romans 3:21-4:25*)

Week 5: Hope as a Result of Righteousness by Faith (*Romans 5:1-21*)

Week 6: The Triumph of Grace (*Romans 6:1-7:25*)

Week 7: Life in the Spirit (*Romans 8:1-39*)

Week 8: God's Promises to Israel (*Romans 9:1-33*)

Week 9: God's Righteousness in His Plans for Jews and Gentiles (*Romans 10:1-11:36*)

Week 10: Living in Light of the Gospel (*Romans 12:1-13:14*)

Week 11: The Extension of God's Righteousness through Mission (*Romans 14:1-16:23*)

Week 12: Final Summary of the Gospel of the Righteousness of God (*Romans 16:25-27*)

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. [17] For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith." (ESV)"

Romans 1:16-17

Learning Objectives

By the end of this study, participants will:

- Understand the central theme of God's righteousness throughout Romans
- Grasp the biblical doctrine of justification by faith alone
- Appreciate the security and hope found in the gospel
- Apply gospel truths to daily Christian living
- Develop a deeper love for God's Word and His character

What to Bring

- Your Bible
- The study guide: *Romans: A 12 Week Study*
- A notebook or journal for personal reflections
- An open heart ready to encounter God's truth

Study Approach

Each week's lesson in the study guide follows a consistent structure designed to deepen your understanding of Romans:

- 1. The Place of the Passage** - An overview of how the week's passage fits within the broader context of Romans
- 2. The Big Picture** - A general summary of the main themes and content of the passage under study
- 3. Reflection and Discussion** - Interactive questions about the passage with space for your written responses and group discussion
- 4. Gospel Glimpses** - Discovering how the passage reveals aspects of the gospel and God's saving work
- 5. Whole-Bible Connections** - Exploring how the passage connects to broader theological principles found throughout Scripture
- 6. Theological Soundings** - Examining key doctrinal topics and themes that emerge from the passage
- 7. Personal Implications** - Space for you to reflect on how the gospel glimpses, whole-Bible connections, and theological insights personally impact your life and faith
- 8. Key Definitions** - Important terms and concepts from the passage clearly explained

Our class time will involve working through these sections together, discussing your insights, and encouraging one another as we grow in understanding God's Word.