

Romans 11:11-24

Sermon Outline

God has a role for you and for me, as Christians, in reaching the lost of the world – including ethnic Israel – but that must not make us proud and haughty.

1. Is there a way back to God for ethnic Israel?
2. What part might God want you and I to play in that way back?
3. How might we avoid following in ethnic Israel's footsteps?

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Questions for reflection / study

1. What is the surprise of verse 11?
2. Looking at verses 11-15, how does Paul say more of ethnic Israel will come to know Jesus? What are the steps in what he says?
3. Why might they become envious?
4. How are Gentiles grafted into the olive tree that represents the true people of God (verses 16-20)?
5. Why might becoming proud put someone in danger of leaving the people of God (verses 20-24)?
6. How do these verses help you to think about friends or family who might have had the chance to learn about Christ but now seem hardened towards God?
7. How can these verses help us not to give up on them?