

GRACE...THE EMPOWERMENT TO RULE IN LIFE. (PART 2)

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1. WE ARE ABLE TO RULE BECAUSE OF GOD'S ABUNDANT GRACE.

ROMANS 5: 17- (TEV)

All who receive God's abundant grace and are freely put right with him will rule in life through Christ.

Ephesians 2: 8– 9-NKJV

"For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast."

Ephesians 3:7-ESV

Of this gospel *I was made a minister according to the gift of God's grace, which was given me by the working of his power.*

Galatians 5: 4- MSG

"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."

Ephesians 1: 7 –NKJV

"In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace."

2 Corinthians 12: 9,-TEV

My grace is all you need, for my power is greatest when you are weak.

2 Corinthians 8: 1, 3-NKJV

"We make known to you the grace of God bestowed on the churches of Macedonia.... For I bear witness that according to their ability, yes, and beyond their ability" God's grace had made it possible for the Macedonian Christians to go beyond their own ability.

2 Corinthians 1: 12-TEV

"Our relations with you, have been ruled by God-given frankness and sincerity, by the power of God's grace and not by human wisdom"

2 Peter 1: 2– 3-NKJV

"Grace and peace be multiplied to you ... as His divine power [grace] has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness"

2. GRACE IS AN OUTWARD DEMONSTRATION OF ABILITY BECAUSE OF AN INWARD MANIFESTATION OF GOD IN US.

Acts 11: 23- NIV

"and saw the evidence of the grace of God, he was glad "

James 2: 18-NKJV

"Show me your faith [grace] without your works, and I will show you my faith [grace] by my works

Romans 5:2-NKJV

...through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice...

Grace is God's free empowerment that gives us the ability to go beyond our natural ability.

3. GOD'S GRACE HAS GIVEN US THE FULLNESS OF JESUS CHRIST HIMSELF.

2Peter 1:2-4-NKJV

2 *Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord,*

3 *as His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue,*

4 *by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you may be partakers of the divine nature, ...*