

20 - God's Mercy - Part 1 (Romans 11:1-15)

I. On Israel (11:1-10)

A. The question (11:1)

- Paul anticipates the question concerning whether God has _____.
- Paul uses strong language to express that he _____.
- Paul proves his point by presenting himself as _____.

B. The remnant (11:2-5)

1. The nature of God (11:2a)

- Paul states that God has not cast away his people whom _____.

2. The example of Elijah (11:2b-4)

- Paul calls his readers to consider Elijah's _____.

Scripture 1 Kings 19:1-18

- Elijah proclaimed that he was alone; but the Lord states that he _____.

3. The present remnant (11:5)

- Paul states that even now there is a remnant preserved according to _____.

C. The nature of grace and works (11:6)

- It is not on the basis of works because grace is not grace if it _____.

D. The elect and the blind (11:7)

- Israel has not received what it seeks because it is blind, whereas the elect have _____.

E. Scriptural support (11:8-10)

- Paul quotes Old Testament scriptures to show that Israel is _____.
- Paul quotes David that their rejection of God resulted in _____.

II. On Gentiles (11:11-15)

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A. The question (11:11)

- Paul anticipates the question that Israel stumbled so that it _____.
- Paul uses strong language to express that he _____.
- It is through Israel's fall that salvation has _____.

B. The benefit for the Gentiles (11:12)

- Paul tells his readers that if Israel fall is to their benefit, what will _____?

C. An apostle to the Gentiles (11:13-14)

- Paul is speaking to Gentiles since he is _____.

D. Rejection and acceptance (11:15)

- If Israel's rejection means _____, her acceptance means life.