

## 2-15-15 Scripture Reading

### Rom 8:16-18

- <sup>16</sup> The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,  
<sup>17</sup> and if children, heirs also, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with *Him* in order that we may also be glorified with *Him*.  
<sup>18</sup> For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that is to be revealed to us.  
<sup>22</sup> For we know that the whole creation groans and suffers the pains of childbirth together until now.  
<sup>23</sup> And not only this, but also we ourselves, having the first fruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting eagerly for *our* adoption as sons, the redemption of our body.  
<sup>24</sup> For in hope we have been saved, but hope that is seen is not hope; for why does one also hope for what he sees?  
<sup>25</sup> But if we hope for what we do not see, with perseverance we wait eagerly for it.

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#### Message: The Christian Life - A Bed of Roses

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### John 1:12

- <sup>12</sup> But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, *even* to those who believe in His name,

### 1 Peter 1:4

- <sup>4</sup> to *obtain* an inheritance *which is* imperishable and undefiled and will not fade away, reserved in heaven for you,

### Phil 1:29-30

- <sup>29</sup> For to you it has been granted for Christ's sake, not only to believe in Him, but also to suffer for His sake, <sup>30</sup> experiencing the same conflict which you saw in me, and now hear *to be* in me.

John 5:19

<sup>19</sup> Jesus therefore answered and was saying to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, unless *it is something He sees the Father doing*; for whatever *the Father does*, these things the Son also does in like manner.

John 5:33

<sup>33</sup> "You have sent to John, and he has borne witness to the truth.

Acts 14:22

<sup>22</sup> strengthening the souls of the disciples, encouraging them to continue in the faith, and *saying*, "Through many tribulations we must enter the kingdom of God."

Matt 28:19

<sup>19</sup> "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,

Heb 13:5

<sup>5</sup> Let your character be free from the love of money, being content with what you have; for He Himself has said, "I WILL NEVER DESERT YOU, NOR WILL I EVER FORSAKE YOU, "

1 Peter 4:14-16

<sup>14</sup> If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you. <sup>15</sup> By no means let any of you suffer as a murderer, or thief, or evildoer, or a troublesome meddler; <sup>16</sup> but if *anyone suffers* as a Christian, let him not feel ashamed, but in that name let him glorify God.

Rom 8:28

<sup>28</sup> And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to *His* purpose.

James 1:2-4

<sup>2</sup> Consider it all joy, my brethren, when you encounter various trials, <sup>3</sup> knowing that the testing of your faith produces endurance. <sup>4</sup> And let endurance have *its* perfect result, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.

Matt 5:16

<sup>6</sup> "Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven.

Rom 8:18

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Rom 5:5

<sup>5</sup> and hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out within our hearts through the Holy Spirit who was given to us.