

WORD OF GRACE

Part 17: I Know | Text: Romans 8:26-39

Romans 8:26, 27

The Holy Spirit is _____ us to pray in line with the will of God.

Ephesians 6:18 (NLT) | Luke 18:1 | Hebrews 4:15, 16 (NLT)

1. His finished work on Calvary empowers my prayers, and my prayer releases His work to manifest on earth.
2. Jesus is interceding for us so we can pray.
3. Jesus is the mediator between God and us as 1 Timothy 2:5 explains.
4. We are able to come boldly into the presence of the Heavenly Father because we are blood-washed and reconciled. Christ has also separated us from the dominion of darkness. Job 9:31, 32; Zechariah 3:1-5

1 Kings 18:41-45

Elijah did not produce rain; he _____ God's power, which released the rain that was promised. The promise tells us that it is done, but power must be released through prayer so we can have manifestation.

Habakkuk 3:4 | Luke 9:29 | Revelation 21:23

Job 36:32 (NLT) He fills his hands with lightning bolts. He hurls each at its target.

Romans 8:28-30 (NIV) | Romans 8:29, 30 (MSG)

Key Thoughts:

- We know: eido: John 8:19
- Works: Sunergeo: cooperation with us; joins us in the work. 2 Cor. 6:1
- Foreknowledge: To know beforehand. 1 Peter 1:19, 20
- Predestined: It is God's plan that was laid out so we could enter into it by grace. Ephesians 2:10
- Called: By name for a purpose.
- Justified: Acquitted and declared righteous.
- Glorified: End result of sanctification. (God's finish line for me)

John 8:19 (NLT) "Where is your father?" they asked. Jesus answered, "Since you don't know who I am, you don't know who my Father is. If you knew me, then you would know my Father, too."

Ephesians 2:10 (NLT) For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so that we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.

Romans 8:31-39

What shall we say to all of these truths?

I have eternal promises and a proven promise _____, so I am assured that I can rest in the hands of a loving Father.

- Death
- Resurrection
- Ascension
- Intercession

John 6:35-40 | John 10:7-10 | Romans 5:6-9 | Ephesians 2:7

Ephesians 1:11, 12 In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will, (12) in order that we, who were the first to hope in Christ, might be for the praise of his glory.

Ephesians 4:16 (NLT) Under his direction, the whole body is fitted together perfectly. As each part does its own special work, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love.

Bottom Line:

No Condemnation -- No Separation

D12 Group Discussion Questions

1. Discuss the statements under Romans 8:26, 27.
2. Give testimonies of the Holy Spirit prompting you to pray.
3. Discuss 1 Kings 18:41-45.
4. Talk about the sequence listed in Romans 8:28-30.
5. Discuss the verses listed under Romans 8:31-39.

Prayer Focus

Pray for our brothers and sisters in the Middle East who are under tremendous persecution and pressure. Especially pray for the Khalif's in Jordan.