MARKHAM MISSIONARY CHURCH

Sunday, September 13, 2009 – 10:45 a.m.

Pastor David Crouse "Foundations For Romans"

Romans 1:1-15

THE MANIFESTO OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

- Key <u>leaders</u> have been impacted by Romans
 - o **Augustine** 386 A.D.
 - o Martin Luther 1515
 - o John Wesley, 1738
 - o Karl Barth, 1918

MOST OF YOU HAVE BEEN IMPACTED BY ROMANS

- Roman 3:23
- Romans 6: 23
- Romans 10: 9,10

PAUL IS THE <u>SENDER</u>

- He **persecuted** and killed some Christians
- Encountered <u>Jesus</u> on the Damascus Road
- Now writes from **Corinth**

HIS BIG GOAL IS ROME, THEN SPAIN

- He writes to share his **teaching**
- This letter will answer his enemies
- Introduce Phoebe

ROME IS THE DESTINATION

- This Church is famous for their faith
- Lay people started this church
- Paul wants to encourage this **strategic** church

THE SALUTATION

- Grace
- Peace
- Romans will unfold this **grace** and **peace**