

LESSON 31: ROMANS 16:1-27

Greetings!

1. What do the recurrent phrases “in Christ” and “in the Lord” (vv. 3-15) say about Paul’s vision of (and for) the church? How might this inform our own vision of what the church is called to be?

2. Those listed are business people and homemakers. What does this tell you about the work of lay people in the home and workplace, about “networking” among Christians?

3. With what descriptive phrase would you like to hear your life summed up?

4. In Romans 14:1-15:13, Paul wrote about differing opinions which believers should allow within the fellowship. However, what kinds of divisions should Christians not allow?

5. What does Paul say about the person who provokes division? How is that person to be handled, Mt.18:15-17?

6. Are verses 17-20 relevant to our church today? If so, how?

7. What is the reason for Paul’s admonition, 16:19? How can it best be applied today?

8. In the doxology (vv. 25-27), God strengthens and encourages the believer according to what things? What is the end of our strengthening?