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Ephesians 2:8 KJV

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





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## **Topic** >> If the definition of grace points to you and your efforts it is not the pure grace of God

Under God's grace the accuser of the brethren can no longer accuse you to bring you under guilt and condemnation. That is his weapon, to accuse you of failing to obey the law to place you under guilt and condemnation and have you living under the curse. The enemy's only tactic now is to lie to you, to remind you of times when you failed even if those failures happened years ago.

Grace says that you are now fully under God's unmerited favor, all judgement fell on Jesus at the cross. And as Jesus is so are you in this world. Enter into His rest and live a life led by the Spirit. Believe that under grace you are led by the Spirit (Galatians 5:18).

Receive His grace and move away from the law that brings you into a life of guilt and was perfect, this is the truth the world needs.

When you believe, God the Father places you into the Body of Christ. And you then stand in you are "saved" because it is not your so-called righteousness that you are depending on.

"Glory to God in the Highest"

## The Simplicity of Salvation – in This Age of "Grace"

If we are honest, we know that - WE HAVE SINNED and come short of the Glory of God as Scripture tells us in (Romans 3:23). Those whose sin is not dealt with before they die, will be separated from God for eternity. But the GOOD NEWS is that for those who "trust" and "believe" that Jesus Christ the Son of God died on the cross to pay for their sins will be "saved" by GRACE. It's a "free Gift" because God promised this, and they believed God.

Only someone who admits they ARE A SINNER would be interested in this. ALL HAVE SINNED in Scripture means that you too are a sinner and are in need of the shed blood that Jesus Christ willingly shed to pay for your sins. The only other way you could enter Heaven on your own merit is if you were PERFECT.

The "Moment" you believe Jesus Christ paid for your sins you are **SEALED** with the Holy Spirit (**Ephes 1:13-14**)

condemnation. Jesus' finished work on the cross Grace "is a free gift" apart from the works of the Law

**This is the Simplicity** of the Gospel of Salvation - in this Age of Grace.

Christs' Righteousness. That's how you know If you are being told that YOU have to do something for your salvation, then you are being deceived. If you do something no matter how insignificant you may invalidate that "free gift of grace" that is available to you FOR FREE. Must you do something > if its FREE?

....and God knows when you truly - TRUST AND BELIEVE in Christ

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<u> Religion – Works - (Israel)</u>

works - for the remission of sins Maybe you earn it - maybe you don't

## <u>Grace – Trust & Believe (Gentiles)</u>

Believe that Christ died for our sins was buried and rose again on the third day. Giving all who believe Salvation! Believe (1st Corinthians 15:1-4) - Plus Nothing Equals Salvation. God's free gift to us! Grace cannot be explained with theology or with human reasoning. In its simplicity, grace is God's unmerited (undeserved, unearned) favor. It seems so simple to human reasoning, but it is so powerful. It is God's supernatural characteristic (of goodness) that He constantly pours down on us. Grace does what the Law couldn't do (Romans 5: 12-21). Grace is an enabler, it supplies, it brings forth the gift of righteousness. Perfect righteousness in Christ Jesus our LORD.

>The pure grace of God always points to Jesus Christ and everything that He is and has done for us.

>The Law demands works from our weak flesh and it brings forth guilt and condemnation.