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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

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NATIONS IN CONFLICT

:00-6:00 Overview of Romans 8 and its significance to the current culture.

6:00 Romans 8:5-8 Reading. The term translated flesh from the Greek (Sarx), is best understood as the sinful nature and not the physical body (Soma). Reference Isaiah 40:6-8.

9:30 Romans 8:5-8 Two natures: The Sinful and the Spiritual. The person lives according to the dominant nature. Teaching on Life through the Spirit as opposed to Life in the Flesh. The mind controlled by the sinful nature leads to death, but the mind controlled by the Spirit leads to life and peace. Blessedness in Life: Everyone wants it, some search for it, few find it. Reference Psalm 128:1

20:30 Teaching on Romans 8:5-8 continues. Reference Matthew 7:21. The sinful nature is mostly manifested in the exalting of self and humanism over the authority of God. You can only please God if you are submitted to him.

24:25 Romans 8:9-17 All Christians have the Spirit within – however not all Christians are yielded to Him. Reference John 14:15-17.

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27:00 Romans 1:4 Jesus was confirmed as God, through the resurrection, in the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 8:11 that same Holy Spirit can quicken you and resurrect you if you yield.

28:15 Romans 8:12-14. Teaching. Being led by God – The Holy spirit. The blending of the written word with the Holy Spirit in discerning God's will for us. It is not a matter of praying for the revelation of his will; it is yielding to receive his will beforehand. Lord I choose your will, lead me this day into it. Reference Ecclesiastes 9:7-10; Acts 4:28.

34:05 Romans 8:15-17 Teaching on being a slave. Short story from Lincoln's biography.

Spirit of Sonship – We belong to God's family and the Spirit testifies with our spirit to the familial relationship.

39:30 Romans 8:17 Heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ.

40:00 Galatians 4:4-7 We, (all who are redeemed, both male and female) are sons with full rights.

Rom. 8:5 Those who live according to the sinful nature have their minds set on what that nature desires; but those who live in accordance with the Spirit have their minds set on what the Spirit desires. 6 The mind of sinful man is death, but the mind controlled by the Spirit is life and peace; 7 the sinful mind is hostile to God. It does not submit to God's law, nor can it do so. 8 Those controlled by the sinful nature cannot please God.

Psa. 128:1 Blessed are all who fear the LORD,
who walk in his ways.

Rom. 8:9 You, however, are controlled not by the sinful nature but by the Spirit, if the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Christ. 10 But if Christ is in you, your body is dead because of sin, yet your spirit is alive because of righteousness. 11 And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit, who lives in you.

Rom. 8:12 Therefore, brothers, we have an obligation—but it is not to the sinful nature, to live according to it. 13 For if you live according to the sinful nature, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live, 14 because those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. 15 For you did not receive a spirit that makes you a slave again to fear, but you received the Spirit of sonship. And by him we cry, “Abba, Father.” 16 The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. 17 Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

John 14:15 “If you love me, you will obey what I command. 16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever—17 the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

Rom. 1:4 and who through the Spirit of holiness was declared with power to be the Son of God by his resurrection from the dead: Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Eccl. 9:7 Go, eat your food with gladness, and drink your wine with a joyful heart, for it is now that God favors what you do. 8 Always be clothed in white, and always anoint your head with oil. 9 Enjoy life with your wife, whom you love, all the days of this meaningless life that God has given you under the sun—all your meaningless days. For this is your lot in life and in your toilsome labor under the sun. 10 Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with all your might, for in the grave, where you are going, there is neither working nor planning nor knowledge nor wisdom.

Acts 4:28 They did what your power and will had decided beforehand should happen.

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Gal. 4:4 But when the time had fully come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under law, 5 to redeem those under law, that we might receive the full rights of sons. 6 Because you are sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out, “*Abba*, Father.” 7 So you are no longer a slave, but a son; and since you are a son, God has made you also an heir.