

Faith Works: God's Plan for Israel and Me

Romans 11:11-36

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As we have learned in the previous two chapters,
God's ways are sometimes difficult to understand and
may not make sense at the time.
Yet His Word teaches us to trust Him, even when it's not easy
to comprehend. This is never more true than when it comes
to understanding the future of the nation of Israel.
We know historically they are God's chosen people,
but currently most of them don't believe in Christ.
What is God's plan with them?
What does God expect of us in relation to Jewish people?
Our text addresses these questions and
shows us what God desires from us...

Big Idea: Humility is always the best response!

As Gentiles covered by grace, we need to be humble toward
Jewish people, for . . .

Humility promotes the right kind of **envy**.

verses 11-16

Humility results from receiving **God's kindness**.

verses 17-24

Humility anticipates the **salvation** of many **Jews**.

verses 25-32

Humility is the best response to **God's greatness**.

verses 33-36

Humility is not just our best response to Jewish people ...
it is our best response for all of life!
Let us be humble before God in all things ...
as we stay one step behind Jesus!

Looking ahead? Check out Romans 12:1-21 for next time.

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