

Our passage of study is a concluding doxology based upon what Paul began discussing in **Romans 9**. He describes God's sovereignty in salvation both to Jews and Gentiles. As John Stott writes, "as they (Jews & Gentiles) have been together in the prison of their disobedience, so they will be together in the freedom of God's mercy." Upon considering God's wisdom and goodness, the Apostle breaks into song.

Read **Romans 11:33-36** and discuss the following.

What reasons does Paul give for praising God? List as many as you can.

Discuss how each of Paul's rhetorical questions highlight the uniqueness of God. Which of these are you prone to forget? Which most encourages you today?

Does this hymn bring other verses or passages of Scripture to mind? If so, which ones?

How have people tried to repay the Lord or put Him in their debt? Have you ever done this? How so?

Read **v.36** again. What does it mean that all things are *from* Him? *Through* Him? *To* Him? How would you define "glory"?

If you were to write a four-sentence tribute of praise to God for including you in His eternal plan of salvation, what would you say?

As we conclude our summer study of God's attributes, which one(s) most stood out to you and why?

How has your understanding of God been enhanced as a result of your time studying His Word? Did you learn anything new from this particular study? Explain.

What about this discussion has most comforted and/or convicted you personally?