

# **SERMON NOTES**

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THE REMNANT OF ISRAEL

Romans 11:1-36

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BIG IDEA: God's plan of salvation is perfect.

## A REMNANT REMAINS (Romans 11:1-6)

Three evidences that God has not rejected Israel in totality:

- Paul was chosen.
- God foreknew Israel.
- Elijah's conversation with God.

#### **A BLINDED MAJORITY (Romans 11:7-10)**

The <u>elect</u> obtained it.

The majority were hardened.

#### **THE GRAFTED IN BRANCHES (Romans 11:11-21)**

Israel's stumble led to the Gentiles' salvation.

Through the salvation of the Gentiles the Jews will become <u>jealous</u>.

The Church has not replaced Israel but been grafted in.

#### **THE RESTORATION OF ISRAEL (Romans 11:22-32)**

Security in God's kindness is conditioned upon perseverance.

Through <u>Jesus</u> Israel can be grafted back in too.

### **THE WISDOM OF GOD (Romans 11:33-36)**

God's ways are perfect, even if we don't understand them.

All glory belongs to God.