

12. What doctrine did Paul unequivocally teach in chapter 9?
13. What is the kind of “calling” that Paul has in mind in verse 13?
14. What are some ways that people view God?
15. The salvation of verse 13 is deliverance from what?
16. No one can or will call upon Christ unless they believe what?
17. Why is it unfortunate that the last phrase of verse 14 is translated “how shall they hear without a preacher...”?
18. No one can hear the truth about Christ unless it is what?
19. Paul’s point in asking the rhetorical questions is to show that if all these conditions had not been met by God, then maybe the Jewish people could say what?
20. To prove that God has always had faithful witnesses, Paul quotes whom?
21. The gospel of peace announces that we can have peace with God and be what?
22. According to Matthew 15:24, Jesus came to the lost sheep of what?
23. The early church was born \_\_\_\_\_ as \_\_\_\_\_ Jewish people responded to the gospel?
24. Paul’s quote of Isaiah 53:1 is to demonstrate that Israel’s rejection of the gospel wasn’t a what?
25. How many years earlier had God predicted Israel’s rejection of the gospel?
26. In the book of Acts how many times are there where Gentiles opposed the gospel?
27. What does the word, “gospel” mean?
28. Believing and receiving the Lord Jesus Christ is an act of what?
29. True saving faith is what kind of faith?
30. What do we hate and what do we love when we have genuine saving faith?
31. Is it possible to accept Jesus as Savior but not as Lord?
32. Faith only comes by hearing what?
33. Many Christians and Christian churches think that the least effective form of evangelism is hearing what?
34. What are some wrongful ways the church uses to try to be more effective in evangelism, than a sermon?
35. Why is much of the church’s attempt at evangelism, cruel?
36. What does Paul anticipate?
37. Why did the Jewish people not respond to the Lord Jesus?
38. How does Paul answer the excuse: Many Jewish people won’t believe the gospel because they won’t understand it?
39. What point does Paul make in Romans 10:19?
40. Who is Isaiah referring to in Isaiah 65:1?

41. According to Paul and Isaiah, the reason the Jews didn't believe the gospel is because they were what?

42. The reason people refuse to believe the gospel today, is because they are what?

43. What is a response to the objection: "I know too many hypocrites in the church...?"

44. What parts of the Bible bothered Mark Twain?

45. What two commands can you hang all of the Law and the Prophets upon?

46. What three words in verse 21 demonstrate God's graciousness and mercy?

47. Are you spurning the loving, patience of God?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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## **EXCUSES, EXCUSES** **Romans 10:14-21 (Series #72)**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "Excuses, Excuses". All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. When someone says, "I'm gonna have your ears checked," it is a way of saying what?
2. In the final verses of Romans 10, Paul tells the Jews that they need to blame whom for their lost condition?
3. What have the Jewish people, as a whole, refused to believe?
4. The whole of Romans 10 is devoted to proving that the Jewish people are responsible for what?
5. Why did the Spirit of God guide Paul to write Romans 10?
6. Paul's point is that the Jewish people needed to have what checked?
7. God has provided a way for men and women to be righteous with Him and that is through the what?
8. Paul's point in verses 6-13 is that it isn't hard to be what?
9. Salvation isn't hard because God has done what?

10. It is hard to be willing to be saved because that involves what?

11. Salvation has been provided, salvation has been possible, and salvation has been what?