

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 Twenty Eight: Romans 14:1—23

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1.
 - a) What would you consider disputable matters among believers spoken about in verse 1?

 - b) What would you consider non-disputable matters?

 - c) In your judgment of other Christians, are you judging over disputable or non-disputable matters?
2. What is the proper attitude towards people who live (given by the eating example) differently from you?
3. According to verse 8, what should be the motivating force as believers behind all of our practices?
4.
 - a) Name some of the Christian practices you live and then share if they are truly done to the Lord or done for some other reason.

 - b) If they are done for other reasons, what are those reasons?
5.
 - a) Who should be the only judge according to verses 9 & 10 and why does He have the authority to judge?

 - b) What do you think *we will all stand before God's judgment seat* means?

6. In verses 13 – 21, God commands you to do something positive in contrast to judging others. According to verses 13-17, what is the positive action you must do with a brother who is weaker or lives differently than you?

7. Verse 21 sums up verses 13—20. a) Give an example from your life where you have given up something so that a brother or sister in the Lord would not stumble.

b) Give an example of someone who caused you to stumble by his or her behavior.

8. What do you think verse 22 means?

9. a) What practice do you live and you have doubt about?

b) Why do you live this practice then if it causes you doubt?

Going deeper:

10. Who have you judged wrongly and what will you do about it?

11. Write out and memorize verse 8.