

Romans Lesson #17

BSF Scripture Reading:

FIRST DAY:

1. Lecture principles:
2. Read the lesson notes

SECOND DAY:

Read Romans 9:30-33

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“See, I lay in Zion a stone that causes men to stumble and a rock that makes them fall, and the one who trusts in him will never be put to shame.”

THIRD DAY

Read Romans 10:1-4

[10:1] Brothers, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved. [2] For I can testify about them that they are zealous for God, but their zeal is not based on knowledge. [3] Since they did not know the righteousness that comes from God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness. [4] Christ is the end of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes.

FOURTH DAY

Read Romans 10:5-9

[5] Moses describes in this way the righteousness that is by the law: “The man who does these things will live by them.” [6] But the righteousness that is by faith says: “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’ ” (that is, to bring Christ down) [7] “or ‘Who will descend into the deep?’ ” (that is,

to bring Christ up from the dead). [8] But what does it say? “The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart,” that is, the word of faith we are proclaiming: [9] That if you confess with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

FIFTH DAY:

Read Romans 10:10-13

[10] For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved. [11] As the Scripture says, “Anyone who trusts in him will never be put to shame.” [12] For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, [13] for, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

Question 12

Matthew 6:21; 12:34; [21] For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

[34] You brood of vipers, how can you who are evil say anything good? For out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks.

Romans 1:21-22; [21] For although they knew God, they neither glorified him as God nor gave thanks to him, but their thinking became futile and their foolish hearts were darkened. [22] Although they claimed to be wise, they became fools

Galatians 4:6; [6] Because you are sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out, “Abba , Father.”

SIXTH DAY

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Israel's Unbelief

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