

## A Study of the Book of ROMANS

WITHOUT A DOUBT Romans 5:1-11

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**Introduction:** Today we are going to discover the only way to experience lasting peace, regardless of our outward circumstances.

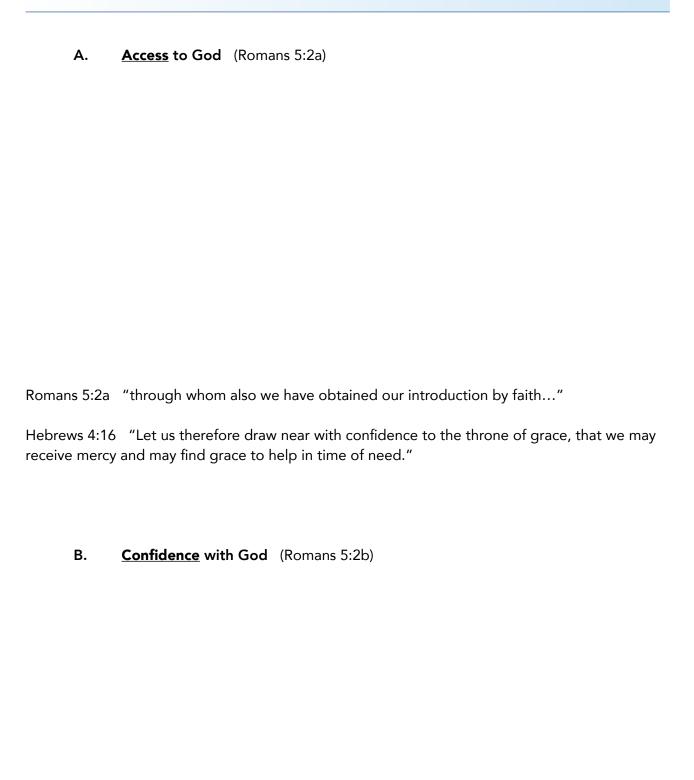
I. Peace With A Holy God (Romans 5:1-2)

Romans 5:1 "Therefore having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,"

Philippians 4:6-7 "<sup>6</sup> Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Let your requests be known to God and don't forget to thank Him for His answers. <sup>7</sup> Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus." (New Living Translation)

Colossians 1:21-22 "<sup>21</sup> And although you were formerly alienated and hostile in mind, engaged in evil deeds, <sup>22</sup> yet He [Christ] has now reconciled you in His fleshly body through death, in order to present you before Him holy and blameless and beyond reproach—"

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II. Hope In A Future Glory (Romans 5:2b)

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Colossians 1:27 "to whom God willed to make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory."

Exodus 33:19-23 "19 And He said, 'I Myself will make all My goodness pass before you, and will proclaim the name of the Lord before you; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show compassion on whom I will show compassion.' <sup>20</sup> But He said, 'You cannot see My face, for no man can see Me and live!' <sup>21</sup> Then the Lord said, 'Behold, there is a place by Me, and you shall stand there on the rock; <sup>22</sup> and it will come about, while My glory is passing by, that I will put you in the cleft of the rock and cover you with My hand until I have passed by. <sup>23</sup> Then I will take My hand away and you shall see My back, but My face shall not be seen.'"

III. Consolation In Present Suffering (Romans 5:3-5)

Romans 5:3a "And not only this, but we also exult in our tribulations,"

Romans 5:3b "...knowing that tribulation brings about perseverance;"

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IV.	<b>Assurance</b> Of Eternal Salvation	(Romans 5:6-11	)
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Romans 5:6-8 "<sup>6</sup> For while we were still helpless, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup> For one will hardly die for a righteous man; though perhaps for the good man someone would dare even to die. <sup>8</sup> But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us."

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Romans 5:9-10 "9 Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him. <sup>10</sup> For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life."

Conclusion