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# What The Gospel Means To Us

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Rom. 1:14-18

Expository

I Paul's personal involvement with Rome.

Intr.

- 1. Debtor to all men. vs. 13-14. Acts 9:15-16.
- 2. Ready to preach gospel at stronghold of enemy. 15.
- 3. Not ashamed to compare gospel to any message.
- 4. Power of God unto salvation. Acts 4:12, Gal. 1:8-9, John 14:6.

II Inferences of Paul about these people.

- Vs. 13 1. They capable of bearing fruit for God. John 15:5.
- " 14 2. They needed something Paul had. Rom. 10:17.
- " 15 3. They to have opportunity to be saved.
- " 16 4. They must judge the merits of the Gospel.

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III What did Paul teach when he got there?

Vs. 1

1. Gospel - original = news for great things.  
Later = good news itself.  
anglican = God spel - Good news + God's news.

2. Gospel reviewed and explained.

Vs. 2

Vs. 3

Vs. 4

Vs. 5-9

- a. The message that brings salvation. Rom. 1:17.
- b. Christ died for our sins. Heb. 10:16-17. Heb. 9:22.
- c. Buried + rose again. Good news. John 11:25-26.
- d. Seen of witnesses. Aristotelian logic B.C. 350. Proof!
- 1. Peter.
- 2. Rest of apostles. Men lie for impact. For a lie? See acct.
- 3. Above 500 brethren. Why not enemies? none so blind...
- 4. James, then the apostles again.
- 5. Last seen of me - born again = cheap - abnormally late. out of due season.

Conclusion: Vs. 12-28. Heaven is just ahead for the Christian.

Intr.

alien sinner: what gospel mean to you? Dal!! B.R.G.B  
sinning brother: what has it meant to you?  
what does it mean? Nothing? me home to God. R-P.