

SMALL GROUP RESOURCE

Big Idea:

Jesus has won the war between good and evil.

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

John 16:12-15
1 Corinthians 2:9-11
Galatians 5:13-26
2 Timothy 1:6-14
1 John 3:11-24

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

Romans 8:1-11

What is “selective listening”?

When have you practiced “selective listening”?

What does God give us to help us become like Jesus?

Romans 8:12-17

What part do we play in reaching the goal
of becoming like Jesus?

Are we to be active or passive? Why?

Romans 8:18-29

Why does God allow suffering? What is His purpose?

Romans 8:30-39

Why do we not need to fear suffering?

How can we encourage each other, in the midst of our
struggles, to be more like Jesus?

PRAYER FOCUS:

Thank God for His relentless pursuit of you.

Acknowledge God’s overwhelming love.

Ask God to help you to trust Him
in the suffering you and others experience.

Praise God for opportunities to encourage each other.

FAMILY RESOURCE

Big Idea:

Jesus has won the war between good and evil.

READ ROMANS 8:1-8

What are the 2 different laws?

Why is one law better than the other?

Make a list of “have to’s” and a list of “want to’s”.

READ ROMANS 8:9-12

How does a “dead” body respond to temptation?

Try to keep a straight face

while someone else is trying to make you laugh.

What makes it harder or easier not to laugh?

READ ROMANS 8:22-25

What is it like to wait for the birth of a baby?

How is waiting for Jesus to come back like that?

Look through your baby pictures.

READ ROMANS 8:26-29

Who helps us to become like Jesus?

Name one good thing that came out of something bad.

Give your bodies a good workout.

READ ROMANS 8:31-39

Draw a picture of the things we don’t need to be afraid of.

Why don’t we need to be afraid?

MEMORY VERSE:

_____, _____, shall we _____ in _____
to _____?

If _____ is _____ us, _____ can _____
_____?

He who did _____ his own _____,
but _____ Him up for us all—how will He _____ also,
_____ with Him, _____ us _____
_____? _____ 8:31-32

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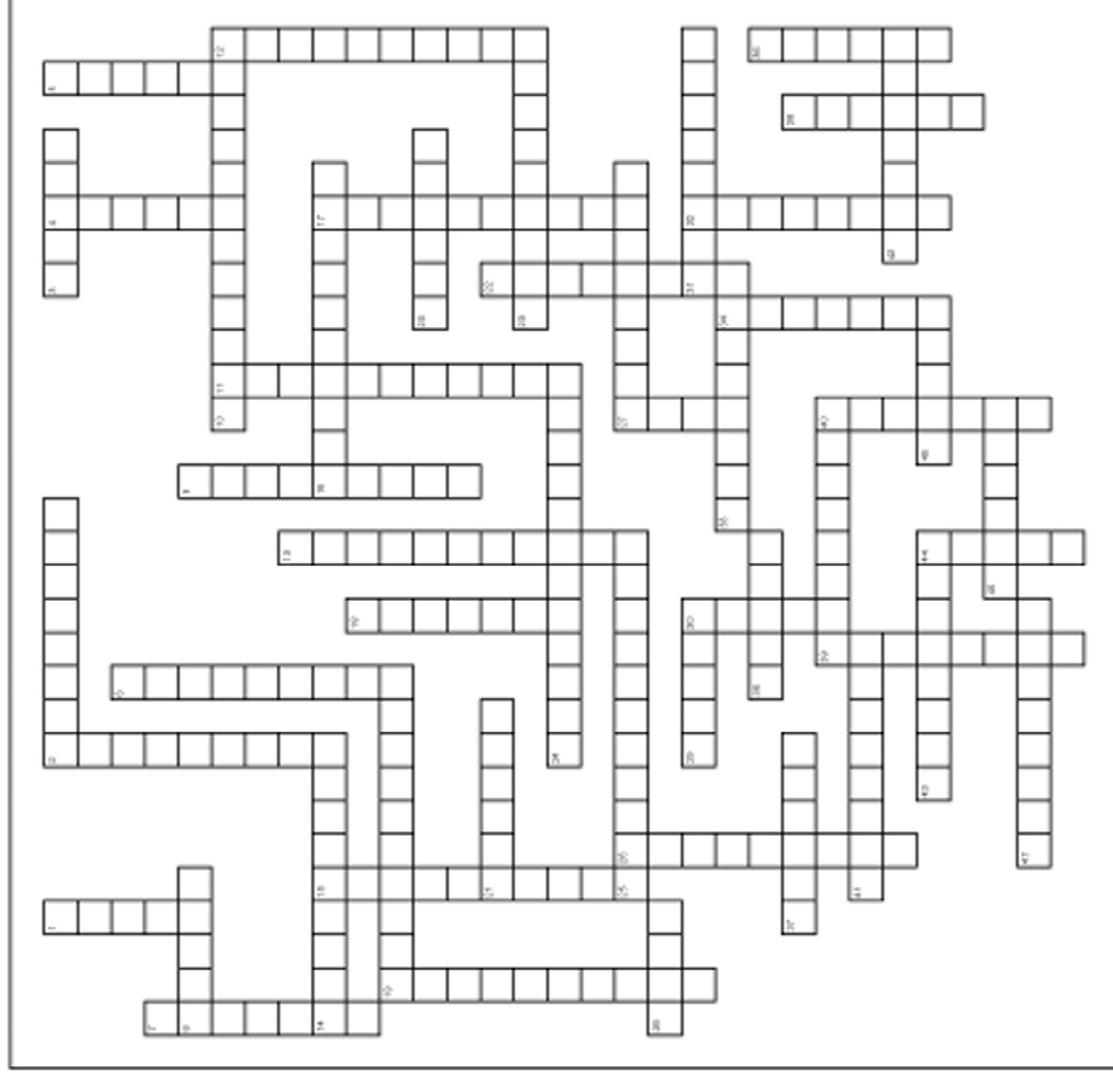
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ROMANS 8

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Across

2. God's handiwork (Romans 8:20)
3. rot and ruin (Romans 8:21)
8. should (Romans 8:26)
10. demands (Romans 8:4)
14. honored (Romans 8:30)
16. buying back (Romans 8:24)
19. managed by (Romans 8:6)
20. time when no food grows (Romans 8:35)
21. invited to come (Romans 8:28)
23. witnesses and agrees (Romans 8:16)
24. guilt or punishment (Romans 8:1)
25. killed (Romans 8:36)
27. moaning in pain (Romans 8:22)

Down

28. communication with God (Romans 8:26)
29. thoughts (Romans 8:5)
31. looks with intent to find something (Romans 8:27)
33. sins (Romans 8:13)
35. someone who is unable to do their own will (Romans 8:15)
37. accusation (Romans 8:33)
39. answer (Romans 8:31)
41. take apart (Romans 8:35)
42. against (Romans 8:7)
43. declares unfit or bad (Romans 8:34)
45. people who inherit (Romans 8:17)
46. physical (Romans 8:11)
47. think (Romans 8:18)
1. opposite of life (Romans 8:6)
2. shaped like (Romans 8:29)
4. accusation (Romans 8:33)
5. willingly obey (Romans 8:7)
6. made right again (Romans 8:30)
7. slavery (Romans 8:21)
9. incapable (Romans 8:3)
11. anticipation (Romans 8:19)
12. troubles (Romans 8:18)
13. determined earlier (Romans 8:30)
15. comes between 2 parties to help (Romans 8:26)
17. something that is owed (Romans 8:12)
18. goal or plan (Romans 8:28)
19. BIG winners! (Romans 8:37)
22. opposite of strength (Romans 8:26)
26. freed (Romans 8:21)
27. opposite of bad (Romans 8:28)
30. save from punishment (Romans 8:32)
32. the act of becoming part of a family (Romans 8:24)
34. wants (Romans 8:5)
36. brought back to life (Romans 8:11)
38. option (Romans 8:20)
39. shown (Romans 8:18)
40. with anticipation (Romans 8:23)
44. a weapon (Romans 8:35)

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redemption
famine
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mortal
condemnation
weakness
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creation
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purpose
response
slaughtered

powerless
conquerors
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sword
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searches
heirs
sufferings
spare
testifies

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2. EPNSSORE	28. IANEFM	---
3. ATHRELSDGUE	29. SEDARI	---
4. PPEUSOR	30. DEYCA	---
5. WESKSEAN	31. EREEDSNCTI	---
6. PONTODIA	32. RAPH	---
7. GOBEADN	33. MSIND	---
8. HARCESES	34. OSMNENDC	---
9. SEESIDR	35. DSDISEME	---
10. NFRMDEOCO	36. TBMISU	---
11. OMALRT	37. HGUTO	---
12. EEFSTTISI	38. OELEW'SRPS	---
13. DLREVAEE	39. DOGO	---
14. NAGIRONG	40. DCERNISIO	---
15. REPAS	41. EHILTSO	---
16. TOGNIBLIOA	42. ALEVS	---
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19. AGYEREL	45. UIDTJEFSI	---
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21. GHERCA	47. COTPXINEETA	---
22. DETHA	48. RNSGIUSFFE	---
23. REHSI	49. ETLLCDOORN	---
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25. EDCLAL	51. IOHECC	---
26. EDELARBIT		---