



## Lesson 32 “Watch Your Step”

Romans 9:30-33

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Read John 8:21-24. Why will the Jews die in their sins, according to Jesus?

Read Galatians 2:16. How is a person justified (declared righteous) before God? Underline each time the word “faith” or “believed” appears in this passage.

What is that contrasted with?

Read Galatians 3:2-9. How was the Spirit given to us?

How was the Spirit *not* given? Knowing this, should we rely on our flesh to perfect us?

Who does Paul say are the sons of Abraham?

To whom does the promise given to Abraham apply?

Read Isaiah 8:14-15. What will the Lord be to all of Israel?

What will happen to them?

Read Isaiah 28:16. What has God laid in Zion?

What response from the people is beneficial to them?

Long before Jesus came, the Old Testament prophets predicted that Israel would reject her Messiah. Their unbelief that Paul is addressing Romans is absolutely consistent with Scripture, not inconsistent.

Read Romans 4:2-4. Where did Abraham’s righteousness come from? How is this different from what is received when we work?

Read 2 Timothy 1:8-12. What are we to share in?

Under what power?

Why did God save us?

What did Christ put an end to?

Why does Paul suffer?

Why is Paul unconcerned/unashamed?

Can you say the same thing?

As you spend time today with God, consider Paul's words in 2 Timothy. Do *you* know whom you have believed? Are *you* convinced that He is able to complete the work He began? Thank God for providing the justification for your sins in Christ's death on the cross. Ask Him to keep your heart soft, and to help you to respond to His call always in faith and trust that He is able to do all that He has promised to do.