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**Message Title:** Romans- A retrospective from 8,150 feet

**This weeks focus scripture:** *The entire book!*

**This weeks memory challenge:** *Romans 1:16-17 For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile. For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed—a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: “The righteous will live by faith.”*

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† **Seeing the vista... *Romans 1:16-17***

† **The problem: *Romans 1:18-3:20***

- The Reality of Sin. *1:22, 25, 28*
- No Excuse- Why we need God! *2:1; 3:9-11, 20*

† **God’s solution: *Romans 3:21-6:23***

- The gift of Righteousness. *3:21-24*
- Justification by faith. *4:4-8, 23-24*
- The ‘how much more’! *5:1-2, 8-10*
- Our real problem (before Christ) isn’t that we’re sinners, it’s that we’re dead *5:12, 17, 20*
- Dead to sin, alive to Christ! *6:1-7, 9-11, 13-14, 23*

† **So, just how am I free? *Romans 7:1-8:39***

- Freedom from the law. *7:4-6, 10, 15, 18, 24-25*
- No condemnation! *8:1-4*
- The Spirit and the flesh. *8:13*
- Present Sufferings and the hope of glory. *8:18, 21, 26, 28, 31, 37-39*

† **The mystery of salvation. *Romans 9:1-11:36***

- God is God, we are not! *9:14-16, 20-24*
- Who do you say He is? *10:8-10*
- Beautiful feet. *10:14-15, 17*
- The mystery of God's sovereignty. *11:32-36*

† **How then shall we live? *Romans 12:1-15:13***

- The living sacrifice. *12:1-2*
- The greatest power. *12:9-10, 18, 21*
- Respecting authority. *13:1*
- Love fulfills the law. *13:9-10*
- Living in the light of eternity. *13:11*
- Love gets practical. *14:13-14, 19; 15:2*
- Loving God... *15:5-7*
- It all comes down to this. *15:13*

† **People like me. *Romans 15:14-16:23***

- We're all in this together. *15:14, 30; 16:16*

† **The view from 8,150 feet. *Romans 16:25-27***