

# The SALVATION Series

Part 5 – Roman Road



# Introduction...

- We Christians sometimes don't realise the tremendous TRUTH that we have!
- All of mankind are in a mess and we have the solution!
- In Romans chapter three we will look further at the eternal truth of Salvation.
- We will also segway into the 'Roman Road' a set of scriptures from this book which outline the Way of Salvation.



# Chosen...

- Paul begins by asking if there is any benefit in being a Jew or in circumcision.
- He answers affirmatively, stating that the Jews were entrusted with the very words (or oracles) of God.
- Paul emphasizes that even if some Jews were unfaithful, it does not nullify God's faithfulness.
- He quotes Psalm 51:4 to show that God remains righteous and true in His judgments.



# Lightbearers...

- The Jews were chosen by God to be the pathway for truth and salvation to come to the whole world.
- Haven't you wondered why all the fuss around the Jews? Here is a spiritual insight
- *<sup>12</sup> Therefore rejoice, O heavens, and you who dwell in them! Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and the sea! For the devil has come down to you, having great wrath, because he knows that he has a short time."*
- *<sup>13</sup> Now when the dragon saw that he had been cast to the earth, he persecuted the woman who gave birth to the male Child. Revelation 12*
- The Woman is Israel, the Male Child is The Christ Jesus, and the Dragon is Satan. The devil is obsessed with the Nation Israel who were the vessel through which the Word and THE WORD came



# Running Away....!

- Paul declares that everyone; Jews and Gentiles are under sin.
- He supports this with a series of Old Testament quotations (primarily from Psalms and Isaiah),
- emphasizing that no one is righteous, no one seeks God, and all have turned away.
- <sup>10</sup> *As it is written: "There is none righteous, no, not one;*
- <sup>11</sup> *There is none who understands; There is none who seeks after God.*



# Runaway...

- As a Christian, you need to understand this truth: people generally don't want God!
- *But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come: <sup>2</sup>For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money,*
- *boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, <sup>3</sup>unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, 2 Timothy 3:1-3*



# Rotten...

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- *19 Now we know that whatever the law says, it says to those who are under the law, that every mouth may be stopped, and all the world may become guilty before God.*
- *20 Therefore by the deeds of the law no flesh will be justified in His sight, for by the law is the knowledge of sin. Romans 3:19*
- This means that no man, no matter how moral or religious, can pass the Righteousness Test!
- So every Religion on Earth including the Jewish religion cannot justify anybody!! Every Muslim, Hindu, Buddhist, Humanist, etc cannot step into God's Heaven!
- You need to understand and accept this as follower of Christ.



# ALL...

- *<sup>23</sup> for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,*
- This perhaps the most consequential statement in the Bible!! The whole of the human race have fallen short!
- In Adam, ALL die... 1Cor 15:22
- Nobody is exempt
- Nobody is qualified
- Nobody can stand
- **ONLY JESUS!!**





# But Now...!

- <sup>21</sup> **But now** the righteousness of God apart from the law is revealed, being witnessed by the Law and the Prophets,
- <sup>22</sup> even the righteousness of God, through faith in Jesus Christ, to all and on all who believe. For there is no difference Romans 3:21-22
- The ESSENCE of God; His nature and LIFE is imparted to Us through faith in Jesus



# His Grace...

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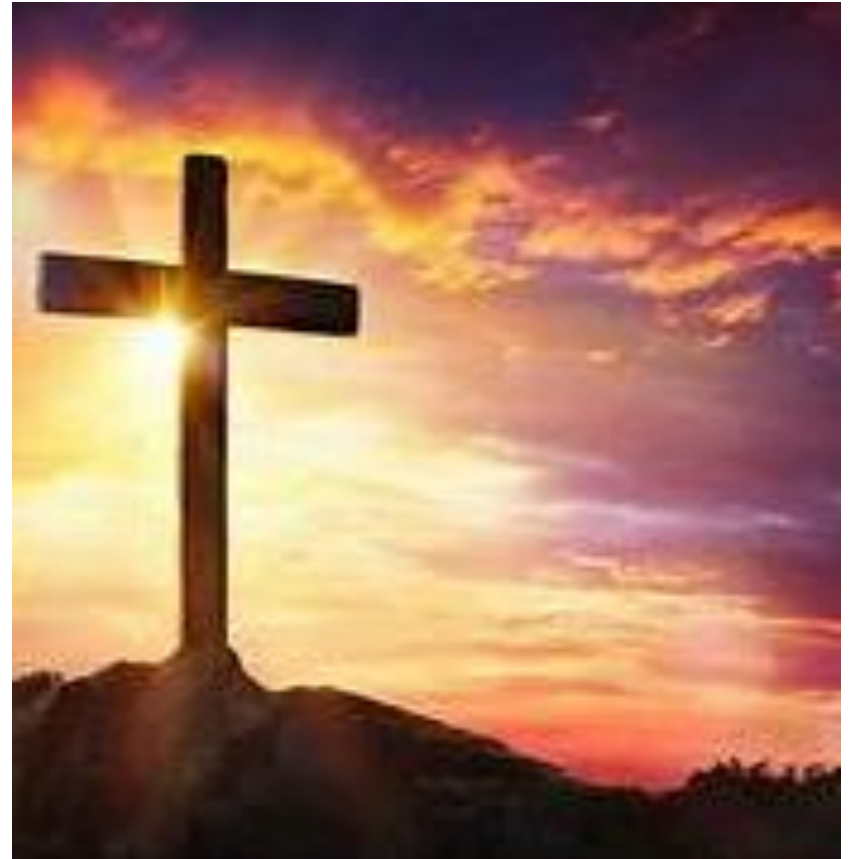
- *<sup>24</sup> being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, <sup>25</sup> whom God set forth as a propitiation by His blood, through faith,*
- *to demonstrate His righteousness, because in His forbearance God had passed over the sins that were previously committed,*
- *<sup>26</sup> to demonstrate at the present time His righteousness, that He might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.*  
*Romans 3:24-26*



# Yet God...

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- *<sup>24</sup> Yet God, in his grace, freely makes us right in his sight. He did this through Christ Jesus when he freed us from the penalty for our sins. <sup>25</sup> For God presented Jesus as the sacrifice for sin.*
- *People are made right with God when they believe that Jesus sacrificed his life, shedding his blood. This sacrifice shows that God was being fair when he held back and did not punish those who sinned in times past,*
- *<sup>26</sup> for he was looking ahead and including them in what he would do in this present time. God did this to demonstrate his righteousness, for he himself is fair and just, and he makes sinners right in his sight when they believe in Jesus. Romans 3:24-26*



# In Brief.

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- Romans 3 is a crucial chapter in Paul's letter to the Romans, as it summarizes the universality of sin,
- the inability of the Law to justify, and the necessity of righteousness through faith in Jesus Christ.
- It systematically dismantles Jewish and Gentile reliance on human effort for salvation
- and presents justification by faith as the only way to be right with God.

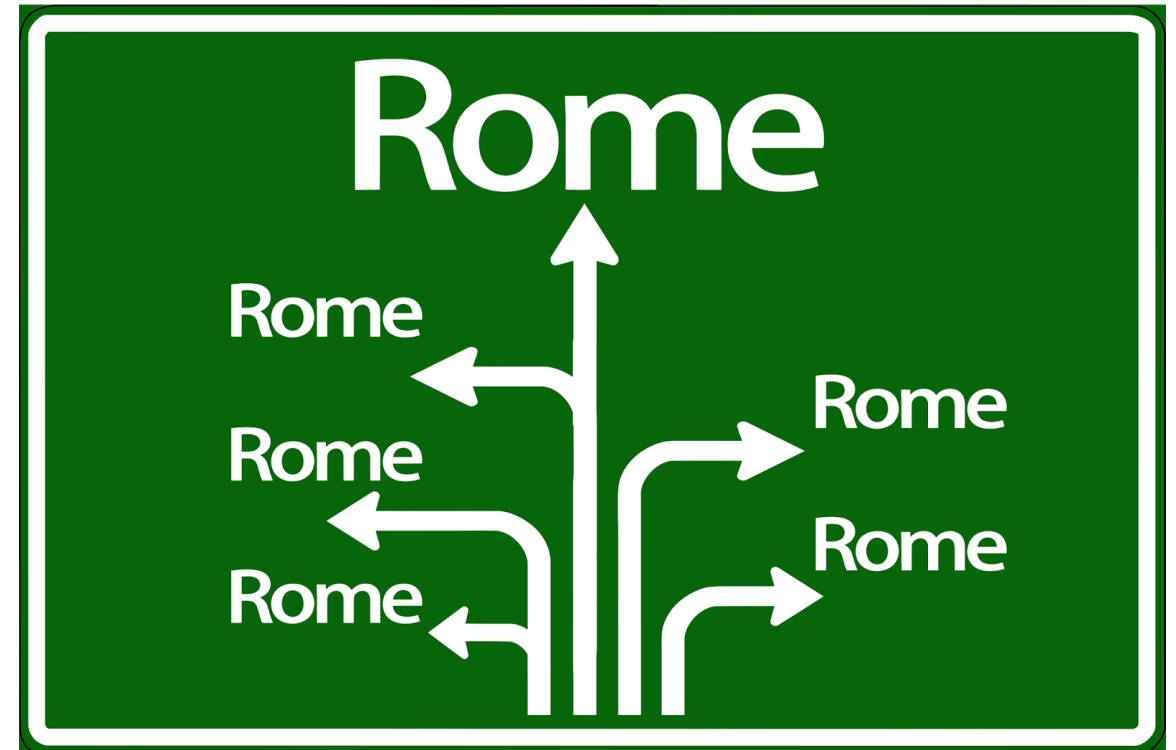


SUMMARY

# All Roads...

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- The **Roman Road** is a collection of verses from the book of Romans that outlines the path to salvation through Jesus Christ.
- It presents a step-by-step explanation of why we need salvation, how God provides it, and how we can receive it.



# Roman Road

- <sup>23</sup> for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,  
Romans 3:23
- "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."  
Romans 6:23
- "But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us."  
Romans 5:8
- "That if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved
- . For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation."  
Rom 10:17
- "For whoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."  
Rom 10:13
- "Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ."  
Rom 5:1
- "There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus..."  
Rom 8:1

# FAMILY TIME

- What does it mean to have Christ?
- You are different - Discuss
- Be a Bearer of Light
- You are a Christian – Meaning?
- You have been Chosen.
- You have Eternal life
- You are a Child of God
- Share with others



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