

**NEW TESTAMENT
BIBLICAL LITERACY**

ROMANS – PART THREE

Salvation: Old and New

Chapters 3:21-5:21

Lesson 50

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HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY

(Not Really in Romans)

Rome - A Question of Identity

Jew



Gentile

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What Do They Have in Common?

Jew



Gentile

The Wrath of God!

A Look at Some Terms

“Faith” and “Believe”

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“Not Guilty”
(Justify)



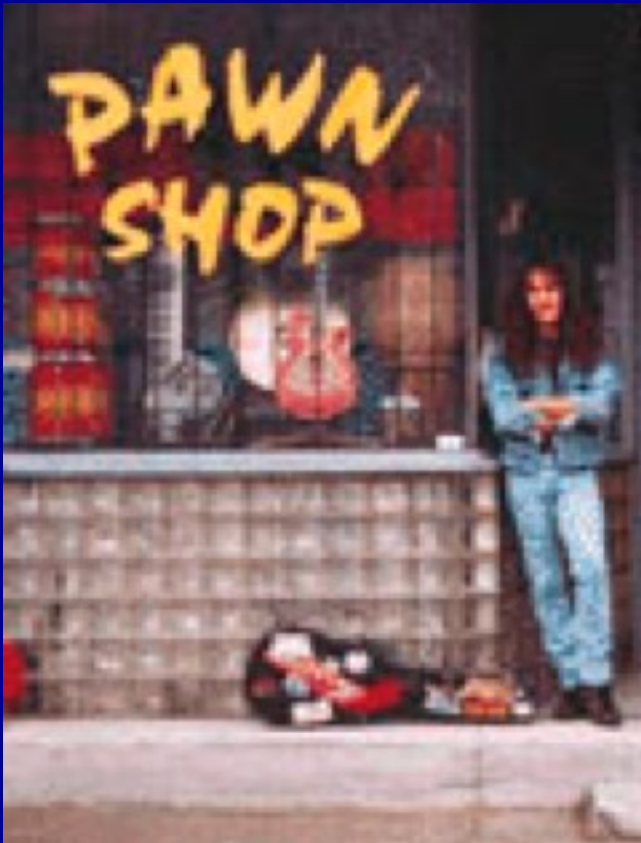
“Guilty”
(Condemn)

Distinguish “Justify” and “Sanctify”

- “Justification” = “Not Guilty”
- “Sanctification” = Growing in Holiness

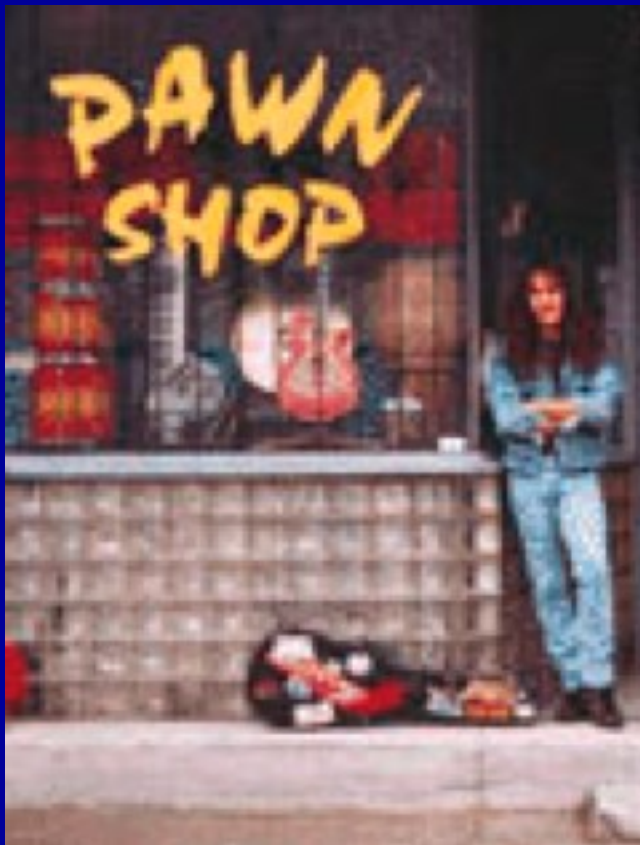
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Not From Satan
From Sin's Curse and
Destiny

“Not Guilty”

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Problem:
Sin and
Death



Answer:
Christ
(Justification
by Faith)

Does This Invalidate the Law?

- No! Go to the Law to See!



(Gen. 15:6)

“Abraham believed the Lord, and he credited it to him as righteousness.”

Not “Wages”

“Blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Blessed is the man whose sin the Lord does not count against him.” (Psalm 32:1-2)

Not Some Jewish Thing!

- Abraham Really Still a Gentile!
- Jew / Gentile Same!
- Important for Pre and Post Cross

So ... Peace and Hope!

- Peace With God
- Confidence / Hope For Future
 - Suffering Grows Character
- Christ Died for Sinners!

Contrast With Adam



- Sin Enters Through One Man
- And Death Through Sin

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- Righteousness Enters Through One Man
- And Life Through Righteousness



Jew / Gentile Status?



- All Alike: Sinners With A Savior
 - The Law Shows the Need

Points for Home

- Saved By Jesus' Death
- Faith Reconciles Us to God
- Peace and Hope Are Ours