

I. Prescript to Romans (1-17)

1. Gospel Greeting: Spiritual Ministry (vv. 1-7)

1. The Author (v. 1).
2. The Glorious Gospel Parenthesis (vv. 2-6)
3. The Recipients (v. 7)

2. Gospel Fellowship: Spiritual Family (vv. 8-15 / The relationship between Paul and Rome).

1. Patterns: Our examples in Spiritual Family (vv. 8-10)
 - a. Example of Faith (Christians in the Church of Rome; v. 8)
 - b. Example of Gospel Motive Paul (Paul; vv. 8-9a).
 - c. Example of Gospel Prayer (Paul vv. 9b-10)
 - d. Example of Gospel Partnership-Paul (Paul; v. 10).
2. Partnership – Ministry in Spiritual Family (vv. 11-13).
 - a. Need for spiritual strengthening (v. 11).
 - b. Need for Spiritual encouragement (v. 12).
 - c. Need for spiritual fruit (v.13).
3. Imperative – The Obligation of Spiritual Ministry (14-15).

C. Gospel Philosophy for Living (vv.16-17)

Unashamed by Faith for All

Romans 1:16

Romans 1:16–17 (NASB95)

¹⁶For I am not ashamed of the gospel,
for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone
who believes, to the Jew first and also to the
Greek.

¹⁷For in it the righteousness of God is revealed
from faith to faith; as it is written, “BUT THE
RIGHTEOUS man SHALL LIVE BY FAITH.”

Opening Illustration

- ◆ **Our Bold Declaration – I Stand Unashamed.**
 - ⇒ **What is the status? Unashamed**
 - ⇒ **What is he unashamed of? The Gospel**
- ◆ **Our Solid Reason for a Bold Declaration:**
 - ⇒ **It unleashes God’s saving power.**
 1. **What is demonstrated by the Gospel? God’s Power**
 2. **What is the manifestation of this power? Salvation**
 3. **What is the condition unleashing this condition? Everyone who believes.**

I Stand Unashamed of the Gospel.

“Because it is the power of God for Salvation.”

⇒ **It unveils a right standing with God is open for all who will believe.**

1. The Unlimited Condition – Faith

- **Know the Facts**
- **Affirm the Facts**
- **Trust the Facts.**

2. The Universal Categories

- **Who First?**
- **Who Also?**

- ◆ **I stand unashamed because the Gospel is powerful.**
- ◆ **I stand unashamed because the Gospel is for everyone.**
- ◆ **I stand unashamed because the Gospel makes me right with God.**