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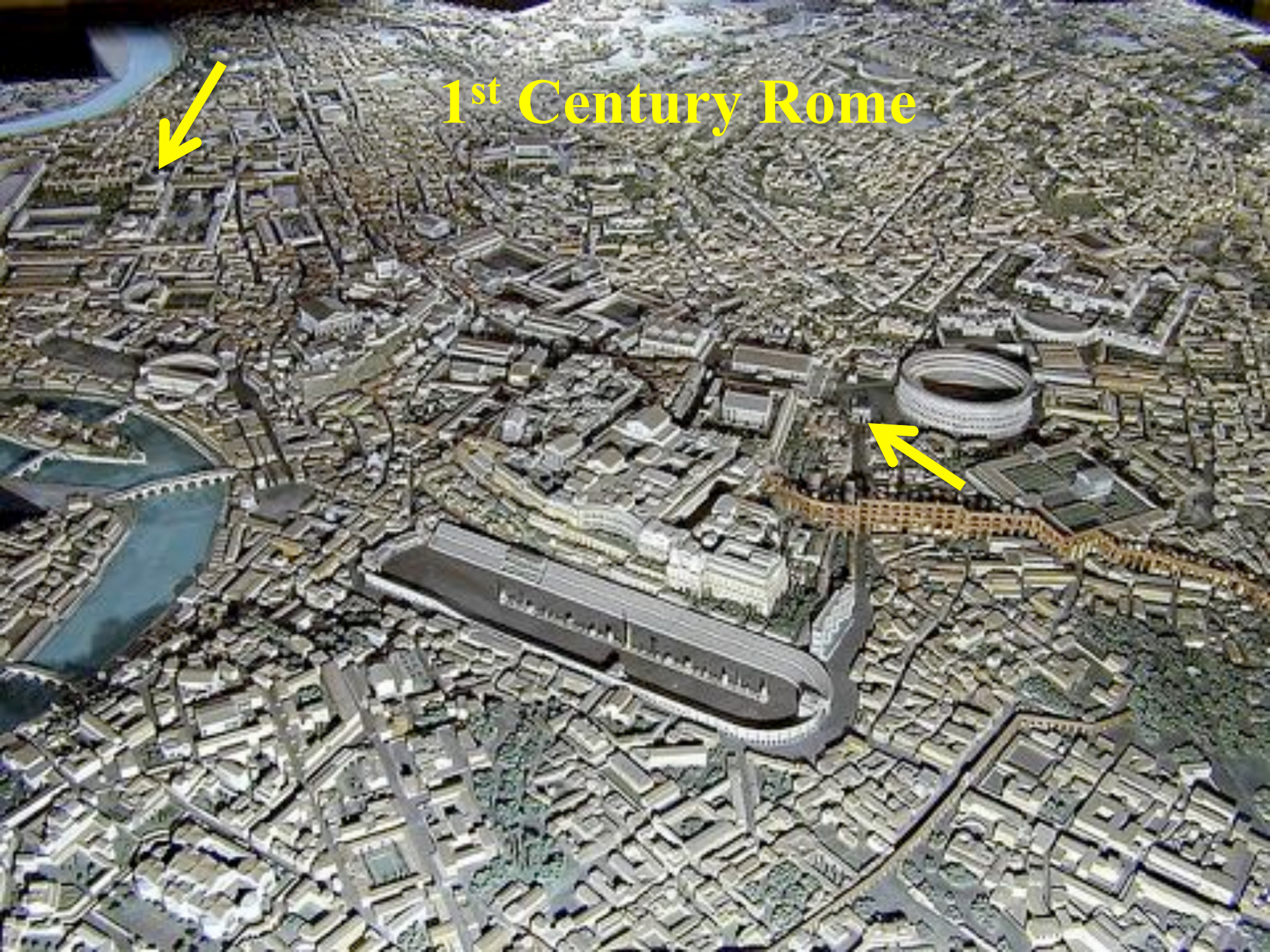
ROMANS

Israel's failure -
10:1-4

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PROVISION
Of God's Righteousness



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VINDICATION
Of God's Righteousness



9-11

9:1-29

SOVEREIGNTY
Israel's Choice



9:30-10:21

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REJECTION
Israel's Discipline

RESTORATION
Israel's Salvation

MAIN ISSUE

- 1. Israel as God's chosen people**
- 2. Only few within Israel**
- 3. Gospel going to Gentiles**
- 4. Gentiles coming to God apart from Law**
- 5. Responsibility - 9:30-32**

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BALANCE

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**God & His purposes - 9:6, 14, 16,
19-24, 28-29**

2. Human Responsibility - 9:30-10:21

Israel - 9:31-32, 10:1-3, 16, 18-21

belief/faith - 13x (+11:20)

noun - 9:30, 32, 10:6, 8, 17

verb - 9:33, 10:4, 9-11, 14 (2x), 16

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Jn 8:19, 54-55, 9:24, 29, Ac 3:17**

**10:3 For not knowing about God's
righteousness and seeking to
establish their own, they did not
subject themselves to the
righteousness of God.**

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- 1. Failure in Pursuit of Righteousness
(9:30-33)**
- 2. ... to know Perfections of God (10:2-3)**



A photograph of the Sea of Galilee at sunset. The sun is a bright, glowing orb on the right side of the horizon, casting a long, shimmering reflection across the water. In the middle ground, a bridge with several arches spans the water. The sky is a mix of soft orange and pale blue. The water in the foreground is dark and textured.

Sea of Galilee

**Knowing God's
principles determines
eternal realities!!!**