Group Scripture Study at home and arrive to Church ready for discussion.

Book of ROMANS 3 – Kingdom Men Homework for February 21st

We are planning for robust conversation. We will learn from each other. Each one of us has something to offer. We will read through Romans 3 stopping along the way to discuss the items listed below.

The Bible is the best commentary on the Bible. However, feel free to use other commentaries or concordance. They can be on-line or printed.

1. The last 2 chapters and this one discuss a lot of aspects in regards to pagan man, moral man, and religious man.

What is the purpose of the law?

- 2. Definitions, site your source.
 - a. Romans 3:2 "oracles of God"
 - b. Romans 3:5 "Righteousness of God"
 - c. Romans 3:24 "propitiation"
 - d. Romans 3:27 "law of faith"
- 3. Old Testament, where?
- a. Romans 3:4 " That you may be justified in your words, and may overcome when you are judged".
- b. Romans 3:10-18 in this set of verses Paul cites seven OT passages. Pick 3 or more and find them in the OT.

¹⁰ As it is written:

"There is none righteous, no, not one;

¹¹There is none who understands;

There is none who seeks after God.

12They have all turned aside;

They have together become unprofitable;

There is none who does good, no, not one." 13"Their throat is an open tomb; With their tongues they have practiced deceit"; "The poison of asps is under their lips"; 14"Whose mouth is full of cursing and bitterness." ¹⁵"Their feet are swift to shed blood; ¹⁶Destruction and misery are in their ways; ¹⁷And the way of peace they have not known."

- ¹⁸"There is no fear of God before their eyes."
- 4. What is Paul describing when he says in verse 31
- "Do we then make void the law through faith? Certainly not! On the contrary, we establish the law.".
- 5. Dig deep, in 500bc Socrates said this, "It may be that deity can forgive sins, but I do not see how". Take some time and think of this and write what you think it means and give how a righteous God can forgive sins.
- 6. PRAY FOR GOD TO REVEAL TO YOU WHERE YOU NEED HIS HELP. In class exercise. You will NOT be required to share what GOD revealed.
- a. Do you boast in the works of your hands or in the life that you live? Sometimes thinking that your better than someone else.
- b. Is your walk with Christ based on faith? That we are saved because we believe that Christ died for us?
- 7. New Wisdom: What part of Romans 3 spoke to you personally. What did you learn that you didn't know before?