

Today's Theme

“Finding The Freedom To Live” “Not Just Survive” Part 6

Series Title

“Promises For Us”

Part 49 February 23, 2025

P 30: I will make things *work* together if . . .

Romans 8:28 And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

A Spectacularly Wonderful Promise

1. The *start* of this promise - We can *know*.

Rom 8:28 And we know . . .

2. The *scope* of this promise is *enormous*.

Rom 8:28 . . . that in all things . . .

3. The *heart & soul* of this promise.

Rom 8:28 . . . God works for the good . . .

4. The people _____ by this & _____.

(1) There's a _____ to this _____ God does.

Rom 8:28 . . . of those who love him,

1. Love towards God _____ here.

2. It's the _____ condition of Rom 8:28.

(2) Love _____ God is the great _____ of life.

The words of Jesus about this love

1. A _____ asks: What's _____ important?

Matt 22:35 One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question: 36 “Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?”

2. The _____ important thing in life.

Matt 22:37 Jesus replied: “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ 38 This is the first and greatest commandment.

**The Shema: Deut 6:4-9
 Deut 11:13-21
 Num 15:37-41**

Prov 4:23 Above all else, guard your heart, for everything you do flows from it.

3. The _____ most important thing in life.

Matt 22:39 And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’

1 John 4:7 Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God. 8 Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love.

4. These _____ things capture _____.

Matt 22:40 All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”

What We Learn From Jesus Here:

1. We can _____ what's most important!

2. This is very _____ to hear - _____ to do!

3. _____ this down - And you're _____ for life.