

Bible Study Through
ROMANS
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the wisdom of the prudent
is to **FIGURE IT OUT**

Proverbs 14:8

OUTLINE

Chaps 1-8

FAITH

1-3 Recognize our sin

BIG Problem!

4-5 How is one saved

BIG Gift!

6-8 Process of sanctification

NOW you know!

Chaps 9-11

HOPE Can God love us without rescinding His Holy nature?

9 Israel's history

10 Israel's current situation

11 Israel's future [Part-1 of 2 next week]

Chaps 12-16

LOVE The *process of sanctification* in our lives.

12 Service to others

13 Respect government

14-15 One's conscience

16 Greetings/salutations

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"It felt like a lot of pain in that moment," he said.

Boone said there wasn't any structural damage, but Urshela will be reevaluated Monday before determining his future availability. The slick-fielding infielder had a more prominent limp after the game.

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TONIGHT'S PLAN

CAPITVLVM X

- Zeal for YHWH \neq Salvation
- Jesus Christ the end-all of the Law
- Ascend to Heaven? Descend to Sheol?
- Raboni Yitzak Kaduri on 2 Messiahs
- The Word is Near: Heart and Mouth
- Sent/Herald/Hear/Believe/Call
- O.T. Scriptures and *Parable of Sower*

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Romans 10:1-4

*[segue] BEHOLD, I LAY IN ZION A STONE OF STUMBLING AND A ROCK OF OFFENSE,
AND HE WHO BELIEVES IN HIM **WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED.***

Brethren, my heart's desire and my prayer to God for them ***is for salvation.***

For I testify about them that they have a ***zeal for God,***
but NOT in accordance with knowledge.

For not knowing about God's righteousness and seeking to establish their own,
they did not subject themselves to the righteousness of God.

For Christ is the end of the LAW for righteousness to everyone who believes.

Romans 10:1-4 *commentary*

Brethren, **my heart's desire** and **my prayer** to God for them *is for salvation*.

ONCE AGAIN this is Paul's strongest interest

Paul testifies his Jewish brethren DO in fact HAVE a ***zeal for God*** –
but it's **NOT** in accordance with “true” **knowledge**

NOT **knowing** God's righteousness [THRU FAITH]

they instead seek to establish their own righteousness [THRU attempts to keep the LAW]

As such they DO NOT subject themselves to ***the righteousness of God***

THERE IT IS AGAIN: Mine vs. Jesus FOR ME - Isaiah 64:6

HOW TO UNDERSTAND THIS? Jesus Christ is the end of the LAW

for righteousness to EVERYONE *who believes*

HOW TO UNDERSTAND THIS? Jesus Christ is the end of the **LAW** for righteousness to **EVERYONE *who believes***

τέλος γὰρ νόμου Χριστὸς εἰς δικαιοσύνην παντὶ τῷ πιστεύοντι
is the end FOR Law Christ for righteousness everyone who believes

SO THAT [points to a very specific action]

[1st person
emphatic that
object is 100%
designated - Christ IS the end game/object of νόμου]

[plural **emphatic**
modifies/clarifies
predecessor noun]

Sounds just like

Galatians 3:24-25

*The Law has become our tutor
to lead us to Christ, so that we
may be justified by faith -
but now that faith has come,
we are no longer under a tutor*

consider **Galatians 3:17-29**

Law came 430 years after - does not invalidate Covenant previously ratified to nullify **Promise**.

If inheritance based on Law it's no longer on **Promise** but God granted to Abraham by **Promise**.

WHY the Law? It came because of sin!!

Came thru MEDIATOR 'til seed came to one **Promised**. Mediator never for just ONE [God is ONE]

Is Law contrary to **Promise**? **NO!** If Law could give life, then righteousness would be by Law but Scripture binds all in inherent nature, so **Promise** by **FAITH** in Jesus to those who believe.

Before **FAITH** we were **locked away from FAITH** revealed later – **NOW** Law is our tutor leading us [away from our own righteousness] to **FAITH** to be justified. **NOW** that **FAITH** has come no longer need tutor - **NOW** sons and daughters by **FAITH** Baptized into Christ = clothed in Him

NOW no distinctions among/within mankind: slave or free Jew or Greek man or woman
ALL are one in Christ Jesus – Belonging to Christ makes you Abraham's descendants

WHY/HOW? *Thru the Promise - FAITH not the Law*

Romans 10:5-10

For Moses writes that the man who practices the righteousness which is based on law shall live by that righteousness.

But the righteousness based on faith speaks as follows:

“DO NOT SAY IN YOUR HEART, ‘WHO WILL ASCEND INTO HEAVEN?’
[that is, to bring Christ down] or
‘WHO WILL DESCEND INTO THE ABYSS?’
[that is, to bring Christ up from the dead].”

But what does it say? “THE WORD IS NEAR YOU, IN YOUR MOUTH AND IN YOUR HEART”
that is, the word of faith which we are preaching, that if you confess with your mouth
Jesus *as* Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved;

For with the heart a person believes, resulting in righteousness,
and with the mouth he confesses, resulting in salvation.

Romans 10:5-10 *commentary*

Whoever practices **righteousness based on LAW** lives [and dies] **by that righteousness**

Instead it's a righteousness **based on FAITH**

So do not say in your heart:

‘WHO WILL **ASCEND INTO HEAVEN?**’ [bring Christ down]

‘WHO WILL **DESCEND INTO ABYSS?**’ [bring Christ up from dead]

Interesting – *Ascend brings Christ down, Descend brings Christ up??!!*

Deut. 9:4-6 *Don't say in your heart, "Because of **our righteousness** we get Canaan"*

*Israel would possess Canaan **NOT** because of its righteousness,
but because YHWH dispossessed godless-pagans from that land*

Deut. 30:11-14 *Receiving/Believing YHWH's commands is all about putting FAITH in Jehoshua
It's easy for Israel to grasp - don't ask, "Who will ascend to heaven?" to find this out from YHWH*

Israel should not consider FAITH in Christ **too hard to grasp**. Don't expect new man to go **UP**
to heaven to find Messiah - entirely futile to try and bring Christ down to earth when He has
already come down to earth and walked among mankind

DEUTERONOMY

9:4-6

39

DEUTERONOMY

30:11-14

39

*Got Canaan
due to our
righteousness*

*Easy to grasp,
don't ask "Who
will ascend?"*

CHRIST IS THE END-ALL OF THE LAW

Romans 10:5-10 *commentary*

‘WHO WILL **ASCEND INTO HEAVEN?**’ [bring Christ down]

‘WHO WILL **DESCEND INTO ABYSS?**’ [bring Christ up from dead]

*These 2 statements **DENY** who Jesus
is and what He has already done!*

**JESUS died on the cross - DESCENDED to Sheol - led captivity captive
40 days later Jesus ASCENDED to the Right Hand of the Father**

Direct Allusion to **Psalms 139:8** “If I ascend to heaven, **YOU** are there”
“If I make my bed in Sheol, **YOU** are there”

Romans 10:5-10 *commentary*

A Jewish person who keeps the Law, Levitical sacrifices for sin, believes in Jehoshua as Messiah and by FAITH receives God's righteousness – meets Law requirements ***entirely by the indwelling of God's Spirit.***

A Jewish person who keeps the Law to demonstrate ***his own righteousness*** CANNOT recognize Jehoshua as “end of the Law” – this is that STUMBLING BLOCK [Rock of Offense]

Consider the rabbi's “2 Messiah” writings: *Mashiach ben Joseph [suffers for the people]*
Mashiach ben David [rules as King in Jerusalem]

Luke 2 Simeon + Anna **V34:** This *Child* is appointed for the fall and rise of many in Israel
a sign to be opposed - a ***sword will pierce your own soul*** to
the end that ***thoughts from many hearts may be revealed***

V38: She came up and *began* giving thanks to God, and continued to speak
of Him to ***those who were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem***

Dead Sea Scrolls show most Qumran Jews were believers in Jehoshua as Mashiach

Talmud-Mishnah-Gemara-Midrash

Consider the rabbi's "2 Messiahs"

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TALMUD

Civil and Ceremonial Jewish Law - Torah Commentary

Babylonian Talmud [5th Century BC captivity]

Jerusalem Talmud [mid-4th Century BC]

1] Mishnah ["Repeated-Study" - Rabbis' oral Torah]

200 BC sayings, arguments, perspectives

2] Gemara [huge commentary on Mishnah]

legal postulations, remedies, conundrums

MIDRASH

Extensive interpretations of Torah

reconcile contradictions, bases for new laws

Thanks to Eli Eisenberg, Mark Garfinkel, Larry Greenfield

One Rabbi's Testimony

Reminder of Rabbi's "2 Messiah" writings: *Mashiach ben Joseph [suffers for the people]*
Mashiach ben David [rules as King in Jerusalem]



Raboni Yitzhak Kaduri [1898-2006]

Feb-2006 over 200,000 at his funeral

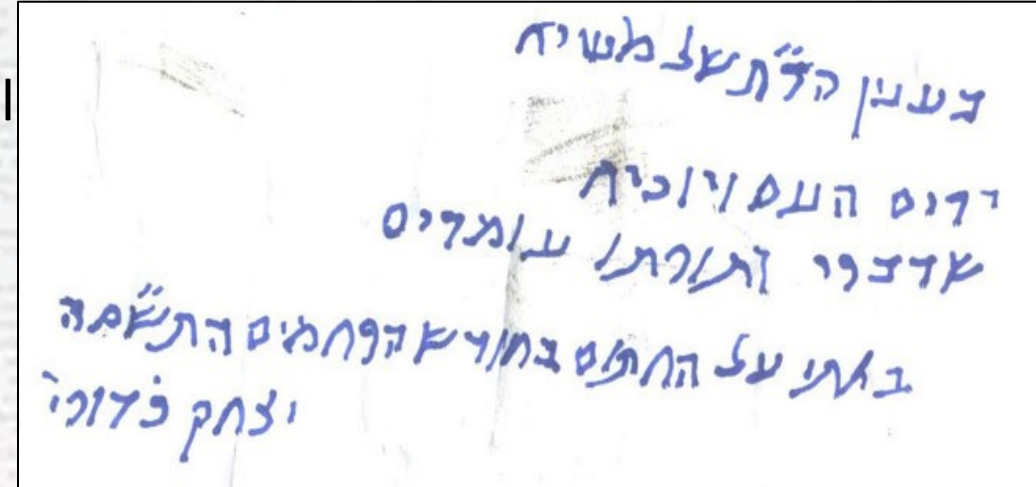
Now FAMOUS hand-written note:

Acrostic of 1st letters = YEHOSHUA

*He [Mashiach] will lift the people to
prove that his word and law are valid*

Written with my signature in the

month Rachamim [Elul] 5765 - Yitshak Kaduri



Afterward his followers maintained his website posting Kaduri's 18 facets of Mashiach noting:

The 2 Mashiachs - ben Joseph and ben David - ARE THE SAME PERSON.

Isaiah 11:2 The Spirit of the LORD will rest on Him, The spirit of wisdom and understanding,
The spirit of counsel and strength, The spirit of knowledge and fear of the LORD.

Romans 10:5-10 *commentary*

Deut. 30:11-14 "THE WORD IS NEAR YOU, IN YOUR MOUTH AND IN YOUR HEART"

Word of **faith** we preach: *Confess with mouth "Jesus Lord" + Believe in heart
God raised Him from dead = you will be saved!!*

With the HEART - person **believes** [Result = righteousness] *Deep inside you KNOW*

With the MOUTH - person **confesses** [Result = salvation] *Outward declaration of that*

THAT generation set to go into Canaan was exhorted by Moses – the Word is near, right now it's in your mouth and in your heart – **Obey It!!** *Did not need to be brought down from heaven* [Deut. 30:12] *Don't have to cross sea to obtain it* [Deut. 30:13] **It's RIGHT here!**

NO need to Ascend to Heaven NO need to Descend to Sheol

*The VERY Word you need is already in your **heart and mouth***

*So it's quite simple: **BELIEVE in heart + CONFESS with mouth***

HEART = Belief

MOUTH = Confession

Romans 10:11-17

For the Scripture says, “WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED.”

For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same *Lord* is Lord of all, abounding in riches for all who call on Him; for

“WHOEVER WILL CALL ON THE NAME OF THE LORD WILL BE SAVED.”

How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed?

How will they believe in Him whom they have not heard? and

How will they hear without a preacher?

How will they preach unless they are sent?

Just as it is written,

“HOW BEAUTIFUL ARE THE FEET OF THOSE WHO BRING GOOD NEWS OF GOOD THINGS!”

However, they did not all heed the good news; for Isaiah says,

“LORD, WHO HAS BELIEVED OUR REPORT?”

So faith *comes* from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ.

ISAIAH
28:16

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*God lays in Zion
a cornerstone
not disappointed*

JOEL
2:32

39

*Whoever calls
Name of Lord
will be saved*

Romans 10:11-17 *commentary*

Paul then quotes directly the prophets Isaiah and Joel

Isaiah 28:16 Therefore thus says the Lord GOD, "Behold, I am laying in Zion a **stone** a **tested stone**, a **costly cornerstone** for the foundation firmly placed and **"WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED"**

FAITH removes any/all personal distinctions among mankind - ALL have equal access
NO distinction Jew or Greek - **Same is Lord of ALL** - Abounding riches for ALL who call

Joel 2:32 It will come about that **"WHOEVER WILL CALL"** ON THE NAME OF THE LORD
WILL BE SAVED - On Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there will be those who escape as
the LORD has said, Even among the survivors whom the LORD calls WILL BE SAVED."

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How will they CALL

How will they BELIEVE

How will they HEAR

How will they HERALD

on Him in whom they have not believed?

in Him whom they have not heard?

without "one who heralds/announces" ?

unless they are Sent [STARTS HERE]

Romans 10:11-17 *commentary*

Isaiah 52:7 *How lovely on the mountains are the feet of him who brings GOOD NEWS [GOSPEL] who announces peace and brings GOOD NEWS [GOSPEL] of happiness, who announces salvation and says to Zion, "Your God reigns!"*
Originally for Judah to declare Babylonian captivity is ended
Paul uses it as commentary on His countrymen of that present time

However, NOT ALL heed this "GOSPEL" - Isaiah: "LORD, WHO HAS BELIEVED OUR REPORT?"

Parable of sower – 4 Receptions [Matthew 13:3-9]

1. **pathway** immediately taken by birds [enemy]
2. **rocky ground** no room for deep roots to withstand hot sun
3. **thorny ground** grew alongside and choked them out
4. **good soil** - strong growth - harvest [100x 60x 30x]

So **FAITH** comes from **hearing** [2nd stage after HERALDED]
and **hearing** by the word of Christ

Contexts of Paul's Position

Psalms 69:9 *Zeal for Your house consumes me, reproaches of who reproach You falls to me*

Hosea 11:1 *Out of Egypt I have called my Son [same as Israel's Exodus]*

Jeremiah 31:15 *A voice heard in Ramah, lamenting, bitter weeping, Rachel refused comfort*

Rachel died in childbirth "Ben-Oni" [son of my sorrow]

Yakov renames him "Ben-Jamin" [son of my right hand]

Rachel buried on the way to Ephrathah [Bethlehem]

Isaiah 53 *Man of sorrow - very familiar with grief/anguish*

Psalms 2:7 *My Son whom I've begotten [who sits on the Father's "right hand"]*

Isaiah 26:19 *Your dead will live, corpses will rise, those returned to dust awake, shout for JOY*

20 *Come my people [Israel] enter into **your chambers**, close doors behind you and hide a little while until indignation runs its course [protection during tribulation]*

21 *Lord comes out of **His chamber** to punish inhabitants of earth for their iniquities*

ISRAEL IN EACH O.T. CONTEXT *related to N.T. MASHIACH and END TIMES*

Romans 10:18-21

But I say, SURELY they **HAVE *never heard***, have they?

Indeed they have;

“THEIR VOICE HAS GONE OUT INTO ALL THE EARTH,
AND THEIR WORDS TO THE ENDS OF THE WORLD.”

But I say, surely Israel did not know, did they? - First Moses says,

“I WILL MAKE YOU JEALOUS BY THAT WHICH IS NOT A NATION,
BY A NATION WITHOUT UNDERSTANDING WILL I ANGER YOU.”

And Isaiah is very bold and says,

“I WAS FOUND BY THOSE WHO DID NOT SEEK ME,
I BECAME MANIFEST TO THOSE WHO DID NOT ASK FOR ME.”

But as for Israel He says,

“ALL THE DAY LONG I HAVE STRETCHED OUT MY HANDS
TO A DISOBEDIENT AND OBSTINATE PEOPLE.”

Romans 10:18-21 *commentary*

SURELY they never heard?

Remember sequence: **SENT-HERALD-HEAR**

Indeed *they HAVE heard*

“THEIR VOICE HAS GONE OUT TO ALL EARTH, THEIR WORDS TO THE ENDS OF THE WORLD”

Psalm 19:4 like Romans 1:18-20 [General-Revelation]

Psalm 19:7-11 [*Special Revelation: Law Testimony Precepts Commands*]

Gold, Honeycomb - Keep them = GREAT REWARD

SURELY Israel *did not know, did they?*

Moses [Deut. 32:21]

“I WILL MAKE **YOU JEALOUS** BY THAT WHICH IS **NOT A NATION**,
BY A **NATION WITHOUT UNDERSTANDING** WILL I ANGER YOU.”

[Isaiah 65:1] very bold

“I WAS **FOUND** BY **THOSE WHO DID NOT SEEK** ME,
I BECAME **MANIFEST** TO **THOSE WHO DID NOT ASK** FOR ME.”

For Israel [Isaiah 65:2]

“ALL THE DAY LONG **I HAVE STRETCHED OUT MY HANDS**
TO A DISOBEDIENT AND OBSTINATE PEOPLE.”

Romans 10 *conclusion*

Israel: THE WORD HAS ALWAYS BEEN HERE AMONG YOU/WITH YOU
IN YOUR HEART AND IN YOUR MOUTH

You pursued your own righteousness in the Law of Moses
and MISSED the plain truth before you all these centuries

Paul says:

- *The LAW came to reveal/expose sin*
- *No one able to KEEP the Law to righteousness*
- *YHWH's Salvation gone out to the entire world*
- *NO distinctions between WHO can be saved*
- *Only have to BELIEVE!*

*Next Monday
October 11th*

ROMANS

CAPITVLVM XI

*Paul Reviews God's
Still-Future Care and Plan
for His People Israel*