

God Can Be Trusted

Romans 11:1-6

Introduction:

The importance of rightly dividing the word

- 2nd Timothy 2:15

The importance of the Abrahamic Covenant –

Gen. 15

It was unconditional

It involved land, descendants, and blessings

I. The question - Has God cast away Israel? (v. 1a)

II. The answer - Certainly not! (v. 1b)

III. The proof (v. 1c - 2a)

A. Paul's conversion (v. 1c)

B. God's foreknowledge of Israel (v. 2a)

IV. The illustration - Elijah (vv. 3-4)

A. God had an elect remnant

B. God didn't destroy the nation because of the remnant

V. The explanation - God's grace (vv. 5-6)

Application: God can be trusted

- Salvation: Romans 10:13, 11

- Service: Heb. 6:10, I Cor. 15:58, Gal. 6:9-10