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TEXT: **Romans 5:3-11**
TITLE: **Jargon**

noun: special words used by a particular group; difficult for others to understand

Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ: by whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Romans 5:1-2

INTRODUCTION

- two weeks ago, we defined the term **JUSTIFICATION**
= **to declare righteous**
- notice **verse 1** and **verse 9**
we have...
we shall be...

What's in this for me?

Deuteronomy 28:2

And all these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God.

Proverbs 10:6

Blessings are upon the head of the just:

Ephesians 1:3

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:

so often, I have people tell me they are blessed, and we *are*...but HOW are we blessed? what does that mean? how are we impacted by those blessings?

features on Shelly's car

PLAY WITH THE BUTTONS

features on my cell phone

The Blessings That Follow Justification

1. **PEACE WITH GOD**
2. **PRIVILEGE OF GRACE**
3. **PROMISE OF GLORY**

4. **PATTERN OF GROWTH** **verses 3-4**

And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience; and patience, experience; and experience, hope:

notice the **CYCLE** Paul describes:

tribulation...patience...experience...hope

MATURITY is what we should all desire in life

...and there can't be **GROWTH** without **GRIEF**

Ephesians 4:14-15

That we henceforth be no more children...but may grow up into him in all things...

Paul does not state we should rejoice *in spite of* our tribulations, but rather, **BECAUSE** of them

that's the mark of real maturity

"God trusted me with this."

Romans 8:17-18

And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together. For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

2 Corinthians 4:8-10

We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed; always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our body.

NOTE: we see this pattern worked out in the life of Job: first satan buffeted his body and life (this tribulation brought patience); then his friends accused him of secret sin (this tried his patience but produced experience); in God's hands, Job obtained a precious hope

James 1:2-4

My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations; knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.

for me, the experience gained stands out in this passage...this seems to indicate a lesson has been learned and its time to move on to the next stage of growth in life

...as a husband

...as a parent

...as a parent

2 Corinthians 4:17

For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory;

5. PROOF OF THE GIFT verses 5-8

And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us. For when we were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. For scarcely for a righteous man will one die: yet peradventure for a good man some would even dare to die. But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

the hope that comes from experiencing growth in our justification will never let us down or even disappoint us

after 34 years of marriage, she's still here

so many never enjoy their salvation because they can't rest in the fact that God loved them enough to save them and **KEEP** them saved

shed abroad = poured out

John 3:16 For God so loved the world...

Ephesians 5:25 ...Christ loved the church

Galatians 2:20 ...loved me and gave himself

God loved **YOU** so much that He gave His only Son to die in your place...something people won't do for each other

and even if they did, it would not be enough to save them eternally from Hell

NOTE: this is the first specific mention of the Holy Spirit in the book of *Romans*, and He is a gift...it is also the first mention of **LOVE**

Colossians 1:27

...Christ in you, the hope of glory

6. PROTECTION FROM GRIEVANCE vs 9-10

Much more then, being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him. For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life.

how can a God who loves us so much that He would send His Son to die for us, then take away that free gift of salvation at the end of our lives???

much more 2x

Paul plainly states that the believer is saved from wrath...that is the judgment that would result in loss of salvation

Romans 8:34

Who is he that condemneth? It is Christ that died, yea rather, that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us.

Hebrews 7:25

Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them.

1 Thessalonians 1:10

And to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, even Jesus, which delivered us from the wrath to come.

see also **1 Thessalonians 5:9**

John 14:19

...because I live, ye shall live also.

**Christ died to save us;
He lives to keep us saved.**

NOTE: last will and testament...executor

Luke 22:20

This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you.

7. PLEASURE IN GOD **verse 11**

And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement.

atonement = to reconcile

verse 10 reconciled to God

God was never reconciled to us...He has always been perfect and holy

rather, we were reconciled to
the demands of His Law

as a result, we **REJOICE** in God's presence, and enjoy that fellowship

cf **Genesis 3:8-10**

And they heard the voice of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God amongst the trees of the garden. And the LORD God called unto Adam, and said unto him, Where art thou? And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.

Luke 15:20

And he arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.

NOTE: **Ephesians 2:11-18** outlines the work of Christ whereby He brought us to God...with the intention we should rejoice in Him

For through him we both have access
by one Spirit unto the Father.

both = Jews and Gentiles