

## “Before and After Grace”

### Ephesians 2:1-10

- Ephesians 2:1-10 is comprised of two Greek sentences.
- This text presents a before & after picture of God’s grace.

Before grace...

1. The sin that breaks your bond with God
  - a. Dead
  - b. Enslaved
  - c. Condemned

After grace...

2. The *syn* (Greek word) that fuses you to God
  - a. *synezoopoiesen* – “made us alive *with* Christ”
  - b. *synegeiren* – “raised us up *with* Christ”
  - c. *synekathisen* – “seated us *with* him”
3. Three dimensions of God’s grace
  - a. Saves
  - b. Serves
  - c. Soothes