Romans 9 • The Sovereignty of God

- 1. (v.1-5) The unique privilege of <u>Israel</u> in God's plan:
 - a. Specifically <u>chosen</u> from among all the nations and <u>adopted</u> into God's kingdom.
 - b. Witnessed God's glory and received His covenants.
 - c. Made <u>care-takers</u> of the Law and revelation.
 - d. The object of His promises.
- 2. (v.6-13) The true descendants of <u>Abraham</u> chosen by God are those who have been justified by <u>faith</u>, not the <u>flesh</u>.
- 3. (v.14-18) No one is worthy of being <u>chosen</u> by God; it is a demonstration of His <u>mercy</u>.
- 4. (v.19-29) God has a plan that goes beyond <u>Israel</u>.
- 5. (v.30-33) The plan is for all <u>nations</u> to come through faith in <u>Christ</u>.