

The Book of Romans: Chapter 15

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(1 – 4) What is the attitude that Paul indicated that we should display towards others? How did he use Christ as an example of that attitude? How did Paul describe the hope that we should receive from the Scriptures? (*Psalm 69: 9; Philippians 2: 5 – 8*)

(5 – 6) How did Paul describe the importance of unity within a congregation? What is the basis of that unity, and what is the intended outcome? (*1 Corinthians 1: 10*)

(7 – 12) Describe how Paul used several Old Testament references to articulate the impact of Christ's sacrifice, particularly on the Gentiles. What additional perspective did Paul provide by reminding his Jewish audience that the Old Testament foretold of the fact that the Gentiles would be welcomed into the covenant? (*Psalm 18: 49; Deuteronomy 32: 43; Psalm 117: 1; Isaiah 11: 1; Isaiah 11: 10*)

(13 – 14) What commendation did Paul give to the Christians in Rome? What character traits did Paul mention, and how do those traits relate to God's expectations of faithful Christians? (*1 Peter 1: 3 – 5*)

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(15 – 16) How did Paul describe the tone of his writing? For what purpose had he used that tone, and what was the intended outcome?

(17 – 19) What points did Paul make regarding the scope and impact of his teaching? How did he describe his service to the Lord, and to whom did he give credit for his accomplishments? What can we learn and apply from Paul's perspective? (*1 Corinthians 3: 5 – 8*)

(20 – 21) What was the focus of Paul's teaching? Consequently, what criteria did Paul use to select those places where he would teach? Again, what can we learn and apply from Paul's example? (*Isaiah 52: 15*)

(22 – 24) Why had Paul been delayed in visiting the Christians in the city of Rome? What information did Paul convey about his future plans and intentions for visiting Rome?

(25 – 29) What task did Paul need to fulfill before he traveled to Rome? How did he describe the significance of the contribution that was gathered in Macedonia and Achaia for the saints in Jerusalem? (*1 Corinthians 16: 1 – 4*)

(30 – 33) What requests did Paul make to the Christians in Rome? What specific topics did Paul ask the Christians in Rome to address in prayer on his behalf? What can we learn and apply from Paul's example? (*James 5: 16*)