

A Different Kind of Church #4

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Saved by Grace

God Gives Grace

Why we Need Grace

The problem is sin (Rom 3:10-12).

Sin separated us from God (Rom 3:23; Eph 2:12). Because of sin, we were spiritually dead (Eph 2:1-3).

Being dead, we were totally unable to relate to a holy God.

Where Grace Comes From

Grace is “God’s free and unmerited favor shown to guilty sinners who deserve judgement only” JB.

Through the sacrifice of God’s own son (Rom 8:31-32), God has shown free and unmerited favor to us who deserve judgement (Rom 3:24; Eph 2:4-5).

Through God’s grace, Jesus paid the price for our sins (Rom 5:1-2, 8; 1 Col 1:13-14; see Ps 103:12; Is 38:17).

What our Response to Grace should be

Some could have a very self-centered response to God’s grace (Rom 6:1; Jude 1:4).

Our response should be one of humble gratitude (Rom 12:1). Thank God for His indescribable gift!