

Questions on Romans chapter 15

1. In view of the previous chapter, what infirmities of the weak should the strong bear? Verses 1-2.

2. What reproaches fell on Christ and upon whom did they ultimately fall? Verse 3.

3. What were the “things written aforetime” and why should a Christian study them? Verse 4.

4. What was Paul’s prayer for the Romans and how was it to be realized? Verses 5-7.

5. Was Christ a “minister of the circumcision” because he confined his ministry to the Jews or because he came of the circumcision and offers salvation to them? Verse 8.

6. What is Paul’s purpose in quoting Old Testament prophecies? Verses 9-12.

7. What makes hope abound and what is the role of the Holy Spirit? Verse 13.

8. In spite of their differences about observing days and eating meats, what was Paul's assessment of the brethren at Rome? Verse 14.

9. Why did Paul write so boldly and what was partly his purpose in writing? Verse 15.

10. How was the offering up of the Gentiles "sanctified by the Holy Ghost"? Verse 16.

11. In what did Paul glory? Verse 17.

12. Although much good was accomplished by Paul's helpers, what is the only thing Paul will tell about? Verse 18.

13. How were the Gentiles brought to obedience? How could Paul say the gospel was fully preached? Verse 19.

14. What was Paul's reason for striving to preach the gospel where Christ had not been named? Verse 20.

15. How were Paul's mission efforts a fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy? Verse 21.

16. What had hindered Paul from visiting the church in Rome? Verse 22.

17. Why was Paul able to consider a trip to Rome now? What was his purpose in going? Verses 23-24.

18. Why was Paul going to Jerusalem? Verses 25-26.

19. As Paul explained it, why did the Gentiles have a duty to minister to the poor saints at Jerusalem? Verse 27.

20. What was next on Paul's agenda after delivering the contribution of the Gentiles? Did he ever reach Spain? Verse 28.

21. What kind of meeting did Paul anticipate in Rome? Do you think the "fullness of the blessing" would involve spiritual gifts? Verse 29. (See Romans 1:11)

22. What was Paul's request of the brethren at Rome? Verse 30.

23. What indicates that relations between Jewish and Gentile brethren were strained at this time? Verse 31.

24. What was thought to be Paul's hope concerning the contribution of the Gentiles and Paul's acceptance by the Jews? Verses 32-33.