The Soverenges

A SERMON SERIES IN ROMANS

Romans 10:1-9



Gentiles > Israel

Faith > Works

Jesus



Stumbling Stone



Unbelief is Always Fault of Unbeliever Unbelief was Israel's problem before Jesus



Paul's Zeal 1. Zeal for Evangelism 2. Zeal for Prayer



Israel's Zeal 1. Zeal for National Identity 2. Zeal for Religious Pride



I. Zeal without Knowledge 1. Knowledge in Wrong Object



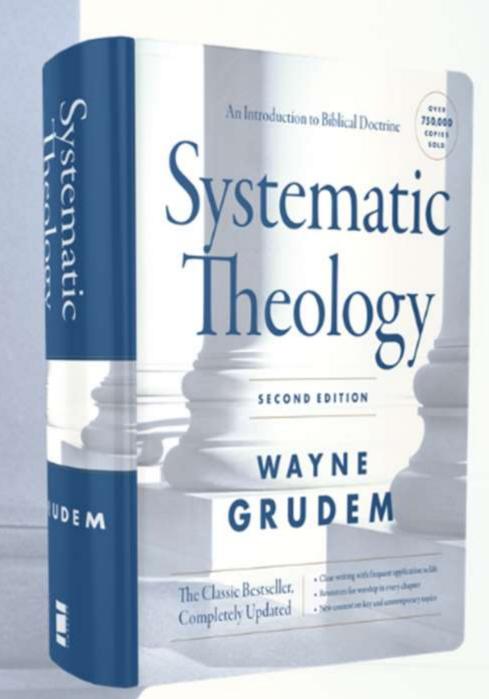
Knowledge Less Important than Zeal Knowledge without Jesus



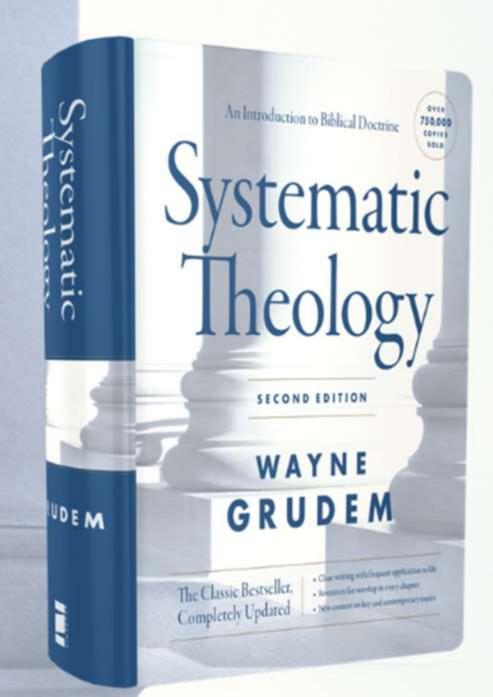
II. Zeal without Faith
 1. Israel Rejected God's Righteousness

 a. Willful Ignorance
 b. Disobedient Ignorance





Righteousness: 'The doctrine that God always acts in accordance with what is right and that He is Himself the Final standard of what is right' (Grudem)



Justification: 'An instantaneous legal act of God in which he 1) thinks of our sins as forgiven and Christ's righteousness belonging to us and 2) Declares us to be righteous in His sight ' (Grudem) 2. Israel Established own Righteousness

a. Live by Law = Die by Law
b. Live by Law = Eternal Judgment



III. Zeal without Jesus 1. Jesus Fulfilled the Law



2. Jesus is Near us
3. Jesus Saves us

a. We need to Confess
b. We need to Believe



Get Zeal!

We need Zeal WITH Knowledge
 We need Zeal WITH Faith
 We need Zeal WITH Jesus

