"The Gospel According to Paul"

An Outline Romans

Introduction: (Romans 1:1-15)

Paul answered three questions about the gospel.

1. What does the Gospel reveal?

- a. "It reveals the wrath of God" [Rom. 1:18].
 - i. God's wrath is on the immoral (1:20-32).
 - ii. God's wrath is on the self-righteous (2:1-16).
 - iii. God's wrath is on the hypocritical (2:17-29).
 - iv. God's wrath is on all people (3:1-20).
- b. "It reveals the righteousness of God" [Rom. 1:17].
 - i. The intro to justification by faith (3:21-31).
 - ii. The example of justification by faith (4:1-25).
 - iii. The results of justification by faith (5:1-21).
 - iv. The dangers of abusing the grace of God (6:1-7:25).
 - v. The advantages of living by the Spirit (8:1-39).

2. Who does the Gospel reach?

It reaches "the Jew first and then the Gentile" [Rom. 1:16b]. Six questions about Israel.

- i. Will God keep His Word to Israel? (9:1-13)
- ii. Is God being unfair to Israel? (9:14-29)
- iii. What does God expect from Israel? (9:30-10:13)
- iv. What is God's problem with Israel? (10:14-21)
- v. Is God finished with Israel? (11:1-10)
- vi. What is God doing to Israel? (11:11-36)

3. What does the Gospel release?

It releases "the power of God to salvation" [Rom. 1:16a]. This salvation transforms our relationships.

- i. Our relationships with one another (12:1-21).
- ii. Our relationship with the government (13:1-7).
- iii. Our relationships with one another (13:8-14).
- iv. Our relationship with the weak in faith (14:1-23).
- v. Our relationships with one another (15:1-13).

Conclusion: (Romans 15:14-33)

Personal Greetings: (Romans 16:1-27)