

AMAZING GRACE
MESSAGE 7: GRACE THROUGH FAITH
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• **FOUNDATION:**

- 2 Peter 1:2
- Romans 5:1-2
- “One of the keys to understanding the Truth of the Covenant is having a revelation of the gift of Grace.” – Charles Capps
- Romans 4:13 [*New English Translation*] For the promise to Abraham or to his descendants that he would inherit the world was not fulfilled through the law, but through the righteousness that comes by faith.
- Romans 4:16 [*New English Translation*] For this reason it is by faith so that it may be by grace, with the result that the promise may be certain to all the descendants – not only to those who are under the law, but also to those who have the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all

I. **Grace Through Faith**

- a. Grace is God’s willingness to use His power and His ability on your behalf, even though you don’t deserve it.
- b. Romans 5:1-2
 - i. We cannot merit favor with God through good works as they did under the Old Covenant.
 - ii. It is by Faith that we enter the promises through Faith.
- c. Romans 3:19-22, 28
 - i. 2 Peter 1:2 – Grace & Peace Multiplied

II. **Grace is a Gift**

- a. Ephesians 2:8
- b. Ephesians 3:2 [*New Living Translation*] assuming, by the way, that you know God gave me the special responsibility of extending his grace to you Gentiles.
- d. Ephesians 3:7 [*New Living Translation*] By God’s grace and mighty power, I have been given the privilege of serving him by spreading this Good News.
- e. Ephesians 4:7

III. **More Evidence**

- a. John 1:4, 16-17
- b. Acts 14:2-3
- c. 2 Timothy 2:1 = be strong in the Grace
- d. 2 Peter 3:18 = grow in the Grace
- e. 2 Peter 1:2-4

IV. **Knowing God is Able & Believing He is Willing Empowers Faith**

- a. Hebrews 11:6
 - i. God is not pleased when you don't have Faith to enter into the Grace.
- b. Hebrews 4:16 = BOLDLY: not crawling or begging

V. **We are Justified by Our Faith**

- a. Galatians 3:10-11
 - i. Justified = just as if I had never sinned
- b. Galatians 3:21-29
- c. Ephesians 5:20-21
 - i. Grace swallowed our sins.
- d. Romans 5:17 [*The Passion Translation*] Death once held us in its grip, and by the blunder of one man, death reigned as king over humanity. But now, how much more are we held in the grip of grace and continue reigning as kings in life, enjoying our regal freedom through the gift of perfect righteousness in the one and only Jesus, the Messiah!
- e. Enter God's Grace through Faith, and Trust God and God's Promises today: ~ 2 Peter 1:4