

Sermon Application Sheet

February 10, 2019

Sermon Outline

I. God is For Us

- A. Seen in the Fact of Our Redemption
- B. Seen in the Cost of Our Redemption

II. God Has Justified Us

- A. No One Can Bring a Charge
- B. The Guarantee of Our Redemption

III. God Has Established Us

- A. Nothing Stands in Our Way
- B. We Are More Than Conquerors

Romans 8:31–39 (ESV)

³¹ What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? ³² He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? ³³ Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. ³⁴ Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us. ³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." ³⁷ No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. ³⁸ For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, ³⁹ nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Application Questions

1. How does it help you in the struggles of life to know that God is for you? Specifically, how does that help you to battle sin?

2. Why does Paul talk about four aspects of Christ's redemptive work in verse 34? How can each of those aspects help you have confidence that you are redeemed?

3. What things are you tempted to believe will separate you from Christ? How does this passage answer those temptations and give you confidence?