



Romans Bible Study Questions

Romans 9:19-29 || *will be preached on January 28, 2024*

1. In 9:19 Paul anticipates that some will object to his teaching. Look back at the preceding paragraph. Why does the question of v. 19 naturally follow what Paul has just been saying?
2. In 9:20-24 Paul lists several rhetorical questions. How do you think Paul wants his audience to answer these questions. Taken together, what is the point that these questions are getting at?
3. 9:25-29 includes some quotations from the Old Testament (Hosea 1:10, 2:23; Isaiah 1:9, 10:22-23). What seems to be Paul's purpose in quoting from these passages? *Extra credit – go back and read these verses in context.*
4. John Stott, in his commentary on this passage, wrote, "The wonder is not that some are saved and others not, but that anybody is saved at all." Do you think this accurately captures Paul's point in chapter 9?
5. In light of the truth in this passage, how can others pray for you?