

DAILY MEDITATIONS

August 19/20, 2017

Memory Verse: *The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.*

2 Peter 3:9 (NIV)

Monday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Review the sermon outline. Which part of the sermon spoke to you?

What part of the sermon challenged you?

What change do you need to make in your life as a result of hearing the sermon?

Tuesday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read Romans 8:28-29.

What promise does Paul give in verse 28?

Into whose likeness does God want us to be conformed?

Read Genesis 1:26-27.

What insight does this passage give us into how we were made? Why is this significant?

What does it mean to be conformed into the likeness of Jesus? Why would God want this for us?

How has God used His Word to conform you into the likeness of His son?

How has God used difficult situations to conform you into the likeness of His son?

Wednesday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read Romans 8:28-30.

According to verse 29 what is in the best interest of the believer?

Does being conformed into the likeness of Jesus always feel good? Explain.

How does this give us better insight into the meaning of the phrase, "in all things God works for the good of those who love him" (v. 28)?

How is this teaching different from society's view that God wants us to be happy and comfortable?

Thursday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read Romans 8:29-30.

Define foreknew.

Define predestined.

What do the following verses teach about predestination?

Romans 3:10-12

John 6:44

John 15:16

Friday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read the following verses. What other things do we learn about God? Matthew 7:7-8

Luke 19:10

John 3:16-18

John 6:40

Romans 1:16-20

Romans 10:12-13

2 Peter 3:9

Why is it important to keep these verses in mind when learning about Predestination?