

OUR GREAT ADVOCATE WHO MAKES INTERCESSION

(Romans 8:31-34)

I. THE RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD REVEALED THROUGH HIS GLORIFICATION OF ALL BELIEVERS (8:14-39)

- A. THE MULTIPLE BENEFITS OF YOUR SPIRITUAL SONSHIP (8:14-17)
- B. A CORRECT PERSPECTIVE ON PRESENT SUFFERING (8:18)
- C. AN EAGER ANTICIPATION OF A FUTURE GLORY (8:19-25)
- D. A DIVINE INTERCESSOR FOR PERPLEXING PRAYER (8:26-27)
- E. GOD'S PROMISE AND GUARANTEE OF YOUR FUTURE GLORIFICATION (8:28-39)

1. God's divine process to fulfill this wonderful purpose includes (but is not limited to) His _____ you, predestinating you, _____ you, justifying you, and ultimately _____ you. (vv. 29-30)

2. In seeking to highlight the means and the magnitude of God's provision for our eternal security and future glorification, the Apostle Paul raises five key questions...
 - a. **Question #1:** "*What then shall we say to these things?*" (v. 31a)

Answer: _____ the Lord God in the Highest! _____!

- b. **Question #2:** "*If God is for us, who can be against us?*" (v. 31b)

Answer: They can _____, but really _____ in this entire universe!

- c. **Question #3:** "*He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?*" (v. 32)

Answer: Because of God's amazing _____ and limitless _____, He already has freely given us all things (Eph. 1:3), and it will be eventually realized one day in glory.

d. **Question #4:** "*Who shall bring a charge against God's elect?*" (v. 33)

Answer: They can try but no one can _____ bring a charge against us, because God is the One who _____ us.

e. **Question #5:** "*Who is he who condemns?*" (v. 34)

Answer: _____ on the planet, _____ principalities or powers in the metaphysical realm.

Why? #1: Because "*It is Christ who _____...*"

#2: and furthermore is also _____...

#3: who is even at the _____ of God...

#4: who also makes _____ for us."

* How can you be encouraged by this powerful passage?