

## **LISTENING GUIDE**

### **Romans 5:1-5 – Your Access Card**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ is your access card to God's \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Justify means to declare “\_\_\_\_\_.”
3. If you want to understand God's \_\_\_\_\_, you must understand and \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Justification = God declared the whole world not guilty.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Justification = God's declaration is based on the fact of Jesus' sacrificial death on the cross.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Justification = Through faith you gain personal access to God's grace.
7. Faith is a \_\_\_\_\_ given to us by God.
8. All the gifts of God's grace come through \_\_\_\_\_:
  - 1) \_\_\_\_\_
  - 2) \_\_\_\_\_
  - 3) \_\_\_\_\_

## **FOR FURTHER THOUGHT**

QUESTIONS ARE PROVIDED FOR PERSONAL STUDY DURING THE WEEK.

1. We focused on the access we have, but there was another “A” word in Romans 5: **affliction**. Paul says that because of the access that faith gives us to stand in God’s grace we can boast in our afflictions.

**Look again at Romans 5:1-5 and explain what it is that would allow us to boast in our afflictions:**

2. **Agree/ Disagree:** Faith in Jesus doesn't mean you escape present afflictions, but faith allows you to grow through afflictions.

