

I. Prescript to Romans (1-17)

1. Gospel Greeting: Spiritual Ministry (vv. 1-7)

1. The Author (v. 1).
2. The Glorious Gospel Parenthesis (vv. 2-6)
3. The Recipients (v. 7)

2. Gospel Fellowship: Spiritual Family (vv. 8-15 / The relationship between Paul and Rome).

1. Patterns: Our examples in Spiritual Family (vv. 8-10).

a. Example of Faith (Christians in the Church of Rome; v. 8)

b. Example of Gospel Motive Paul (Paul; vv. 8-9a).

c. **Example of Gospel Prayer (Paul vv. 9b-10)**

d. Example of Gospel Partnership-Paul (Paul; v. 10).

2. Giftedness – Ministry in Spiritual Family (vv. 11-13).

3. Imperative – The Obligation of Spiritual Ministry (14-15).

C. Gospel Philosophy for Living (vv.16-17)

The Example of Persistent Prayer Romans 1:9-10

• The Example of _____ Prayer (v. 10)

⁹For God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in the gospel of his Son, that without ceasing I mention you ¹⁰always in my prayers, asking that

somehow by God's will I may now at last succeed in coming to you.

- *Elijah* _____ (1 Kings 17:1).
- *Elijah* _____ (1 Kings 17:2-4):

Principle 1 - The Principle of _____ of Prayer – God's Priorities First – Elijah The _____ Praying Prophet (I Kings 17:1; 18:1).

- **The Example of _____ Prayer (v. 9)**

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- Elijah Confronts a King (1 Kings 18:15-19).

- Elijah Confronts a Country (1 Kings 18:20-21):
- Elijah Confronts False Prophets (vv. 22-40):

Principle 2- The Principle of Intercession in Prayer – Others Second – Elijah the _____ Praying Prophet

- **The Example of _____ Prayer (vv. 9-10)**

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- Elijah's 7-Fold Prayer (1 Kings 18:41-46)
- Elijah's Reason for Confidence (1 Kings 18:1)

Principle 3 – The Principle of _____ in Prayer –
Elijah the _____ Praying Prophet