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Hidden Within, Part 4 Romans 8:26-30

Prayer (God, the Holy Spirit, prays on our behalf) (26-27)

Providence (God works all things for our good) (28)

Predestination (God will for sure take us to Glory) (29-30)

SUGGESTED DISCUSSION POINTS FROM JANUARY 12, 2020 SERMON

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Do you believe that God is working for your good in your suffering?

Why is it important to be rooted deep in the truth of God before suffering hits?

Have you ever come before the Lord in prayer and you are not quite sure what you are to pray for? You really can't discern His will in a certain situation and you just don't know what's appropriate to pray. (Romans 8:26)

In your groaning's and confusion before God, the Holy Spirit fills the gap and intercedes for you exactly in line with the will of God. (8:27) Describe how that makes you feel?

Read Romans 8:28 and reflect upon Joseph's conclusion to his story in Genesis 50:20.

How does God work for your good in all things? What is meant by good? (Read 8:29 and discuss the good of becoming more like His Son)

Why is it hard to believe God is working for your good when you are in pain?

Discuss each link of the Golden Chain in Romans 8:29-30 Foreknew Predestined Called Justified Glorified

Discuss how these truths can encourage you in your suffering: The Holy Spirit is praying for you. God is working all things for good. The work God has stared in you, He will bring to completion in Glory.