

A Matter of the Heart

Review of Paul's letter . . . So far.

The Good News of Hope^{1:1-17} The Total Corruption of Sin^{1:18-3:20}
God Can Fix It^{3:21-5:11} The Difference of Adam & Christ^{5:12-21}
The Struggle of Sinful Flesh⁶⁻⁷ The Gift of the Spirit⁸

But Paul once again is struggling. Not with the message,
but of his own people who won't _____ it.

Paul's Heart

9:1-5

He was **seriously** and **continually** in _____ for his own
people that were missing out, by rejecting what could be theirs.

The very things they treasured were all _____
pointing to the Deliverer, who had come.

God's Heart 9:10-14 & 22-26

God doesn't judge based on position or placement. 9:10-14
God, though His foreknowledge, looks for a _____ heart.

God displays His Patience, Mercy and _____. 9:22-26

Optional Reading:

Salvation open to **all** people. God's desires for **all** to be saved.

Isaiah 42⁶ 49⁶ **Matt.** 8²⁸⁻³⁴ 15²¹⁻²⁸
Luke 2³¹⁻³² 3⁶ 17¹²⁻¹⁹ **John** 1⁹ 3^{16 & 17} **Acts** 10^{15 & 45}
1 Tim. 2³⁻⁴ 4¹⁰ **Titus** 2¹¹ **2 Peter** 3⁹

Blinded Hearts

10:1-5

- ♦ Misguided _____ (Rom. 12:11 > spiritual fervor)
- ♦ Lack of knowing true Purity (righteousness)
- ♦ E _____ (Desiring Selfishly)
- ♦ E _____ (Deserving)
- ♦ Lack of Submission (Stubborn)
- ♦ Not noticing God's _____ (nearness)

Believing Hearts

10:8-13

- ♦ Recognizing the _____ of God & His Word
- ♦ He's part of their _____
- ♦ They're convinced of God's Power
- ♦ There is a deep sense of security
- ♦ They experience unity
- ♦ There is a definite _____ with God

Reminder for anyone burdened like Paul. 10:14-17
How can they believe unless someone _____ ?

Humbled Hearts

11:33-36

Blessed by the _____ of God's

- ♦ Wisdom
- ♦ Knowledge
- ♦ Pure _____
- ♦ _____ ways
- ♦ lack of any Needs
- ♦ _____ in all things

*For from Him and through Him and for Him
are all things. To Him be the glory forever! Amen.
Rom. 11:36*