

Romans

Our state before salvation

The Biblical record of our state before salvation

Chapter 1

1. In need of instruction to be obedient. 1:5
2. In need of spiritual encouragement 1:12
3. men are ungodly 1:18
4. men are unrighteous 1:18
5. we suppress the truth 1:18
6. we clearly see the truth, but... 1:19-20
7. we are without excuse 1:21
8. we did not honor God 1:21
9. we did not give God thanks 1:21
10. we became futile in our thinking 1:21
11. our minds were darkened 1:21
12. we claimed to be wise, but became fools 1:22
13. we exchanged the glory of God for animals 1:23
14. God gave us over to sexual impurity 1:24-27
15. we traded the truth of God for a lie 1:25
16. we worshiped created idols rather than the Creator 1:25
17. God gave us over to a depraved mind 1:28
18. we were filled with evil, greed, depravity, envy, murder
strife, deceit, malice, gossips, slanderers, God-haters,
insolent, arrogant, boastful, inventors of evil, disobedient
to parents, senseless, faithless, heartless, ruthless 1:27-31
19. we knew the consequences, did it anyway, rooted others on 1:32

Chapter 2

1. we are without excuse, judging others, doing the same 2:1
2. we understand the justice of God in judgment 2:2
3. we show contempt on the patience of God 2:3-4
4. we have a stubborn and unrepentant heart 2:5
5. we all have a "law bearing" conscience 2:12-16
6. we condemn others while ignoring our own sins 2:17-24

Chapter 3

1. no one is righteous 3:10-11
2. no one understands 3:11
3. no one, of themselves, seek God 3:11
4. we all turned away from God 3:12

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5. we all became worthless 3:12
6. no one does good, not even one 3:12
7. our throats are like open graves 3:13
8. our tongues practice deceit 3:13
9. the poison of vipers is on our lips 3:13
10. our mouths are full of cursing and bitterness 3:14
11. we're eager to shed blood 3:15
12. ruin and misery follow us 3:16
13. we are unacquainted with the ways of peace 3:17
14. we have no genuine fear of God... 3:18
15. we're all sinners and fall short of the Glory of God 3:23
16. we have NOTHING TO BOAST ABOUT 3:27

Chapter 4

1. we are bent on establishing our own self-righteousness 4:1-25; 9:30

Chapter 8

1. we have a sinful mind that is hostile to God 8:6
2. our sinful mind will NOT and can NOT submit to God 8:7
3. we are NOT able to please God 8:8
4. we were DEAD spiritually Eph.2:1, 5

What is our ONLY hope? Jn.3:16