
Date: April 19, 2026 **Message:** The Best Acceptance
Series: Romans **Scripture:** Romans 8:1-17

God's acceptance of us:

How it changes us:

How to lean into it (even more):

Questions for Reflection and Discussion

Romans 8:1-17

1. Where do you most feel accepted in your life right now? What makes that place or group feel that way?
2. Have you ever experienced rejection in a place you expected acceptance? How did that shape you?
3. Why do you think acceptance (or rejection) is such a powerful force in shaping people's decisions and direction?
4. In your own words, what does "no condemnation" mean? What distinction do you see between "*no condemnation*" versus "*less condemnation*" or "*conditional condemnation*"?
5. Which aspect of adoption (debts canceled, new identity, inheritance, the Father taking responsibility for future failures, obligation to honor and please the Father) impacts you the most? Why?
6. When you mess up, which voice do you tend to listen to more: condemnation or acceptance? Why?
7. Can you think of a time when being accepted made it easier for you to change or grow?
8. Have you ever experienced God "tugging" you back when you were drifting? What was that like?