

# ROMANS

Part 1: The Gospel

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Romans 1:1-7

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When you hear the term "the gospel" what comes to mind? \_\_\_\_\_

Romans 1:8-15

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"So I am eager to preach the gospel to you also who are in Rome."

Romans 1:16

- **The Gospel is the power of God for Salvation.**
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Romans 1:11-12

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Past dimension of our salvation – \_\_\_\_\_

Present dimension of our salvation – \_\_\_\_\_

Future dimension of our salvation – \_\_\_\_\_

"Power of God"

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Ephesians 2:8-9

Romans 1:17

- **God's righteousness revealed**
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Romans 5:17

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From faith for faith – Our faith in God's faithfulness, it's all a gift of grace.

Habakkuk 2:14

*"I had indeed been captivated with an extraordinary ardor for understanding Paul in the Epistle to the Romans. But up till then it was not the cold blood about the heart, but a single word in Chapter 1, 'In it the righteousness of God is revealed' that had stood in my way. For I hated that word 'righteousness of God,' which, according to the use and custom of all the teachers, I had been taught to understand philosophically regarding the formal or active righteousness, as they call it, with which God is righteous and punishes the unrighteous sinner. - Martin Luther*

"the righteous live by faith"

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We are faithful only because of and in direct response to His faithfulness.