

<h2>Trusting the LORD in 2024</h2> <h3>Romans 8:26-38</h3>	
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There are many unknowns but there's things we **do** know. We know Philippians 1:6 is true, and our larger passage today gives the fully devoted follower of Christ great comfort.

There are 5 Undeniable Declarations in our passages this and next week. What shall we say to Romans 8:29-30?

#### I. If God is for Us, Who Can Be Against Us?

The absolute truth here is that there are \_\_\_\_\_ things and people who are against us. If the Christianity you practice doesn't draw \_\_\_\_\_, you might not be practicing \_\_\_\_\_.

Peanuts and an anvil.....

#### II. How Will He Not Also Give Us All Things?

Maybe we've doubted our standing with the LORD, doubting even our salvation. Perhaps you think God has had enough of you and you're failing to obey? Allow me to remind us that the Father spared nothing to redeem His people, not even His Son. Is 53:10, II Cor 5:21. It was "on our behalf" that He bore our sin in His own body. If He's already given His Son, will He withhold anything from us to fulfill our glorification?

If we need strength to overcome temptation?

What if we need a friend in times of sadness/grief.

How about when we pass into eternity?

Have we been overlooked by God?

John Stott "The Cross Proves God's Generosity."

#### III. Who Shall Bring Any Charge Against God's Elect?

Even God's people suffer from doubt. Our consciences can accuse us every time we sin, not to mention others whom we've offended or sinned against. We've all heard "you can't possibly be a Christian when you've done this..." Then there's the evil one himself who accuses us at every point. In a courtroom there's really only one opinion that matters.

If we base our relationship with Jesus on our experience and not on God's Word, rest assured that the evil one will shake you away from what you say you believe.

Justification – We are cleared, delivered and just in the sight of God regarding the past, present and future.

#### IV. Who Is He that Condemns Us?

Who will condemn us, who will judge us? The end time judgement is in view here. Romans 8:1.

The only one who can possibly judge us \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_. You see, the only way for Him to condemn us is for Him to disavow us, to disown us. John 10:28-30.