

## LET GOD BE GOD!

*Grace: God's Power to Change Your Life-Week 28*

### Romans 9:1-33

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#### I. OVERVIEW OF ROMANS 9-11

Theme: How God's plan for the Jews demonstrates His character.

Chapter 9: Israel's past & God's sovereignty

Chapter 10: Israel's present & God's fairness

Chapter 11: Israel's future & God's faithfulness

#### II. HOW THE JEWS WERE GOD'S "CHOSEN PEOPLE"

(9:1-5)

Paul lists 8 special privileges the Jews were given by God.

#### III. ON WHAT BASIS DID GOD CHOOSE ISRAEL?

(9:6-18)

God's choice of the Jews illustrates 4 principles of salvation:

##### 1. SALVATION IS BASED ON GOD'S GRACE, NOT OUR RACE. (vs. 6-7)

Racial Israel: Believing Jews  
Non-Believing Jews

Real Israel: Believing Jews  
Believing Gentiles

2. SALVATION IS BASED ON GOD'S PROMISE, NOT OUR PREFERENCE. (vs. 8-9)

3. SALVATION IS BASED ON GOD'S PROVIDENCE, NOT OUR PERFORMANCE. (vs. 10-13)

4. SALVATION IS BASED ON GOD'S MERCY, NOT OUR MERIT. (vs. 14-18)

#### IV. MAN'S OBJECTION (9:19-21)

Isaiah 55:8-9

Conclusion: (vs.25-33)