Romans Reminders:

• What?

- What is it about? It is about Being Right with God through the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.
- What is it? It is a letter written by Paul to Roman believers.
- When?
 - When is it written? It is written about 67 AD, as Paul finished his third missionary journey.
- Who?
 - Who wrote it? Paul wrote it as an Apostle by Office, identifying as a bond servant of Jesus who is set apart for the Gospel
- Why?
 - Why is it so important? It is the Grace groups from God the Holy Spirit to a church that Paul had not yet visited.
 - Why does Paul write Romans? Paul is wanting to make sure they are on the same page with the Gospel as he endeavors to head to them on his way to Spain.

Overview of Opening Paragraph

 Prophecy about this Person of the Gospel: Revelation (v. 2)

²which he promised beforehand through his prophets in the holy Scriptures,

 Parentage of this Person of the Gospel: Royalty (v. 3)

³concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh

• Power in this Person of the Gospel: Resurrection (v. 4)

⁴and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord,

The Royal Mystery of the Gospel Romans 1:3

1. The Gospel is Concerning Jesus, The Son of God.

³concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh

• What does Son of God mean?

As God's Son, Jesus is God.

• When did Jesus become the Son?

He has always been the Son (Psalm 2:7-12)

- 2. The Gospel is Concerning Jesus, The Son of David.
- Who is David?
 - Israel's Shepherd Boy
 - Israel's Greatest King
 - o Israel's Valiant Warrior
 - Israel's Worship Leader

- o Israel's Failed Father
- Who is David's Son?
 - One with An Eternal Kingship (2 Samuel 7:12-17; Psalm 89:3-4)
 - One with A Just Rule (Isaiah 11:1-5; Jeremiah 23:5-6).
 - One with An International Rule (Isaiah 11:10).
 - One with A Rule of Peace and Prosperity (Jeremiah 33:14-17; Psalm 118).
 - One Who is able to also be an everlasting High Priest (Psalm 110).

3. The Gospel is Concerning Jesus, the Son of God and Son of David.

We need a Divine King Who will rule forever over all nations with a rule of peace and prosperity.

PALM SUNDAY DECLARES THAT WE HAVE ONE IT IS JESUS!