

Romans 11 Study Notes • Oh the Depth of the Riches

Read Romans 11

Questions about the Passage:

- What is “Replacement Theology?”
- What proof does Paul give in verse 1 that God hasn't rejected Israel?
- When Paul says “**the rest were hardened**,” is he speaking of people truly seeking God and then blinded by God so they wouldn't be allowed to find Him?
- What is Paul asking in **verse 11** when he asks “...**did they stumble in order that they might fall?**”
- Why were the branches representing Israel broken off from the root?
- What is holding believers in relationship with God?

Digging Deeper:

- Have you or has someone you know been exposed to Replacement Theology?
- Why do you think Replacement Theology has caught on with some people?
- Paul speaks of a “**mystery**” in **verse 25**. What does the word “mystery” refer to the New Testament?
- What is the mystery that Paul refers to?
- Who does “all Israel” mean in **verse 26**?
- Why are Jews enemies of Christians from the standpoint of the Gospel?
- **Read Galatians 3:29**. Does this verse seem to support Replacement Theology? What does it mean?

Application Questions:

- Why is it important for believers today to understand the role and future of Israel in God's redemptive plan?
- How does this study affect the way you see Israel?
- How should we view Paul's final verses of the chapter where he declares that all this is beyond our intellect?
- What is the most important takeaway from this study for you?