

“The Gospel of God.1”

Amazed by Grace • part 1

Romans 1:1

INTRODUCTION

- the impact of the book of Romans

“[Romans is] the chief part of the the New Testament.”

– *Martin Luther*

“...if we have gained a true understanding of this Epistle, we have an open door to all the most profound treasures of Scripture.”

– *John Calvin*

- anticipated benefits of the book of Romans

OVERVIEW

- the author
 - + his credentials to write
 - + his place of writing
1 Cor. 1:14; Rom. 16:23
- the audience
 - + founding of the Church in Rome
 - + why they received this letter

- outline of the book

SIN (1:1-3:20)

SALVATION (3:21-5:21)

SANCTIFICATION (6:1-8:39)

SOVEREIGNTY (9:1-11:36)

SERVICE (12:1-16:27)

THE GOSPEL OF GOD

1. our identity

+ a “slave”

Ex. 21:5-6

+ an “apostle”

2. our calling

3. God’s gospel

Emmanuel Bible Notes

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