



Conclusion

Review of the Romans Road

There is no video provided for this lesson. This week in your group the idea is to review the Romans Road series. In the Review section, see how many of the Bible verses you can memorize; consider using this as a tool to lead a friend to Christ! Discuss the questions provided below.

Summary:

Four questions were posed and discussed on this journey. We called them Milestones.

- Where Do I Stand with God?
- How Do I Become a Christian?
- How Do I Grow?
- What is My New Purpose?

Our prayer each week has been -- *“Dear Lord, your word is a lamp unto our feet and a light unto our path. We take this journey together, down the Romans Road, knowing the destination is You. In Jesus Name, Amen”*

Review:

1. All of us have sinned.

Romans 3:23 All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

I make choices that separate me from God.

2. The penalty of our sin is death.

Romans 6:23 The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

My selfish choices result in a terrible debt that I can never repay on my own.

3. Christ died to save us from death.

Romans 5:8 God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Only Jesus can get me out of this mess!

4. To receive salvation we must confess Christ as our Lord and Savior.

Romans 10:9-10, 13 If you confess with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you

believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

I believe Jesus is the Son of God – I want him to save me and run my life from now on!

5. Salvation provides us peace with God through Jesus.

Romans 5:1, 8:1-2 Since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit of life set me free from the law of sin and death.

Because of my faith in Jesus, God accepts me – nothing can separate me from God any longer.

6. We are buried with Christ into his death and are raised to walk a new life.

Romans 6:3-4 Don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

Baptism demonstrates that God has made me a brand new person – I've surrendered my old life for a life worth living!

7. We grow to be more like Jesus through the Holy Spirit who lives within us.

Romans 6:5 Those who live following the Spirit are thinking about the things the Spirit wants them to do.

I don't have to travel alone – God's Spirit lives in me and helps me grow.

8. We are called to a new purpose for our lives!

Romans 12:1-2 In view of God's mercy, offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God – this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is – his good, pleasing and perfect will.

I want to live in a way that shows others what Christ can do with a life that gives praise to him!

Discussion Questions:

- Where are you along the Romans Road? How does it help you to see your Christian walk as a journey?
- Since we are all somewhere on this road, those of us who are farther along lead those who are on a place in the journey where we've already been. What can you do to lead someone else down the Romans Road?
- Write your own prayer asking God to draw you nearer to Him – the destination.