

1. **Pray:** ask God to open your mind, soul and spirit to His teaching through His Word
2. **Think:** the questions are designed to expand your knowledge of God and His Word
3. **Begin:** using only your Bible, answer the questions without other outside sources

Lesson Three: Romans 2

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1. According to verse 1, who is without excuse and why?
2. What is the problem about the judgments we make?
3. What is God's judgment based upon according to verses 2 and 11?
Does this bring you comfort or discomfort and why?
4. a) According to verse 5, what two things will store up God's wrath for you?

b) Name an area where you are stubborn and then name an area where you have been unrepentant.

What are you going to do to change these areas?

5. a) According to verse 7, what does it take to receive eternal life instead of wrath?

b) Do you think this teaches salvation by doing good deeds? What do you think it does mean? To help you with your answer look up and summarize the following verses:

Ephesians 2:8-10

Romans 4:2-3

Hebrews 10:38

Hebrews 11:1-40

James 2:14-26

Summary:

6. Explain the different standards that people follow from verses 12–16.

Who is God talking about?

7. a) What day do you think verse 16 is talking about?

b) What will be exposed on that day?

c) What is a secret in your life that would shame you if anyone knew?

Is this a secret that has not been confessed to God for forgiveness? What are you going to do about this or what have done about this?

8. a) In verses 17–24, who is Paul directly challenging?

b) According to these verses, what advantage did the Jews have over other people?

9. Verses 21–24 speak of hypocrisy. Name an area where you say one thing but do another.

Going Deeper:

10. Circumcision was an outward sign of faith for the Jew. However, God states that this is not true circumcision. a) What is true circumcision?

b) What are some outward signs of our Christianity?

c) Does your heart match these outward signs?

Write out and memorize:

Romans 2:11