Romans 1:1-7

Divine Righteousness Revealed

Rom 1:1-7



Answering Eight Questions

Who wrote it? Paul

Who was it written to? <u>Roman believers</u>

• Where was it written from? <u>Corinth</u>

When was it written? <u>A.D. 57</u>



Answering Eight Questions

• Why was it written? <u>Doctrinal foundation</u>

• What is inside? <u>7 part outline</u>

What is it about? <u>Righteousness</u>

What makes the book different?
 <u>Theological formality</u>



Structure

Salutation (1:1-17) ■ Sin (1:18–3:20) ■ Salvation (3:21–5:21) ■ Sanctification (6–8) Sovereignty (9–11) Service (12:1–15:13) Conclusion (15:14–16:27)



Introduction (Rom 1:1-7)

• Writer (Rom 1:1)

Subject (Rom 1:2-6)

Recipients (Rom 1:7)



Writer (Rom 1:1)



3 items

Bond servant of Jesus Christ
An apostle
Set apart unto the Gospel



Subject (Rom 1:2-6)

Two items

Predicted in the OT (2)

Centered in Jesus Christ (3-6)

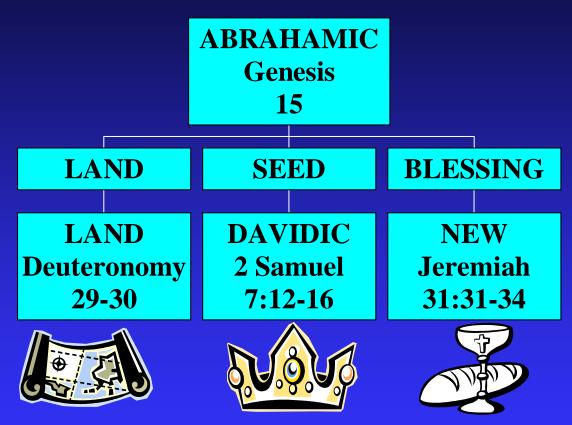


Subject (Rom 1:2-6)

Six items about Jesus Christ (3-6) ♦ His Sonship (3a) ♦ His royal identity (3b) ♦ His humanity (3c) ◆ His authentication (4a) ♦ His Lordship (4b) ◆ His gift (5-6)



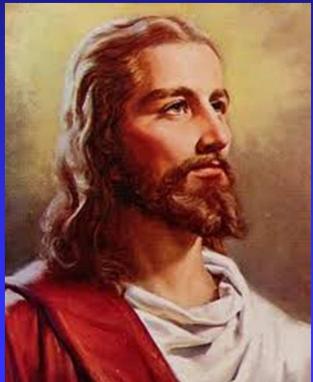
Abrahamic Covenant



Unconditional covenant with a conditional blessing (Deut. 28; Lev. 26)

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His Gift (Rom 1:5-6)

 \blacksquare Grace (5a)

◆To Paul (5b)

◆ To the Romans (6)



Recipients (Rom 1:7)

Rome

Grace

Beloved of God
Called to be Saints
Peace



Review (Rom 1:1-7)

• Writer (Rom 1:1)

Subject (Rom 1:2-6)

Recipients (Rom 1:7)

