

Verse 16:

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5. (5:18-21) What are the three parallel statements?

Verse 18:

Verse 19:

Verse 21:



Memory Verse: Romans 5:17

“For if, by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through that one man, how much more will those who receive God’s abundant provision of grace and of the gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ.”

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Personal Reflection

There are a number of parallels in this passage; the parallel of Adam to Christ, of sin to righteousness, of condemnation to justification, of death to life. In what ways do these parallels help you better understand the work of Jesus Christ and the depth of God’s love?

Jesus is referred to as the “gift” (verse 16). In what ways would your life be different if you rejected this great gift?

In Adam, we experience death...literal death, and the destruction that comes as a result of sin. In what ways have you experienced the consequences of sin? What died?

In Christ, we are given life. How has your new life in Christ impacted your relationships? How do you feel more alive?

Given today’s passage, do you have a better understanding of why Jesus is the only way to salvation? How would you communicate this truth to someone who believes that it doesn’t matter who you follow, that there are many people who are worthy of deification?

Thoughts/Questions/Prayer Response:
