

## WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

### THE DOCTRINES OF THE BIBLE

*Titus 2:1 But speak thou the things which become sound doctrine:*

#### Study 27 GRACE

Tonight we will discuss GRACE as mentioned and taught in the Scriptures.

##### 1) GRACE DEFINED.

- (def) a. God's Riches At Christ's Expense  
b. Unmerited favor when wrath deserved  
c. Favor, goodwill, kindness,  
d. Divine influence of God on a person

##### 2) WE CAN FIND GRACE IN THE EYES OF THE LORD.

*Genesis 6:8 ¶ But Noah found grace in the eyes of the LORD.*

*9 These are the generations of Noah: Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God.*

Noah found grace, favor, because of his faith in God and devotion to God. The rest of the world perished because they did not have faith in God nor were they devoted to God.

##### 3) GOD DOES GIVE MAN SOME GRACE FOR A PERIOD OF TIME IN ORDER TO GET RIGHT WITH HIM.

*Ezra 9:8 And now for a little space grace hath been shewed from the LORD our God, to leave us a remnant to escape, and to give us a nail in his holy place, that our God may lighten our eyes, and give us a little reviving in our bondage.*

##### 4) GOD DESIRES TO GIVE GRACE TO US.

*Psalms 84:11 For the LORD God is a sun and shield: the LORD will give grace and glory: no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly.*

God gives grace to those who walk uprightly.

##### 5) GOD IS GRACIOUS TO THOSE WHO ARE HUMBLE.

*Proverbs 3:34 Surely he scorneth the scorners: but he giveth grace unto the lowly.*

*James 4:6 But he giveth more grace. Wherefore he saith, God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble.*

*1 Peter 5:5 ¶ Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble.*

##### 6) JESUS IS FULL OF GRACE.

*John 1:1 ¶ In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.*

*2 The same was in the beginning with God.*

*3 All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.*

*4 In him was life; and the life was the light of men.*

*14 And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.*

##### 7) GRACE COMES BY JESUS CHRIST.

*John 1:17 For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ.*

##### 8) IN ORDER TO SUCCESSFULLY WORK IN GOD'S KINGDOM, WE NEED GREAT GRACE.

*Acts 4:33 And with great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus: and great grace was upon them all.*

## **9) JOY COMES WHEN GOD'S GRACE IS PRESENT.**

*Acts 11:22 Then tidings of these things came unto the ears of the church which was in Jerusalem: and they sent forth Barnabas, that he should go as far as Antioch.*

*23 Who, when he came, and had seen the grace of God, was glad, and exhorted them all, that with purpose of heart they would cleave unto the Lord.*

## **10) AFTER SALVATION WE SHOULD CONTINUE IN THE GRACE OF GOD.**

*Acts 13:43 Now when the congregation was broken up, many of the Jews and religious proselytes followed Paul and Barnabas: who, speaking to them, persuaded them to continue in the grace of God.*

*2 Peter 3:18 But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and for ever. Amen.*

## **11) WE CAN ONLY BE SAVED BY GRACE.**

*Acts 15:11 But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved, even as they.*

*Ephesians 2:4 ¶ But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us,*

*5 Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;)*

*6 And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus:*

*7 That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace in his kindness toward us through Christ Jesus.*

*8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:*

*9 Not of works, lest any man should boast.*

*Titus 2:11 ¶ For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men,*

## **12) THE SCRIPTURES ARE THE WORD OF GOD'S GRACE.**

*Acts 20:32 And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.*

## **13) THE GRACE OF GOD GIVES US PEACE WITH GOD.**

*Romans 5:1 ¶ Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ:*

*2 By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.*

## **14) GOD'S GRACE WILL ALWAYS ABOUND OVER SIN.**

*Romans 5:20 Moreover the law entered, that the offence might abound. But where sin abounded, grace did much more abound:*

*21 That as sin hath reigned unto death, even so might grace reign through righteousness unto eternal life by Jesus Christ our Lord.*

## **15) WE SHOULD NEVER USE GRACE AS A JUSTIFICATION TO SIN.**

*Romans 6:1 ¶ What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound?*

*2 God forbid. How shall we, that are dead to sin, live any longer therein?*

*14 For sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not under the law, but under grace.*

*15 What then? shall we sin, because we are not under the law, but under grace? God forbid.*

*Hebrews 10:26 For if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins,*

*27 But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries.*

*28 He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses:*

*29 Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace?*

*30 For we know him that hath said, Vengeance belongeth unto me, I will recompense, saith the Lord. And again, The Lord shall judge his people.*

*31 It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God.*

*Jude 1:4 For there are certain men crept in unawares, who were before of old ordained to this condemnation, ungodly men, turning the grace of our God into lasciviousness, and denying the only Lord God, and our Lord Jesus Christ.*

## **16) IT IS ONLY BY GRACE THAT WE ARE WHO WE ARE.**

*1 Corinthians 15:10 But by the grace of God I am what I am: and his grace which was bestowed upon me was not in vain; but I laboured more abundantly than they all: yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.*

## **17) DO NOT LET GOD'S GRACE BE IN VAIN IN YOUR LIFE.**

*2 Corinthians 6:1 ¶ We then, as workers together with him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain.*

*2 (For he saith, I have heard thee in a time accepted, and in the day of salvation have I succoured thee: behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation.)*

*3 Giving no offence in any thing, that the ministry be not blamed:*

## **18) GRACE IS A PART OF GIVING.**

*2 Corinthians 8:1 ¶ Moreover, brethren, we do you to wit of the grace of God bestowed on the churches of Macedonia;*

*2 How that in a great trial of affliction the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality.*

*3 For to their power, I bear record, yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves;*

*4 Praying us with much intreaty that we would receive the gift, and take upon us the fellowship of the ministering to the saints.*

*5 And this they did, not as we hoped, but first gave their own selves to the Lord, and unto us by the will of God.*

*6 Insomuch that we desired Titus, that as he had begun, so he would also finish in you the same grace also.*

*7 ¶ Therefore, as ye abound in every thing, in faith, and utterance, and knowledge, and in all diligence, and in your love to us, see that ye abound in this grace also.*

*8 I speak not by commandment, but by occasion of the forwardness of others, and to prove the sincerity of your love.*

*9 For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich.*

## **19) GOD CAN MAKE ALL GRACE ABOUND TOWARDS US.**

*2 Corinthians 9:8 And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work:*

## **20) GOD'S GRACE WILL ALWAYS BE SUFFICIENT FOR US IN ALL THINGS THAT WE GO THROUGH IN LIFE.**

*2 Corinthians 12:9 And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.*

## **21) GOD CALLS US TO SERVICE BY HIS GRACE.**

*Galatians 1:15 But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb, and called me by his grace,*

*Ephesians 3:7 Whereof I was made a minister, according to the gift of the grace of God given unto me by the effectual working of his power:*

*8 Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ;*

*Hebrews 12:28 Wherefore we receiving a kingdom which cannot be moved, let us have grace, whereby we may serve God acceptably with reverence and godly fear:*

## **22) DO NOT FRUSTRATE THE GRACE OF GOD.**

*Galatians 2:21 I do not frustrate the grace of God: for if righteousness come by the law, then Christ is dead in vain.*

## **23) WE ARE FALLEN FROM GRACE IF WE THINK WE ARE SAVED BY OUR GOOD DEEDS.**

*Galatians 5:4 Christ is become of no effect unto you, whosoever of you are justified by the law; ye are fallen from grace.*

**24) EVERYONE IN THE WORLD IS GIVEN GRACE BY CHRIST.**

*Ephesians 4:7 But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ.*

**25) ALWAYS SPEAK GRACIOUS WORDS.**

*Ephesians 4:29 Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers.*

*Colossians 4:6 Let your speech be alway with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man.*

**26) GRACE IS ALWAYS ACCOMPANIED BY TRUTH.**

*Colossians 1:6 Which is come unto you, as it is in all the world; and bringeth forth fruit, as it doth also in you, since the day ye heard of it, and knew the grace of God in truth:*

**27) GRACE PROVIDES HOPE TO THOSE WHO RECEIVE IT.**

*2 Thessalonians 2:16 ¶ Now our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God, even our Father, which hath loved us, and hath given us everlasting consolation and good hope through grace,*

**28) BE STRONG IN THE GRACE OF GOD.**

*2 Timothy 2:1 ¶ Thou therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.*

**29) WE CAN FIND GRACE FROM GOD WHEN WE COME BOLDLY TO HIS THRONE.**

*Hebrews 4:16 Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.*

**30 WE CAN FAIL OF THE GRACE OF GOD THROUGH BITTERNESS.**

*Hebrews 12:15 Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled;*