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## ROMANS – MINING THE DEPTHS OF THE GOSPEL (PART 1) HAPPY TO BE A SLAVE – ROMANS 1:1-7

### INTRODUCTION TO ROMANS

Written from \_\_\_\_\_; Paul's \_\_\_\_\_ missionary journey; about \_\_\_\_\_ AD.

#### MAJOR THEMES:

Law verses \_\_\_\_\_ (chapters 1-4)

Flesh verses \_\_\_\_\_ (chapters 5-8)

Restoration of \_\_\_\_\_ (chapters 9-11)

Practical \_\_\_\_\_ (chapters 12-15)

### PAUL GREETES THE ROMANS

#### 1) PAUL – CALLED TO BE AN APOSTLE (Romans 1:1)

An Apostle – the Qualifying Mark – one who has seen the \_\_\_\_\_ Lord (Acts 1:22, 1 Cor 9:1)

Paul the Apostle – Qualified Paul to establish the church's \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ foundations (Eph 2:19-21)

#### 2) PAUL – SET APART FOR THE GOSPEL (Romans 1:1-5)

##### THE CENTRAL PERSON OF THE GOSPEL (Romans 1:1-4)

- About \_\_\_\_\_ (v1,3)
- About Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ beginnings (v1c -3)
- About Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ existence (v4)

##### THE FAR REACHING SCOPE OF THE GOSPEL

The gospel of \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 3)

The gospel of \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 1:5, 4-8, 12-15)

The gospel of \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 8:18-20)

The gospel of the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 9-11; 10:15)

### 3) PAUL – MESSENGER TO THE ROMANS (*Romans 1:7*)

#### WHAT IS A SAINT?

- Not a \_\_\_\_\_ title
- Not a \_\_\_\_\_ believer
- A term for all \_\_\_\_\_
- Means to be \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) for His \_\_\_\_\_

### 4) PAUL – CONTENT TO BE A SERVANT (*Romans 1:1a*)

Servant (*doulos*) – a \_\_\_\_\_ – one who has no personal \_\_\_\_\_ (not by \_\_\_\_\_, but \_\_\_\_\_)

#### THREE TYPES OF SERVANTS IN THE CHURCH

Some \_\_\_\_\_ serve at all

Many serve, but on their own \_\_\_\_\_, at their own \_\_\_\_\_

A few become \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord Jesus Christ