

Transformation Card

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Text: Romans 9:30-33
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Message Outline

Righteousness by Faith Not Works

Rom 9:30-33

- I. The Gentile's Exercising of God Given Faith Led to Righteousness**
- II. While Israel's Own Pursuit of the Law Did NOT Lead to Righteousness**
- III. What are We to Conclude?**

Examine the Scriptures (Be Berean!)

Romans 3; 4:1-22; Gal 3:1-29

Isaiah 28:16; 8:14; 1 Peter 2:4-10

Psalm 118:1-29; Mat 21:42 and parallels; Acts 4:11-12; Eph 2:20

Consider & Discuss (Be Transformed!)

- What do you make of the difference in objects of the Gentiles "attaining" and Israel's not "arriving"?
- What divine activities have been the focus of previous context?
- Where do you see that divine activity in this passage?
- What human activity is in focus in this passage?
- Who or what is the "stone of stumbling"?
- **Community Group Focus Question:** In what way does Israel's stumbling over Jesus in Paul's day explain why it is that the Jews are not by-in-large embracing Jesus as God's Messiah; and what implication does that have in our lives?

Memory & Meditation Verse

"BEHOLD I LAY IN ZION A STONE OF STUMBLING AND A ROCK OF OFFENSE, AND HE WHO BELIEVES IN HIM WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED." Romans 9:33 (NASB).

Community Life

- Good Friday, April 18th
- Easter Sunday, April 20th

Next Week

Romans 10. Read all Romans 10; we will focus on verses 1-4.