

¹ Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire
and prayer to God for the Israelites
is that they may be saved.

² For I can testify about them
that they are zealous for God,
but their zeal is not based
on knowledge.

³ Since they did not know the **righteousness** of God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's **righteousness**.

⁴ Christ is the culmination of the law
so that there may be **righteousness**
for everyone who believes.