



NOVEMBER

DAILY READINGS

Welcome to November's Reading Plan! *"Set your mind on the Spirit" (Rom 8:6) as you read God's Word & hide it in your heart.*

Sunday, October 31st | The Righteousness of God "Missions" Romans 15:1-13

- [Nov 1] Rom 15:1-3 | What are some privileges & responsibilities of strong Christians? In what ways are you living to please yourself & what specific things could you do to change that?
- [2] Rom 15:1-7 | What does God help us do that is right for all followers of Christ (v5)? What do these verses say about harmony?
- [3] Rom 15:1-7 | How does acceptance of a person differ from approval of that person's beliefs or practices? What are some practical ways you can take these teachings to heart as you accept other believers who have different opinions than you?
- [4] Rom 15:7-9 | What kind of deeds are done in the dark? What deeds could you stop doing & what armor could you put on that would make you better prepared to present the gospel to others?
- [5] Rom 15:9-12 | For what are both Jews & Gentiles to praise the Lord? Who are some people for whom you will thank God for their salvation?
- [6] Rom 15:13; Heb 6:18-19; 1 Tim 1:1 | How do these verses describe hope? To whom will you give hope by sharing the Gospel?

Sunday, November 7th | The Righteousness of God "Missions" Romans 15:14-22

- [8] Rom 15:14-16 | For what 3 things does Paul commend his readers? Think of believers you know. For what could you commend them?
- [9] Rom 15:14-16 | How does Paul describe his "priestly duty" in v16? What were the results of this "duty"? What "priestly duties" has God given you?
- [10] Rom 15:17-22 | What are some indicators of confidence we see in Paul's life? How is confidence different from pride?
- [11] Rom 15:17-22 | To what does Paul credit his immense success in sharing the Gospel?
- [12] Rom 15:17-22 | What was the central point of Paul's message? What was Paul's ambition? What is your ambition?
- [13] Rom 15:14-22 | Where do you believe God has called you to share the Gospel? Why?

Sunday, November 14th | The Righteousness of God "Missions" Romans 15:23-33

- [15] Rom 15:23-29 | What was Paul's reason for going to Jerusalem? How does this contribution illustrate the unity of believers?
- [16] Rom 15:30-32; Ac 20:22-23 | What dangers was Paul facing as he went to Jerusalem? What specific prayer requests did Paul have?

- [17] Rom 15:30-32 | How does our assistance to & support of missionaries refresh both them & us? What part is God asking you to have in today's missionary efforts?
- [18] Rom 15:30-33 | Why is prayer for others important? What benefits do you receive when you pray for others?
- [19] Rom 15:33 | In what area of your life do you need the God of peace to minister to you today? Take time to pray & ask God to give you His peace.
- [20] Prayer is the key to successful work for the Lord. None of us can do God's work alone. Think of several people to partner with you in prayer & then ask them if they would be willing to do so.

Sunday, November 21st | The Righteousness of God "Missions" Rom 16:1-16

- [22] Rom 16:1-16 | Paul takes time to thoughtfully & intentionally greet & encourage people in his life. What deeds & qualities does Paul commend in these verses?
- [23] Rom 16:1-2 | What do you learn about service from Phoebe's example? Identify someone who has been a Phoebe in your life. How could you be like Phoebe at The Gathering?
- [24] Rom 16:3-5 | Identify someone who has been like Priscilla & Aquila to you – a co-worker or peer who has a similar position in life & a similar heart for ministry.
- [25] Rom 16:5 | Identify someone who is an Epernetus – a dear friend.
- [26] Rom 16:13 | Identify someone who is like Rufus's mother – someone who isn't your biological mother but has been like a mother in your life.
- [27] Rom 16:1-16 | The Gospel is meant to be lived out in community. Take time this week to send a note to the people in your life, telling them how you value them.

Sunday, November 28th | The Righteousness of God "Missions" Rom 16:17-27

- [29] Rom 16:17-20 | Summarize Paul's final appeal & his encouragement to the church.
- [30] Rom 16:17-19 | How can you recognize divisive & deceptive people? Describe a person today who is "wise about what is good & innocent about what is evil."
- [Dec 1] Rom 16:17-19 | Do you know what & why you believe? If you're unsure, seek out a mature believer with whom you can share your doubts & questions.
- [2] Rom 16:19 | What did Paul say his readers were known for in this verse? What do you think your reputation is among believers?
- [3] Rom 16:20 | How does v20 encourage you as you think about the battles you are facing today?
- [4] Rom 16:25-27 | For what did Paul give glory to God? How will you give glory to God for all He has done for you?