



NO CONDEMNATION FOR THOSE

GOD'S EVERLASTING LOVE

ROMANS 8

A NEW LIFE



WHO ARE IN CHRIST JESUS



ROMANS 8:22-27

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²² For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. ²³ And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴ For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees? ²⁵ But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.



ROMANS 8:22-27

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²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. ²⁷ And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.



1. HOPE IN OUR WAITING

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ROMANS 8:23

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ROMANS 8:24-25

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ROMANS 8:25

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“Living without hope is no longer living.
Hell is hopelessness and it is not for
nothing that at the entrance of Dante’s hell
there stands the words: ‘Abandon hope, all
you who enter.’”

JÜRGEN MOLTSMANN

1. HOPE IN OUR WAITING

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1 THESSALONIANS 5:8

⁸ But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, having put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation.



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HEBREWS 6:19-20

¹⁹ We have this as a **sure and steadfast anchor of the soul**, a hope that enters into the inner place behind the curtain, ²⁰ where Jesus has gone as a forerunner on our behalf



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PSALM 42:5

⁵ Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? **Hope in God**; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God.



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ROMANS 5:3-5 (CSB)

³ And not only that, but we also rejoice in our afflictions, because we know that affliction produces endurance, ⁴ endurance produces proven character, and proven character produces hope. ⁵ **This hope will not disappoint us**, because God's love has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit who was given to us.



2. HELP IN OUR PRAYING

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ROMANS 8:26

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.



“Prayer is not an option for the spiritually elite. Prayer is oxygen for exhausted sinners and failures.”

RAY ORTLUND

“Some people get so entangled in the various do’s and dont’s of prayer, so transfixed by the problem of sorting out what is our part and what is God’s part, so bogged down fretting over whether they,

as mere flawed humans, should ask anything of a holy, almighty God, or conversely whether there is any point in asking since God will do what he wants anyway that they become paralysed about praying...

Don't fret; just pray. God fixes our prayers on the way up! If he does not answer the prayer we made, he will answer the prayer we should have made. That is all anyone needs to know."

J.I. PACKER

2. HELP IN OUR PRAYING

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ROMANS 8:27

²⁷ And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.



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ROMANS 12:12

¹² Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.



“If you read history you will find that the Christians who did most for the present world were precisely those who thought most of the next.

It is since Christians have largely ceased to think of the other world that they have become so ineffective in this.”

C.S. LEWIS

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