

Re-Formed By Grace November 5, 2017

John 1:14 Ephesians 2:1-10

1. God's Grace is <u>Essential</u> Ephesians 2:1-3

2. God's Grace is Costly Ephesians 2:4-7

3. God's Grace is <u>Transformational</u> Ephesians 2:8-10

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"The sin underneath all our sins is to trust the lie of the serpent that we cannot trust the love and grace of Christ and must take matters into our own hands."

Martin Luther

- 1. When God's Word became available to God's people, the world was changed. Has God's Word changed your thinking and behavior? If so, how?
- 2. Martin Luther was broken by his empty promises to become righteous and holy. He discovered that his problem was bigger than his bad behavior, but rather a sinful soul he could not overcome on his own. How does God's grace address this condition?
- 3. What did the free gift of grace cost God? How do you personally respond to God based on what he did for you?
- 4. Some argue that being saved by grace makes it too easy for us to continue sinning with no remorse or repentance. How would you respond to this concern?