

# ROMANS

Israel's Privileges -

9:4-5

Colosseum



An aerial photograph of the Roman Forum excavations in Rome, Italy. The image shows the extensive ruins of the forum, including the remains of the Temple of Jupiter on the left and the Temple of Vespasian on the right. The foreground is a grassy area with scattered stone blocks. In the background, modern buildings and a hillside with trees are visible under a clear sky.

**Temple of  
Jupiter  
(501 BC)**

**Temple of  
Vespasian  
(AD 79)**

**Forum excavations**

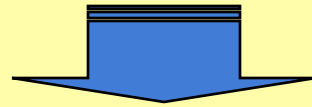
**PROVISION**  
Of God's Righteousness

1-8



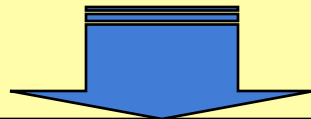
**VINDICATION**  
Of God's Righteousness

9-11

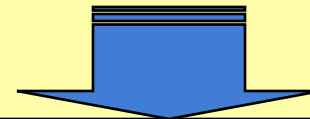


9:1-29

**SOVEREIGNTY**  
Israel's Choice



9:30-10:21



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**REJECTION**  
Israel's Discipline

**RESTORATION**  
Israel's Salvation

# OUTLINE

- I. Introduction 1:1-17**
- II. Provision of God's Right. 1:18-8:39**
- III. Vindication God's Right. 9-11**
  - A. Past Sovereign Election of Israel 9:1-29**
    - 1. Sorrow of Paul Vindicated 9:1-5**
      - a. Sorrow Described 9:1-3**
        - 1) Sincere Evaluation 9:1**
        - 2) Sorrow Detailed 9:2**
        - 3) Substitution Desire 9:3**

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6. Like Jeremiah - Jer 4:19
7. Like Moses - Ex 32:30-32



- 1) **Covenant Broken -**  
**Ex 32-33**
- 2) **Moses' Pleading -**  
**Ex 32:7-14**  
**32:30-32**

**Bull statue in  
Cairo Museum**



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# GLORY

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1. Wilderness - Ex 13:21-22
2. Sinai - 24:15-18
3. Tabernacle - 40:34-35
4. Temple - 1Kgs 8:10-11
5. Departure - Ezek 10:4, 19
6. 2nd Coming - Mt 24:30
7. Millennium - Isa 4:5-6

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**Herod's  
Temple**





## Sea of Galilee

A photograph of the Sea of Galilee at sunset. The sun is a bright yellow-orange orb on the horizon, casting a long, shimmering reflection across the water. In the foreground, a dark wooden pier structure with several vertical posts and a truss-like bridge section extends into the water. The sky is a gradient of soft colors from light blue to orange. The overall mood is serene and peaceful.

**To the extent one  
receives privileges,  
to that extent  
responsibilities follow!!!**