

WHAT HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE AS THE GUARANTEE OF WHAT WILL BE DONE

WHAT HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE?

Romans 5:1-2a (HCSB)

Therefore, since **we have been declared righteous** by faith, **we have peace with God** through our Lord Jesus Christ. **2** We have also obtained access through Him by faith into **this grace in which we stand. . .**

WHAT WILL BE DONE?

Romans 5:2b (HCSB)

. . .and we rejoice in **the hope of the glory of God.**

Romans 5:9 (HCSB)

9 Much more then, since we have now been declared righteous by His blood, **we will be saved through Him from wrath.**

WHAT DOES THE HOLY SPIRIT DO?

Romans 5:5 (HCSB)

5 This hope will not disappoint us, because **God's love has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit** who was given to us.

THE CHARACTER OF GOD'S LOVE:

1 Corinthians 13:7-8a (HCSB)

7 It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, **endures all things.** **8** Love never ends. .

Deuteronomy 31:8 (HCSB)

8 “. . .He will not leave you or forsake you. . .”

1 Chronicles 16:34 (HCSB)

34 . . .His faithful love **endures forever.**

THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT:

Romans 2:29 (HCSB)

29 . . . and circumcision is of the heart—by the Spirit. . .

Deuteronomy 30:6 (HCSB)

6 The Lord your God will circumcise your heart and the hearts of your descendants, **and you will love Him with all your heart and all your soul so that you will live.**

THE RESULT OF OUR LOVE FOR GOD:

John 14:23 (HCSB)

23 Jesus answered, “If anyone loves Me, **he will keep My word. . .**