

GRACE

BY DEFINITION

1. Webster: "The unmerited favor and love of God toward man in Christ.
 2. "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on him should not perish, but have eternal life." (John 3:16).
 3. "But when the kindness of God our Savior, and his love toward man appeared, not by works done in righteousness, which we did ourselves, but according to his mercy he saved us." (Titus 3:4-5).
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SAVED BY GRACE

1. "For by grace have ye been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not of works, that no man should glory." (Eph. 2:8,9).
 2. "For the grace of God hath appeared, bringing salvation to all men." (Titus 2:11).
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CAME BY CHRIST

1. "For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ." (John 1:17).
 2. **From God**: "Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ." (Introduction of all of Paul's Epistles.)
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OUR ENTRANCE INTO

"Being therefore justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ; through whom also we have had our access by faith into this grace wherein we stand; and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God." (Rom. 5:1-2).

CAN BE REJECTED

1. "Of how much sorer punishment, think ye, shall he be judged worthy, who hath trodden under foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant wherewith he was sanctified an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace." (Hebrews 10:29).
 2. "But their minds were hardened; for until this very day at the reading of the old covenant the same veil remaineth, it not being revealed to them that it is done away in Christ. But unto this day, whensoever Moses is read a veil lieth upon their hear." (II Cor. 3:14-15).
 3. "But we preach Christ crucified, unto Jews a stumbling block and unto Gentiles foolishness; but unto them that are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God." (I Cor. 1:23-24).
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