

THE AMAZING GRACE OF GOD
Getting to Know God - Part 5 of 8

"You, O Lord, are a compassionate and gracious God..."

Psalm 86:15

GRACE: _____

4 THINGS ABOUT GOD'S GRACE

1. GOD'S GRACE IS _____

His choice is based on his grace, not on what they have done. For if God's choice were based on what people do, then his grace would not be real grace. Rom. 11:6 (GN)

2. GOD'S GRACE IS _____

Glory belongs to God, whose power is at work in us. By this power he can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Eph. 3:20 (GW)

3. GOD'S GRACE IS _____

Jesus himself and God our Father... reached out in love and surprised you with gifts of unending help and confidence. 2 Thes. 2:16 (Mes)

4. GOD'S GRACE IS _____

The Lord longs to be gracious to you. Isa. 30:18

WHAT GOD'S GRACE DOES FOR ME

1. GOD'S _____ GRACE _____

By the death of Christ we are set free, that is, our sins are forgiven. How great is the grace of God which He gave to us in such large measure! Eph. 1:7-8 (GN)

POINT: Salvation is based on God's _____ not my _____

For it is by God's grace that you have been saved, through faith. It is not your own doing, but God's gift. There is nothing to boast of, since it is not the result of your own efforts. Eph. 2:8-9 (GN)

2. GOD'S _____ GRACE _____

Your spiritual strength comes as a gift from God, not from ceremonial rules. Heb. 13:6 (LB)

POINT: The way you _____ a Christian is the way you _____ as a Christian.

I suspect you would never intend this, but this is what happens. When you attempt to live by your own religious plans and projects, you are cut off from Christ, you fall out of grace. Gal. 5:4 (Mes)

For God is at work within you, helping you want to obey him, and then helping you do what he wants. Phil. 2:13 (LB)

3. GOD'S _____ GRACE _____

(God says) "My grace is all you need; for my power is strongest when you are weak." 2 Cor. 12:9 (GN)

Let us approach the throne of grace with confidence, so we may receive ... grace to help us in our time of need. Heb. 4:16

KEY to receiving grace: _____

God resists the proud, but gives grace to the humble. James 4:7

WHAT TO DO WITH GOD'S GRACE

1. _____ TO OTHERS

He comes alongside us when we go through hard times, and before you know it, he brings us alongside someone else who is going through hard times so that we can be there for that person just as God was there for us. 2 Cor. 1:4 (Mes)

2. _____ ABOUT GOD'S GRACE

But my life is worth nothing unless I use it for doing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus—the work of telling others the Good News about God's wonderful kindness and love. Acts 20:24 (NLT)