

but as those who discern how God uses suffering in the life of one who lives by faith to produce various qualities of Christian character.

- 4. Verse 5 speaks of the Holy Spirit, who indwells us and who has poured out God's love into our hearts.**
 - 5. Verses 6-8 recall God's great love demonstrated by Christ's death for us while we were ungodly, unrighteous, undeserving sinners.**
 - 6. Verse 9 speaks of salvation from God's wrath through Christ, both in the present and in the day of His wrath!**
 - 7. Verse 10 tells us of present and future salvation through the resurrected, living Christ!**
 - 8. Verses 10-11 both speak of reconciliation to God, from whom we were estranged by our sin. In verse 10 we read of reconciliation having been accomplished and in verse 11 we read of reconciliation having been applied and received.**
- D. This brings us to the fourth and final segment of this second major section of the epistle to the Romans. Romans 5: 12-21**

But what can we say about this powerful sustained parallel compares and contrasts the condemnation which falls upon those who are in Adam, and the justification which comes upon those who are in Christ?

Proper treatment would take a whole message in itself (probably more). Some of the themes stressed here have been referred to (not in the same way, of course) in previous segments of the epistle.