

**THE IMPUTATION OF ADAM'S SIN**  
Romans 5:12-21

Oakridge Community Church  
Questions for Consideration and Discussion

Introduction:

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**I. THE BIBLICAL TRUTHS**

A. We sinned when Adam sinned

1. 5:12-14
2. 5:15-18
3. Psalm 51:5

B. Our sin in Adam condemned us all

1. Romans 5:12, 14-18
2. 1 Corinthians 15:22

**II. WHY THESE TRUTHS ARE FOUND IN ROMANS 5**

- A. To reveal that the universal human problem is our sin in Adam
- B. To show the desperate human need is to be justified by God
- C. To point to Christ as the only sufficient source of righteousness
1. Romans 5:15-19
  2. 1 Peter 2:9
  3. Romans 5:20-21

Conclusion

1. Do you have difficulty with the Bible's teaching that all people sinned in Adam and are thereby condemned from the start of life? If so, what is the reason for your difficulty? How do you deal with it?
2. Why should we accept and believe that all people sinned in Adam and are thereby condemned from the start of life?
3. How does the truth about the imputation of Adam's sin reveal the need for all followers of Christ to proclaim the gospel to the lost?
4. How does the truth about the imputation of Adam's sin affect the way in which we should present the gospel to the lost?
5. How does the truth about the imputation of Adam's sin affect our attitude toward any sinner?
6. In what ways is Adam a type of Christ? In what ways is Adam unlike Christ?
7. Why can it be said in Romans 5:20-21 that grace abounded all the more where sin increased? How does this impact you?