

# The Grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ

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2Co 13:14 ESV **The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ** and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

GRACE IS WHAT HE HAS DONE FOR US THOUGH IT IS UNDERSERVED

- **KEY VERSE** 2Co 8:9 ESV For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.

RICHES OF HIS GRACE (CHOSEN, ADOPTED, REDEEMED, FORGIVEN)

- Eph 1:2-8 ESV Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. 3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has **blesed us** in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, 4 even as he **chose us** in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love 5 he **predestined us** for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, 6 to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. 7 In him we have **redemption** through his blood, the **forgiveness** of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, 8 which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight

THE GRACE OF GOD IS THE FOUNDATION OF ALL OUR TESTIMONIES

- 1Ti 1:12-16 ESV I thank him who has **given me strength**, Christ Jesus our Lord, because **he judged me faithful**, appointing me **to his service**, 13 though formerly I was a **blasphemer, persecutor, and insolent opponent**. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, 14 and the **grace of our Lord overflowed for me** with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. 15 The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom **I am the foremost**. 16 But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, **as the foremost**, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life.

THE ETERNAL NATURE OF GOD'S GRACE

- 2Ti 1:9 ESV who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but **because of his own purpose and grace**, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began,
- Eph 2:4-9 ESV But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, 5 even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ--by grace you have been saved-- 6 and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, 7 **so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus**. 8 For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, 9 not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

THE GRACE OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST IS THE LAST COMMENT IN GOD'S WORD

- Rev 22:21 ESV The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all. Amen.