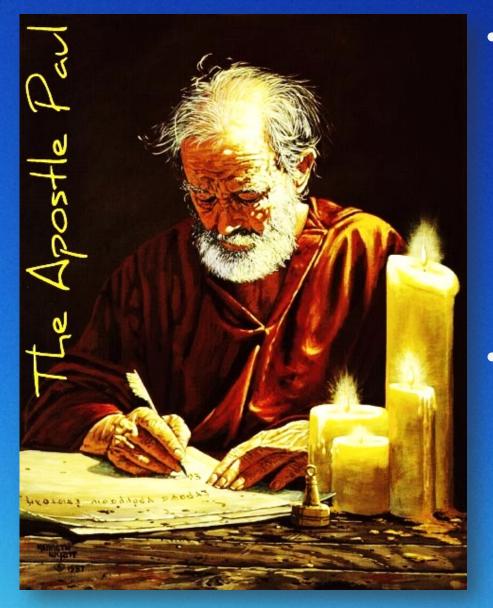


Welcome to **Rehoboth** New Life Center **Bible Study** Tuesday August 31st 2021

The Book of Romans part 1

Romans 1:7 To all that be in Rome, beloved of God, called to be saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Paul's Desire



 Acts 19:21 ¶After these things were ended, Paul purposed in the spirit, when he had passed through Macedonia and Achaia, to go to Jerusalem, saying, After I have been there, I must also see Rome.

 Acts 23:11 And the night following the Lord stood by him, and said, Be of good cheer, Paul: for as thou hast testified of me in Jerusalem, so must thou bear witness also at Rome.

A Servant ! "Doulos " (Bond Slave)

VET יהוה SERVANT OF THE LORD

Paul : "The Least"

Romans 1:1 ¶Paul, *a servant of Jesus Christ*, called to be an apostle, separated unto the gospel of God, 2 (Which he had promised afore by his prophets in the holy scriptures,)

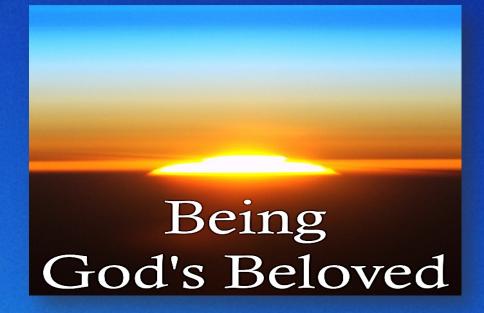
3 Concerning his Son Jesus Christ our Lord, which was made of the seed of David according to the flesh;

4 And *declared to be the Son of God* with power, according to the spirit of holiness, *by the resurrection from the dead:*

5 By whom we have received grace and apostleship, for obedience to the faith among all nations, for his name:

Joshua 1:13 Remember the word which *Moses the servant of the LORD* commanded you, saying, The LORD your God hath given you rest, and hath given you this land.

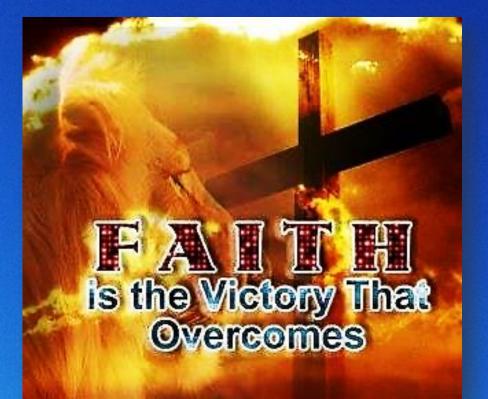
Beloved of God!



2 Thessalonians 2:13 ¶But we are bound to give thanks alway to God for you, *brethren beloved of the Lord*, because God hath from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the truth: Romans 1:7 To all that be in Rome, *beloved of God*, *called to be saints:* Grace to you and peace from God our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ.

 8 "First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for you all, *that your faith is spoken of* throughout the whole world.

The Just Shall Live By Faith!



Habakkuk 2:4 Behold, his soul which is lifted up is not upright in him: but the just shall live by his faith.

- Romans 1:15 So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also.
- 16 ¶For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.

17 For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, The just shall live by faith.

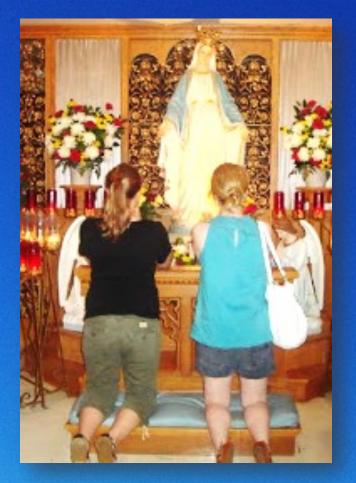
Knowledge of God is through his Creation!



• 20 For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:

Psalms 19:1 The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork. 2 Day unto day uttereth speech, and night unto night sheweth knowledge. 3 There is no speech nor language, where their voice is not heard.

The Rejection of God



- Romans 1:21 Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.
- 22 Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools,
- 23 And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

The Causes of.....



Romans 1:26 *For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections*: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature:

27 And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.

Matthew 19:12 For there are some eunuchs, which were so born from their mother's womb: and there are some eunuchs, which were made eunuchs of men: and there be eunuchs, which have made themselves eunuchs for the kingdom of heaven's sake. He that is able to receive it, let him receive it.

The Sin of Blasphemy



THE REPROBATE Mind

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Romans 1:28 And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient;

29 Being filled with all unrighteousness, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers,

30 Backbiters, haters of God, despiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents,

31 Without understanding, covenant breakers, without natural affection, implacable, unmerciful:
32 Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.

Matthew 12:31 Wherefore I say unto you, All manner of sin and blasphemy shall be forgiven unto men: but the blasphemy against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven unto men.

Don't condemn me because I sin differently than you!



Do not judge, or you too will be judged. For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

Mattbew 7:1

Romans 2:1 ¶Therefore thou art inexcusable, O man, whosoever thou art that judgest: for wherein thou judgest another, thou condemnest thyself; for thou that judgest doest the same things.

2 But we are sure that the judgment of God is according to truth against them which commit such things.

3 And thinkest thou this, O man, that judgest them which do such things, and doest the same, that thou shalt escape the judgment of God?

We may not Krima: Condemn!

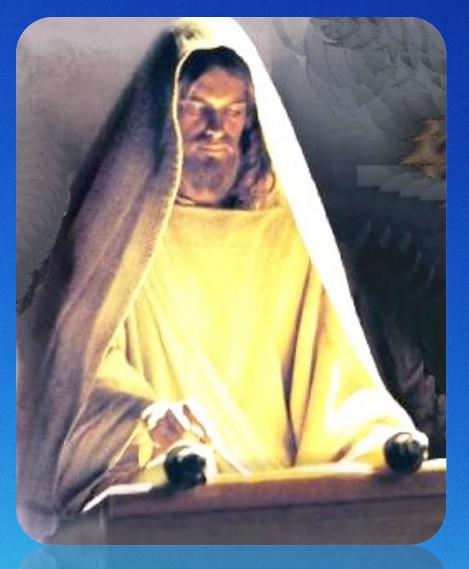


 Krino: Judge in the sense of a probationary trial, testing, or court proceeding but no decision as yet!

• Krisis: Decision, or choice, verdict

• Krima: Condemned, dammed

What did Jesus NOT come to do?



 John 3:17 For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn(Krino) the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

 (Present tense) Literally "that he should be Judging" now,

The Word will one day Judge!

Revelation 19:13 And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called The Word of God. Romans 2:5 But after thy hardness and impenitent heart treasurest up unto thyself wrath against the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God;

6 Who will render to every man according to his deeds:

7 To them who by patient continuance in well doing seek for glory and honour and immortality, eternal life:8 But unto them that are contentious, and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness, indignation and wrath,

9 Tribulation and anguish, upon every soul of man that doeth evil, of the Jew first, and also of the Gentile;10 But glory, honour, and peace, to every man that worketh good, to the Jew first, and also to the Gentile:

John 12:47 And if any man hear my words, and believe not, I judge him not: for I came not to judge the world, but to save the world. John 12:48 He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day.

The Law works... If you can keep it!

I AM THE LORD THY GOD THOU SHALT HAVE NO OTHER GODS BEFORE ME THOU SHALT NOT MAKE UNTO THEE ANY GRAVEN IMAGE THOU SHALT NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE LORD THY GOD IN VAIN REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY TO KEEP IT HOLY HONOUR THY FATHER AND THY MOTHER THOU SHALT NOT KILL THOU SHALT NOT COMMIT ADULTERY THOU SHALT NOT STEAL THOU SHALT NOT BLAR FALSE WITNESS THOU SHALT NOT COVED Romans 2:25 For circumcision verily profiteth, if thou keep the law: but if thou be a breaker of the law, thy circumcision is made uncircumcision.

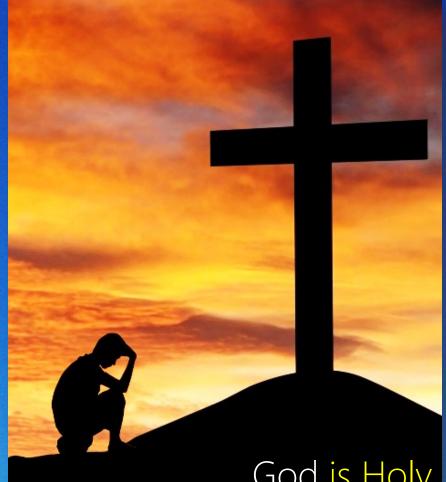
26 Therefore if the uncircumcision keep the righteousness of the law, shall not his uncircumcision be counted for circumcision?

27 And shall not uncircumcision which is by nature, if it fulfil the law, judge thee, who by the letter and circumcision dost transgress the law?

28 For he is not a Jew, which is one outwardly; neither is that circumcision, which is outward in the flesh:

29 But he is a Jew, which is one inwardly; and circumcision is that of the heart, in the spirit, and not in the letter; whose praise is not of men, but of God

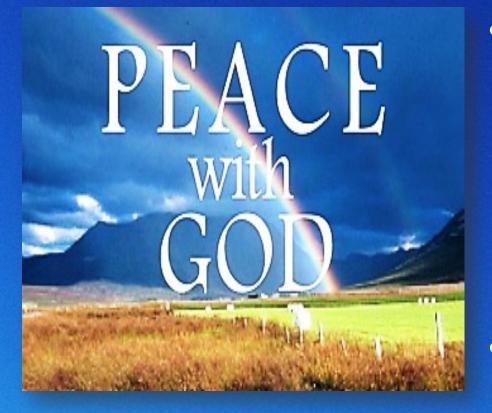
Justification by faith



God is Holy Man is sinful Christ is sufficient Romans 5:1 ¶Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ:

 2 By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Peace with God ?: Romans 5:1



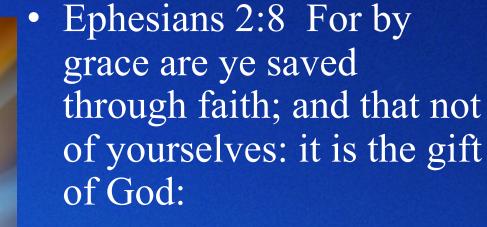
NO God NO Peace Know God, Know Peace Luke 2:13 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

 14 Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

By faith into Grace: Jesus Christ Romans 5:2

Saved by Grace

Living by Faith



• 9 Not of works, lest any man should boast.

 10 For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them.

Glory in Tribulations ?



- Romans 5:3 And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience;
- 4 And patience, experience; and experience, hope:
- 5 And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

3 We can rejoice, too, when we run into problems and trials, for we know that they are good for us -- they help us learn to endure. 4 And endurance develops strength of character in us, and character strengthens our confident expectation of salvation. 5 And this expectation will not disappoint us. For we know how dearly God loves us, because he has given us the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts with his love.

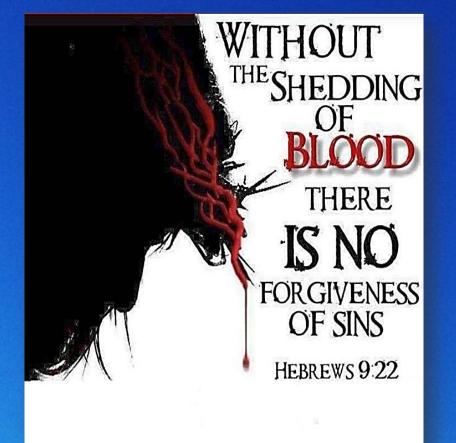
The Good for the Bad

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life." ~ John 3:16

• Romans 5:6 ¶For when we were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly.

- 7 For scarcely for a righteous man will one die: yet peradventure for a good man some would even dare to die.
- 8 But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

The Shedding of Blood



- Romans 5:9 Much more then, being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him.
- 10 For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life.

Leviticus 17:11 For the life of the flesh is in the blood: and I have given it to you upon the altar to make an atonement for your souls: for it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul.

The power of his resurrection...IS

• Romans 5:10 For if, *when we were enemies*, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, *we shall be saved by his life*.



 Hebrews 7:25 - Therefore *He is able also to save forever(to the utmost)* those who draw near to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them. (NAS version)

....he is now qualified to serve on our behalf: Romans 5:10 by his life



- Hebrews 9:14 How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without spot to God, purge your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?
- 15 ¶And for this cause he is the mediator of the new testament, *that by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions that were under the first testament,* they which are called might receive the promise of eternal inheritance.

We have NOW ! Received atonement!

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Just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned ... —Romans 5:12

Romans 10:4 For <u>Christ is the</u> <u>end of the law</u> for righteousness to every one that believeth.

- Romans 5:11 And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement.
- 12 Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:

 13 (For until the law sin was in the world: but sin is not imputed when there is no law.

Nevertheless death reigns!

2 Corinthians 5:21 For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the nghteousness of God in him.

- Romans 5:14
- Nevertheless death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over them that had not sinned after the similitude of Adam's transgression, who is the figure of him that was to come.

1 Timothy 2:14 And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression.

The gift surpasses the sin!



 Romans 5:18 Therefore as by the offence of one judgment came upon all men to condemnation; even so by the righteousness of one the free gift came upon all men unto justification of life.

 19 For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by the obedience of one shall many be made righteous.

The Law .. Increases ... Sin

THOU SHALT HAVE NO OTHER GODS BEFORE ME

II THOU SHALT NOT MAKE UNTO THEE ANY GRAVEN IMAGE

III THOU SHALT NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE LORD THY GOD IN VAIN

IV REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY TO KEEP IT HOLY

V HONOR THY FATHER AND THY MOTHER VI THOU SHALT NOT KILL

VII THOU SHALT NOT COMMIT ADULTERY

> VIII THOU SHALT NOT STEAL

IX THOU SHALT NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST THY NEIGHBOR

> X THOU SHALT NOT COVET

• Romans 5:20 The Law came in so that the transgression would *increase*; but where sin increased, grace abounded all the more, (NAS)

Titus 2:11 ¶For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men