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Romans: Rooted in Jesus Love Displayed

Romans 5:5-11

Questions and Discussion:

1. Paul uses the word “weak” to describe our condition. His point is not that we have some strength and just need a little help, but that we are unable to perform what is required. How does the text confirm this?
2. Paul urges us to boast in God’s undeserved grace displayed in the teaching of justification. What were the Jewish believers boasting in? Romans 2:17-29, 3:27-31. What is at the root of these boastings? How do they undermine the grace of God?
3. Discuss the ministry of the Holy Spirit in our lives. Part of his role is to assure us of God’s love, v5. Another role is to use hardships to conform us to Christ, vv3,4. He does more, but what do these roles communicate to you?
4. Paul uses a “more than” argument, vv9,11. If he saved us while enemies, he will certainly rescue us as reconciled, righteous friends. He uses a similar argument in Romans 8:31-37. What graces will God withhold from us if he did not spare his Son?
5. How does this text assure you of the glory in which you hope?