

MORAL BANKRUPTCY

Romans 3:9-18

9 What then? Are we better than they? Not at all; for we have already charged that both Jews and Greeks are all under sin;

Three sections...

I. THE COMPREHENSIVE NATURE OF DEPRAVITY

9...are all under sin;

A. All People Are under the Power of Sin.

B. All People Are under the Guilt of Sin.

C. All People Are under the Condemnation of sin.

I. THE COMPREHENSIVE NATURE OF DEPRAVITY

II. THE PERVASIVE DEMONSTRATION OF DEPRAVITY

10 As it is written...

The list = a 'catena'

A. Man's Depravity Is Demonstrated in His Character

Psa 14; Ecc 7:20

10 As it is written, "THERE IS NONE RIGHTEOUS, NOT EVEN ONE..."

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**II. THE PERVASIVE DEMONSTRATION OF
DEPRAVITY**

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Psa 14

*11 THERE IS NONE WHO UNDERSTANDS; THERE IS NONE WHO
SEEKS FOR GOD;*

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DEPRAVITY**

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Psa 14

*12 ALL HAVE TURNED ASIDE; TOGETHER THEY HAVE BECOME
USELESS; THERE IS NONE WHO DOES GOOD, THERE IS NOT EVEN
ONE.”*

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II. THE PERVASIVE DEMONSTRATION OF DEPRAVITY

A. Man's Depravity Is Demonstrated in His Character

B. Man's Depravity Is Demonstrated in His Communication

Psa 5:9; Psa 140:3

13 "THEIR THROAT IS AN OPEN GRAVE; WITH THEIR TONGUES THEY KEEP DECEIVING,"

James 3:1-8; Prov 18:21; Jer 17:9

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Psa 140:3

13 "THE POISON OF ASPES IS UNDER THEIR LIPS";

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Psa 140:3

14 "WHOSE MOUTH IS FULL OF CURSING AND BITTERNESS",

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Isa 59:7-8

15 "THEIR FEET ARE QUICK TO SHED BLOOD,

16 DESTRUCTION AND MISERY ARE IN THEIR PATHS,

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Isa 59:7-8

17 AND THE PATH OF PEACE THEY HAVE NOT KNOWN.”

- I. THE COMPREHENSIVE NATURE OF DEPRAVITY
- II. THE PERVASIVE DEMONSTRATION OF DEPRAVITY
- III. THE DEFINITIVE PRINCIPLE OF DEPRAVITY

Psa 36:1

18 THERE IS NO FEAR OF GOD BEFORE THEIR EYES”

Prov 1:7

DORIANI – *Theological denials lead to moral errors.*

SCHREINER – *Sin at its heart decenters God; it degods God; it rejects His rule over our lives.*

CALVIN – *All wickedness flows from a disregard of God.*