



Juddah &

Tannar

Genesis

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**Thanksgiving Special**

## Noteworthy:

- ◆ Judah left his brothers
- ◆ Adullam - cave near there where David hid from Saul
- ◆ Be careful who you link with -  
*1 Cor. 15:33*
- ◆ Marriage to a brother's wife -  
*Deut. 25:5-10*

## Noteworthy:

- ◆ Er - not sure what he had done and it seems harsh, but may have been put out of his misery?
- ◆ Canaanites had shrine prostitutes for their god Baal
- ◆ Seal = person's signature, Cord = display of wealth, Staff = position

## Noteworthy:

- ◆ How quick Judah is to say burn her death! Sound familiar?
- ◆ Num. 32:23 - "you sin will find you out"
- ◆ Tamar not righteous before God
- ◆ Scarlet thread throughout scripture!

# Picture of Christ



**Matthew**

**1:3**

**“Therefore I will give him a portion among the great, and he will divide the spoils with the strong, because he poured out his life unto death, and was numbered with the transgressors. For he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.”**

*– Isaiah 53:12 | NIV84*



**Grace**



**Grace:**

**unearned,  
unmerited,  
undeserved  
favor from God**

**G** od's

**R** iches

**A** t

**C** hrist

**E** xpense

## God's Grace:

- ◆ **John 1:14-16** - Glory of God = Jesus and he is "full of grace & truth"
- ◆ **Acts 4:33** - Early Church - "much grace was upon them all"
- ◆ **Romans 3:23-24** - justified by grace
- ◆ **Rom. 5:20-21** - grace must reign

**“For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— not by works, so that no one can boast.”**

*– Ephesians 2:8-9 | NIV84*

# God's Grace:

- ◆ Rom. 11:5-6 - no works involved

**Mercy is not getting what  
you deserve**

**Grace is getting what you  
don't deserve = GIFT**

## God's Grace:

- ◆ **Rom. 11:5-6** - no works involved
- ◆ **Titus 2:11-14** - saving & motivating
  - **1 Corinthians 15:9-10**
  - I don't work to earn my salvation, I work as a result of salvation & his grace
- ◆ **Rom. 6:1-4** - Don't take advantage

# **God's Grace is for YOU!**

- 1. I need to receive the gift** (Eph. 2:8)
- 2. It takes humility** (James 4:6, 2 Cor. 12:9)
- 3. I can have confidence** (Hebrews 4:15-16)
- 4. Grace solicits a response** (Acts 4:32-35)
- 5. We can stand & rejoice with peace**  
(Rom. 5:1-2)