

## The Promise of the Gospel

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<sup>1</sup>Paul,

a servant of Christ Jesus,

called to be an apostle,

set apart for the **gospel** of God,

**<sup>2</sup>which he promised beforehand through his prophets in the holy Scriptures,**

<sup>3</sup>concerning his Son,

who was descended from David according to the flesh

<sup>4</sup>and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord,

<sup>5</sup>through whom we have received grace and apostleship

to bring about the obedience of faith for the sake of his name among all the nations,

<sup>6</sup>including you who are called to belong to  
Jesus Christ,

<sup>7</sup>To all those in Rome

who are loved by God and called to be saints:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord  
Jesus Christ.

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**1. The Treasure – What is the treasure? The Good News  
of God.**

<sup>2</sup>which he promised beforehand through his prophets in the  
holy Scriptures,

**2. The Timing of the Treasure – When was it buried?**

**• PROMISED: It Is Sure**

○ **The Promiser's Resources:**

○ **The Promiser's Disposition:**

**• IT IS PROMISED BEFOREHAND: God is in Control.**

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- 3. The Treasure Buriers – Who buried the treasure? The Prophets.**
  
- 4. The Treasure Location – Where did they burry the treasure?**
  - **The Place: Holy Scriptures**
    - **They are Special**
  
    - **They are Written**
  
  - **The Person: Christ**