"The Romans Road to Heaven"

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The New Testament book of Romans provides clear teaching of God's plan of salvation, and how everyone has the opportunity to have forgiveness of sin and receive His gift of eternal life. We will consider several key verses that help us to understand...

• Our **PROBLEM** (Romans 3:23)

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

• God's PROMISE (Romans 6:23)

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

• God's PROOF (Romans 5:8)

"But God demonstrate His love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

• Our PARDON (Romans 10:9-10)

"That if you shalt confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus, and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved..."

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Small Group/Family Discussion Guide

<u>Icebreaker</u>: How did you first realize your need for Jesus and His salvation (or that the Bible teaches this)?

- 1. Share something that most interested you or challenged you from our study of the "Romans Road."
- 2. Why is Romans 3:23 a good place to begin a presentation of the gospel? How does Romans 2:11 and 3:9-12 relate to the truth of Romans 3:23?
- 3. If you could only use one verse in the Bible to present God's plan of salvation, why would Romans 6:23 be a good choice?
- 4. Romans 5:8 tells us how God proved His love for us. What do you find amazing about God's love?
- 5. John 3:16 says salvation comes by simply believing in Jesus. But James 2:19 says that the "devils also believe." How can both be true?

Small Group Prayer

Include prayers for God's blessing and guidance for those who united in membership and those who were baptized on Sunday.