

Community Group Guide

Romans 3:9-31 | Week 4 | 2/23/2014

- 1. Consider this carefully, how much does it matter that God is fair?
- 2. What is Paul main point in 1:16,17? How is this echoed at the start of 3:21?
- 3. How does Paul prove in 1:18-3:20 that God is justly anger and humanity and our sin?
- 4. What is the central theme of this paragraph, and how does Paul repeat it 4 times? (3:21-26)
- 5. What can the law not do (3:20-21) and what does the Old Testament do (3:21)?
- 6. Why is trusting in Jesus the only way to be rescued? (vv. 22-23)
- 7. What does it mean to "lack the glory of God?" (see 1:23, 2:7; 8:18)
- 8. What does the death of Jesus achieve for us? (v. 24)
- 9. How does it achieve this? (v. 25a)
- 10. What does the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross prove about God? (vv 25b, 26)
- 11. Why does the the gospel of Jesus remove boasting? (v. 27)
- 12. Restate the meaning of the cross in your own words, and spend time responding with honor and glory to God.
- 13. Pray.