

#### **GRACE FOR DUMMIES**

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## GRACE is...

The inexhaustible supply of God's goodness whereby He does for you what you could never do for yourself.

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The unmerited, unearned, undeserved favor of God.

# **GRACE is...** Getting what I don't deserve. I cannot earn it. I can never repay it.

### God's Grace Is Amazing Because...

## 1. It <u>DELIVERS</u> us from our <u>MESS</u>!

And you were dead in the trespasses and sins in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience —

among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. Ephesians 2:1-3 (ESV)

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ by grace you have been saved. Ephesians 2:4-5 (ESV)

For by grace you have been saved\_through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. Ephesians 2:8-9 (ESV)

> Mercy means... Not getting what I deserve.

**Grace** means... Getting what I don't deserve.

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# 2. It <u>DEVELOPS</u> us into a <u>MASTERPEICE</u>!

*For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.* **Ephesians 2:10 (ESV)** 

# 3. It <u>DEPLOYS</u> us into our <u>MISSION</u>!

For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them. Ephesians 2:10 (ESV)

