



## NOTHING SEPARATES US FROM GOD'S LOVE

Romans 8:31-39

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Good morning church! Good Morning Church! We've been discussing the work of the Holy Spirit and the believer's security in Christ. So we close up chapter 8 today with a booming praise for God's grace in bringing salvation to completion for all who are chosen and believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

### ROMANS 8:31-39

*"What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be<sup>[a]</sup> against us? **32** He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? **33** Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. **34** Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.<sup>[b]</sup> **35** Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? **36** As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." **37** No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. **38** For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, **39** nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.*

Last week, we saw how God has ...

- CALLED THE SAVED by Christ
- JUSTIFIED THE WORK through Christ
- GLORIFIED THE PERSON in Christ

We also studied the words:

- FOREKNOWLEDGE — A forethought choice by God to share His love on us through a real intimate relationship.
- PREDESTINED — Every believer's eternal destination is secure and determined by God.

### 1. God's LOVE is The Believer's SECURITY. (31-34)

*The Believer Can Never Be Found Guilty:*

1. Christ's DEATH
2. Christ's RESURRECTION
3. Christ's EXALTED POSITION
4. Christ's Continual INTERCESSION

*"because he poured out his soul to death and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and makes intercession for the transgressors."*

**Isaiah 53:12**

*"Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them."*

**Hebrews 7:25**

## **2. God's LOVE is EVERLASTING. (35-39)**

*"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven"* **Matthew 5:10**

*"Suffering become stepping stones on the pathway to glory."* R.C. Sproul

- We are more than CONQUERORS by HIS Love.

*"There is nothing created by God, nor any event or being can end this love. "You can lose it all, but nothing can take your life from you because what defines life is simply not for the taking." Grace has purchased your life and God rules over all things."*

**Paul David Tripp**

### **Salvation through Jesus Christ**

*The single most important decision a person could ever make in their lifetime is to receive Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord. The Bible says, "all have sinned and fall short of God's glory" and we don't deserve eternal life because the wages of sin is death. Yet through God's love, only "Christ gives us eternal life by grace through faith"... it is a gift of God. God's word says, "if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is LORD and believe in your heart God raised Him from the dead YOU WILL BE SAVED."*

*The Bible says to REPENT of your sins and BELIEVE in Jesus receiving His forgiveness. Then, you identify with Christ and start living a new life in obedience to God by being BAPTIZED and joining a local church.*