

WHAT'S SO AMAZING ABOUT

grace?

1 John 2:1 NIV

My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have an advocate with the Father—Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.

Manifold Grace

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1 Peter 4:10 NASB

As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

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- 1 Peter 4:10 – “....manifold grace of God.”
- We should have His grace working in every area of our lives.

Genesis 6:8 NKJ

But Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord.

How to Receive God's Grace

- Just like when we were born again.
- By believing in our hearts and confessing with our mouths.
- When we talk about the manifold grace of God we are talking about receiving the promises of God.

2 Corinthians 1:20 NASB

For as many as are the promises of God in him they are yes; therefore also through him is our Amen to the glory of God through us.

Receiving Our Promises

What keeps us from receiving his promises?

- We must believe the word of God is true.

2 Timothy 3:16 NIV

ALL scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness.

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- We must believe we are qualified.

Receiving Our Promises

- What qualifies me is the finished work of Jesus on the cross.
- Colossians 1:12-13 – “And giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of his holy people in the kingdom of light. For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves.”

Manifold Grace

- The Manifold Grace of God can give us God's ability in every area of our life.
- Stop concentrating on using faith to receive things.
- Start concentrating on using faith to receive grace.

Proverbs 12:28 NASB

In the way of righteousness is life,
and in its pathway there is no death.

The righteousness is not our righteousness by our
works.

Romans 9:32-33 NIV

³²Why not? Because they pursued it not by faith but as if it were by works. They stumbled over the stumbling stone. ³³As it is written: "See, I lay in Zion a stone that causes people to stumble and a rock that makes them fall, and the one who believes in him will never be put to shame."

Romans 9:30-32

³⁰What then shall we say? That the Gentiles, who did not pursue righteousness, have obtained it, a righteousness that is by faith; ³¹but the people of Israel, who pursued the law as the way of righteousness, have not attained their goal. ³²Why not? Because they pursued it not by faith but as if it were by works. They stumbled over the stumbling stone.

JESUS

- Jesus as our Savior – Righteous life for Him.
- Jesus as our Righteousness – Godly life in Him.

RECAP

- In order for God's manifold grace to operate in every area of our lives we must believe all of God's word is true.
- We must accept Jesus as our savior and our righteousness.
- As I believe & confess who I am in Christ the manifold grace of God works in my life.

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