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Select Passages from Romans 1-3

BEAUTY = Something that causes your _____ and _____ to be in _____.

The most _____ thing in existence is a righteous God justifying sinners through the blood of Christ!

When we contemplate the beauty of salvation in the book of Romans what do we see?

God _____ His _____ and _____ (Romans 1:17-20, 2:8)

Sin is a self-destructive _____ for _____ (Romans 1:18-32, 3:10-18, 23)

Jesus Christ _____ sinners from God's wrath by shedding His _____ (Romans 3:21-26)

Justification is _____ as a gift of grace by those who _____ (Romans 3:21-31)

TIP Sheet (Take It Personal)

Use the below questions to aid you in making personal application of your study in the Word.

1. P David defined beauty as “something that causes our heart and mind to be in awe”. What are some things that you have seen or experienced that were beautiful?
2. READ: Acts 7:59-8:3 and 9:1-22
What did Paul (the author of Romans) believe about Jesus Christ before his salvation? What did Paul believe about Jesus after his salvation?
READ: Philippians 3:4-16 Using Paul’s own words, how does he describe the difference in his life before his salvation and after his salvation? What does Paul’s testimony of salvation reveal about the type of transformation we should experience by believing in Jesus Christ?
3. Besides righteousness and wrath, what are some characteristics of God that cause your heart and mind to be in awe?
4. READ: John 3:36; Colossians 3:5-6; 1 Thessalonians 1:9-10
According to these verses what is God’s wrath?
Who is going to receive the wrath of God?
5. What are some ways we tend to diminish or dismiss sin in our own lives? According to Romans 6:23 what are the wages we deserve to be paid for our sin? According to Romans 5:8 when did Jesus Christ die for our sin?
6. READ: Romans 1:21-32
How does the sin in the Roman culture in Paul’s day compare with the sin that is in our culture today?
Without the beauty of God’s salvation, where does our sin take us?
7. READ: Romans 3:21-26
Propitiation is a sacrifice that satisfies the just punishment of God’s wrath. How does knowing that Jesus bore the wrath of YOUR sin make your salvation more beautiful?
8. READ: 1 John 2:1-2, 4:10-11
What is it that qualifies Jesus Christ to be a propitiation for our sin?
What is to be our response to Jesus Christ being a propitiation for our sins?
9. Is justification something we can earn or deserve?
How do we obtain justification before God?
What are some way we attempt to justify ourselves before God?
10. If someone were to ask you what the most beautiful thing in existence is, what would you tell them? Who is someone in your life who needs to hear about the beauty of salvation!?!?