

STUDY SHEET: ROMANS OVERVIEW (2)

In preparation for our upcoming study through Romans, it will be helpful for you to read through the entire epistle much as the first recipients in Rome likely did, not in small pieces, but rather in large portions or even the entire epistle at one time.

Once you have read through the letter you should be able to answer the following questions with a little bit of reflection or study.

Who wrote the book of Romans?

Why do you think he wrote it?

Do you think Romans was written chiefly to Gentiles, Jews, or both?

If you were to divide Romans into major divisions or sections, what would those be?

The word “righteousness” appears many times in the letter. Can you list five separate passages where some aspect of righteousness is discussed?

The word “law” is used in a variety of ways in the book of Romans. What are three different ways that you can see the word is used in the book? Where?

Are there any nagging questions that Romans raises in your mind?

Do you have any verses in Romans that are particularly meaningful to you? What are they, and why are they special to you.