



# ROMANS

The Greatest Letter Ever Written!

**Rom 4:23-5:2** “The words “it was credited to him” were written not for him alone, but also for us, to whom God will credit righteousness — for us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead. He was delivered over to death for our sins and was raised to life for our justification. Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we rejoice in the hope of the glory of God.”

## Rom 5:2-4

“2 Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. 3 More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, 4 and endurance produces character, and character produces hope”

**Definition:** The glory of God is the manifest beauty of His holiness.

**Lev 10:3.** “I will be shown to be holy among those who are near me, and before all the people I will be glorified.”

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**Ps 90:17** “And let the beauty of the LORD  
our God be upon us” KJV

**Ps 19:1** “The heavens declare the glory of  
God.”

Is 6:3 “Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory!”.

If we had spiritual eyes to see we would see the glory of God everywhere. We need these eyes more than we need anything: **BECAUSE**

2 Cor 4:4 “The god of this world has blinded the minds of unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ”

2 Cor 4:6 “For God, who said, “Let light shine out of darkness,” has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.”



## Ex 33:18-19

“Moses said, "Please show me your glory."  
And he said, "I will make all my goodness pass  
before you and will proclaim before you my  
name 'The Lord.' And I will be gracious to  
whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy  
on whom I will show mercy.”

**Luke 10:21-22** "In that same hour he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that you have hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to little children; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father, and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, or who the Father is except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him."



John 10:26  
... but you do not  
believe because  
you are not my  
sheep.

## Rom 5:1-2

“Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Ro 8:18, "I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that is to be revealed to us."

Ro 8:21, "The creation itself will be set free from its slavery to corruption into the freedom of the glory of the children of God."

O Lord in our suffering...  
teach us to rejoice...

*but how?*

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