
Grace & Faith UK 2024

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From the Pit | Part 2 | Saturday, May 25, 2024

ISAIAH 51:1-3 (NKJV)

The Rock – Jesus.

The Pit – Where God found us.

Dead in sins.

Weakness/Poverty.

Slaves to sin.

Bound by emotions.

Never forget! Why?

No guilt or condemnation.

- Trust in God, not self.
- Faith & humility
 - o Mercy, forgiving, love much.
 - o Thanksgiving, praise, boasting in the cross.

AFTER CHRIST VS AFTER THE FLESH

Paradox/Anomaly/Engima.

1 Corinthians 1:26-29 (REF)

Not many wise according to the flesh, mighty or noble are called, but God hath chosen the foolish...weak...lowly things...despised...are not to bring to nothing the things that are.

Verse 29 (REF)

That no flesh should glory in his presence.

2 Corinthians 5:16 (REF)

Know no man after the flesh.

Romans 7:18 (REF)

For I know that in me, that is in my flesh, no good thing dwells.

No USDA flesh, SPECIAL FLESH.

Philippians 3:3 (REF)

No confidence in the flesh.

Romans 8:6-8 (REF)

In the flesh, cannot please God.

2 Corinthians 4:5-7 (NKJV)

...That the excellency of the power may be of God & not us.

EARTHEN VESSELS

Clay pots.

Crackpots with God.

WITHOUT CHRIST REALITIES

1. We can do nothing.

John 15:1-5 (NKJV) to Philippians 4:13 (REF)

Vine = Jesus.

Branch = me.

Fruit – by product.

2. We have nothing.

2 Corinthians 4:6-7 (NKJV)

Ephesians 1:3 (REF)

Luke (REF)

3. We know nothing.

1 Corinthians 8:1-3 (NKJV)

1 Corinthians 1:30 (REF)

- Wisdom.

Colossians 2:3 (REF)

- Hidden treasures of wisdom, knowledge.

1 Corinthians 2:16 (REF)

- Mind of Christ.

1 John 2:20-27 (REF)

4. We are nothing.

1 Corinthians 15:9-10 (NKJV)

1 Corinthians 6:9 (NKJV)

Look to the Rock - Remember the Pit.