

# Romans Complete Amplified Outline

Compiled for the *Daybreak & Discovery* series

- I. Introduction (1:1-17)
  - A. Greetings to the Romans (1:1-7)
  - B. Paul's concern for the believers in Rome (1:8-15)
  - C. Theme (1:16-17)
- II. God's plan of salvation (1:18—11:36)
  - A. The need: the human race is universally guilty (1:18—3:20)
    1. The heathen are guilty (1:18-32)
      - a. Light is given (1:18-20)
      - b. Light is rejected (1:21-23)
      - c. Depravity is the result (1:24-32)
    2. The unconverted are guilty though moral (2:1-9)
    3. God's law applies to all (2:10-16)
    4. The Jews are guilty (2:17—3:20)
      - a. Knowing the Law, they break it (2:17-29)
      - b. Having the advantage of the Law, they did not believe (3:1-8)
    5. Recap: all are guilty (3:9-20)
  - B. God's remedy (3:21—8:39)
    1. Justification by faith (remission of past sins) (3:21—5:21)
      - a. Provided by Blood of Jesus (3:21-26)
      - b. Obtained by faith (3:27-31)
      - c. Abraham an example (4:1-25)
        - (1) Not by works (4:1-8)
        - (2) Not by circumcision (4:9-12)
        - (3) Not by the Law (4:13-25)
      - d. Effects and blessings of justification by faith (5:1-11)
      - e. Differences between Adam and Christ (5:12-21)
    2. Entire sanctification (freedom from inbred sin) (6:1—8:39)
      - a. Freed from sin (6:1-11)
      - b. Now submit to righteousness (6:12-23)
      - c. Delivered from the Law (justified) (7:1-13)
      - d. Carnal nature (7:14-25)
      - e. Power over sin (entire sanctification) (8:1-14)
      - f. Assurance in Christ (8:15-39)
        - (1) Children of God (8:15-17)
        - (2) Glory ahead (8:18-25)
        - (3) Help of the Spirit (8:26-30)
        - (4) Triumph in difficulties (8:31-39)
  - C. Illustrated by Israel's history (9:1—11:36)
    1. Israel had not believed in the past (9:1-29)
      - a. Paul's burden for the Jews (9:1-5)
      - b. Promises obtained by faith, not by bloodline (9:6-13)
      - c. In sovereignty, God shows mercy (9:14-18)
      - d. God is just and His purposes inscrutable (9:19-29)
      - e. Redemption dependent on faith (9:30-33)
    2. Israel rejected Christ (10:1-21)
      - a. Zeal for the Law (10:1-5)
      - b. Should have believed (10:6-13)
      - c. Refusal to believe (10:14-21)
    3. Israel's hope (11:1-36)
      - a. Some will understand and believe (11:1-10)
      - b. Way opened for the Gentiles (11:11-24)
      - c. Israel will be saved (11:25-32)
      - d. Doxology (11:33-36)

- III. The results of salvation (12:1—15:13)
  - A. Live holy toward brethren (12:1-21)
    - 1. Be a living sacrifice (12:1-2)
    - 2. Members of Body of Christ (12:3-8)
    - 3. Practical precepts (12:9-21)
  - B. Live holy under government (13:1-7)
  - C. Live holy in society (13:8-14)
  - D. Liberty: don't judge (14:1-12)
  - E. Liberty: don't offend (14:13-23)
  - F. Live holy by strengthening others (15:1-6)
  - G. Live holy in fellowship (15:7-13)
- IV. Conclusion (15:14—16:27)
  - A. Paul's purpose for the letter (15:14-21)
  - B. Travel plans (15:22-33)
  - C. Greetings to friends in Rome (16:1-16)
  - D. Warnings (16:17-20)
  - E. Greetings from believers in Corinth (16:21-23)
  - F. Final benediction (16:24-27)