

Romans 2

Bible Study

1. Before reading chapter two, read chapter 3:10 and then return and read chapter two of Romans and record any questions or thoughts that come to you as you read.
2. Why is it that Paul claims that no man (or woman) has an excuse before God?
Verses 1 through 4. See also Chapter 1: 18 - 32; 2 Samuel 12:5-7; Psalm 50:16-20; John 8:7.
3. What is Paul saying in verses 2 and 3 and to whom?
4. What does Paul mean by saying, "you are storing up wrath for yourself on the day of wrath"?
Verse 5. See also, Matthew 6:20, 11:22-24; Luke 12:42-48.

5. Does verse 6 and 7 mean that you can get to heaven by works alone?
See also Romans 3:10; Psalm 14:1-4, 53:1-3; Job 14:3, 15:14-15, 25:4; Jeremiah 17:9; Matthew 15:19.

6. What is Paul saying about how those outside the law, the Gentiles, are judged by the Law? Do they have the Law at all?
Verses 12-15. See also, Zechariah 5:1-4.

7. From verse 17 to the end of the chapter (and into chapter 3), Paul is speaking directly to the Jewish believers. What is he saying about their righteousness in the verses 17 through 24?

8. Who are the real Jews according to verses 25 through 29?
See also 1 Samuel 16:7; 1 Chronicles 29:17; Deuteronomy 10:16, 30:6; Jeremiah 4:4; Colossians 2:11-12.

9. What does the word, "Jew," mean? Consider from where it originates (ie. Etymology) .