

Where, other than God, are you tempted to seek joy?

Why did God save us?

Has this past week been one of boasting, exulting, & rejoicing in God?

How does Jesus save you *by His life (Romans 5:11)*?

How does knowing that your salvation is eternally secure affect your life on a daily basis?

What can you do to put *Romans 5:9-11* into practice in your life? What will this look like?

How can we pray for one another this week?

Notable Quotes

*It is utterly and absolutely impossible that the sentence of the divine Judge should ever be revoked or reversed. Sooner shall the lightnings of omnipo-
tence shiver the Rock of Ages than those sheltering in Him again be
brought under condemnation.*

A. W. Pink

*Although Paul states our boasting as a fact, he undoubtedly wants to en-
courage any who are faltering or downhearted to contemplate again
what he has in Christ—a new relationship with God that overcomes all
present adversity and that provides absolute security for the life to come.*

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Message #34: *Received the Reconciliation*

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Sermon Notes

1. If, while sinners, we were justified, much more then we will be saved from God's wrath (9)

A. While sinners, justified

B. Much more, saved from God's wrath

2. If, while enemies, we were reconciled, much more then we will be saved (10)

A. While enemies, reconciled

B. Much more, saved by His life

3. Then, we exult in God (11)

Was there anything in Sunday's sermon that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?

What do you find most encouraging and comforting in *Romans 5:9-11*?

Does anything make you doubt your salvation? If so, what?

Why is it important that believers feel assured of their salvation? What practical benefits come from this assurance?

Since false security is a real possibility, how can we guard ourselves from it?

Which is more difficult, being justified by Jesus' death or to be saved from the *wrath of God (Romans 5:9)*?

What does Paul's use of *the wrath of God (Romans 5:9)* refer to?

What does it mean to be *reconciled to God (Romans 5:10-11)*?

Are we reconciled to God or is God reconciled to us? Explain.

Read *Matthew 5:23-24*. How does the use of *reconciled* here relate to its use in *Romans 5:10-11*?

How do we know that God keeps us in a constant state of reconciliation?

Look up the following verses and list all the securities you can find.

John 5:24 —

John 6:37-40 —

John 10:27-29 —

John 14:19 —

Romans 8:34-39 —

Colossians 3:3-4 —

1 Peter 1:3-5 —

Revelation 1:18 —

What are the chances of your losing your salvation?

As a result of knowing how secure you are, what kind of changes do you need to make in your life to bring God the most glory?