

The Righteousness of the Law

Romans Chapter 4 – pt 2

Theme Verses

[Rom 2:26] Therefore if the uncircumcision keep ***the righteousness of the law***, shall not his uncircumcision be counted for circumcision?

[Rom 8:3-4] For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God sending His Own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh: 4 That ***the righteousness of the law*** might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.

Outline of Chapter 4 – part 2

A. Vs 16-18, Example of Abraham

1. vs 16, Faith made it possible that it would be by grace
2. vs 16, Grace through faith made the promise sure to everyone
3. vs 18, Against hope, Abraham believed in Hope
4. Compare to Galatians 3:16

B. Vs 19-22, Not weak in Faith

1. His body “dead” and “deadness” of Sarah’s womb, Not Considered
2. Heb 11:11-12, “him as good as dead”
3. Heb 11:17-19, Abraham received Isaac from the dead, “in a figure”
4. See the pattern of life having victory over death
5. Staggered Not through unbelief
6. Strong in Faith, “Giving Glory to God”
7. He was Fully Persuaded

C. Vs 23-26, For Whom’s Sake was the record of Abraham written?

1. The history of the faith of Abraham was written for our sake
2. If we are persuaded by the faith of Abraham, we shall be blessed
3. Through his faith, we should be prompted to exercise faith

D. Gal 2:11-21, Paul and Peter in Antioch

1. Paul opposed Peter for his behavior
2. The issue: the Jews separating themselves from the Gentiles due to the teaching of the Law
3. Paul points out that the Jews believed on Christ because they knew they couldn’t keep the law perfectly either
4. The Jews had believed in Christ that they might be justified by “the faith of Christ”, vs 16
5. Salvation comes first, then living by the Faith of Christ should follow
6. Abraham is the example of how living as a saved person takes place

Davy Crockett Schedule

Event Runs from 3pm to 8pm

- Setup needs to be complete and cars away from booths by 2:45pm
- BAND will start playing at 8pm, recommend ending at 7pm to be able to get out of the area before dark
- Will need table, pop-up tent, chairs, Bibles, books, banner
- QUESTION: Does anyone want to drive the lawnmower train this year?