

Day 7

Read: Romans 1:1-2:29

What are 5 reasons you can have boldness in the Gospel?

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- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Scripture Memory

Write Romans 1:16 below

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For I am not ashamed of the Gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

Day 1

Read: Romans 1:1-17

Introduction: Notice the first word in Romans 1:16—"for". This word tells us why a person can be bold in the Gospel instead of being ashamed of the Gospel. In fact, Paul gives 5 reasons why we can be bold in the Gospel (1-17).

1. How were the Christians in Rome similar to Paul (1, 6-7)?
2. How was Jesus powerfully declared to be the Son of God (4)?
3. What did Paul ask the church at Ephesus to pray for him about (Ephesians 6:19)?
4. Are you encouraged to be bold in sharing the Gospel because your pastor is praying for you (8-10)?

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Day 6

Read: Romans 2:17-29

Introduction: When God will judge the secrets of men everyone will be found guilty before God (16). No one will be able to stand on their own merits for salvation, everyone is guilty before God.

1. What is God's viewpoint when you rely upon the Law for salvation (17, 23)?
2. What are some examples of relying upon the Law (21-23)?
3. Can anyone practice the Law perfectly (25, 3:10)?
4. Who is the true Jew—the one who is outwardly circumcised or the one who has been changed inwardly?

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Day 5

Read: Romans 2:1-16

Introduction: Did you notice the shift in pronouns from chapter 1 to chapter 2? Many people excuse themselves because they are not as wicked as the world, but Paul includes these people in chapter 2 because they cannot keep their own laws that they have made.

1. What are the two outcomes (7-8)?
2. When Paul mentions those who do good (7, 10), are there any who fit this category (3:10)?
3. If someone does not have God's Law, would they be excused from wrath (12)?
4. How did the Gentiles who did not receive the 10 commandments know what was right and wrong (14-15)?

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Day 2

Read: Romans 1:1-17

Introduction: You can have boldness because you are called in a similar way as the Apostle Paul (1, 6). You can also have boldness because your pastor is praying for you (8-10). You can have boldness because you are built up when you gather with your local church (11-13). You can be bold in the Gospel because you are obligated (14). Finally, you can be bold in the Gospel because it is the power of God (16).

1. Why did Paul feel the need to go to Rome instead of just writing a letter (11-13)?
2. Why was Paul compelled to preach the Gospel to all people (14)?
3. What does the Gospel do that is so powerful (16)?
4. The righteousness of God is obtained by faith apart from what (1:17; cf. 3:21)?

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Day 3

Read: Romans 1:18-32

Introduction: The Gospel is the power of God for salvation for all who believe. The Gospel is powerful. The Gospel takes a sinner and transfers God's righteousness to that person by faith. This is why the just or righteous live by faith not by works (1:17; 3:21).

1. What do the unrighteous do with truth (18)?
2. What evidence has God given that removes their excuse (19-20)?
3. What does God do to those who reject Him (24, 26, 28)?
4. What are some sins that God gives people over to (28-32)?

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Day 4

Read: Romans 2:1-16

Introduction: When someone suppresses the truth, then God gives them over to their own lusts (1:24, 26, 28). God removes the guardrails and lets that person dive head first into their sin. They not only dive head first into their sin, but they give approval to others who practice the same sins (1:32).

1. Notice the pronouns "they" or "them" in 1:18-32. Then notice the pronoun "you" in 2:1-6.
2. When you judge somebody and do the same things that they do, aren't you proving that you are guilty (3)?
3. When you reject the kindness of God, what are you actually doing (4-5)?

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