



Nobody's Perfect Romans 4

GENESIS 12-33 – DYSFUNCTIONAL FAMILIES 101

There are no perfect families
because there are no perfect people.

_____ can overcome your _____

Hope: families, churches, workplaces will never be perfect, but they can be _____.

ROMANS CHAPTER 4 – ABRAHAM BELIEVED

Abram believed the LORD, and He credited it to him as righteousness. – Genesis 15:6

Believe – Keep _____

In faith, the righteousness of Jesus is yours.

THERE IS EVEN MORE!

Can God vs. _____ can God?
Will God vs. _____ will God?

Get out of the way, and admit your need!

**Believe God can do better in you
than you can do with you.**

How will God: Remove my faults?
Redeem my faults?
Transform my faults?



ENCOUNTER GROUPS

Spiritual Growth Small Groups at Emmanuel Reformed Church

Encounter Groups are just starting - join one!

Getting Started

Share ways others in the group can be praying for you this month?

Sunday's Message

Briefly review the sermon together.

What stood out to you as worth remembering?

What raised questions in your mind?

Reread Romans 4:1-5:2, was there a phrase or idea God was saying directly to you?

Going Deeper

It is often better to ask "when God?" than to ask "how God?"

Abraham got focused on the how and came up with his own plan, it is recorded in Genesis 16. Consider how this turned out.

What does this teach you?

How do you know when you are to take action, verses when you are to simply wait for God to act?

Review the life of Jacob which starts at Genesis 25:21.

What faults do you see in him?

Now consider that his name was changed to Israel (Gen 33:28), becoming the father of the Israelites. How did God use faith to overcome Jacob's faults?

Application

What fault do you need to admit so that God can remove, redeem or transform it?