

The Saving Grace of Christ Jesus

1 Timothy 1:15-17

¹⁵ It is a trustworthy saying and deserving full acceptance: that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, among whom I am foremost. ¹⁶ Yet for this reason I was shown mercy, so that in me as the foremost, Christ Jesus might demonstrate all His patience as an example for those who are going to believe upon Him for eternal life. ¹⁷ Now to the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, *be* honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

1. The _____ of God's Grace

¹⁵ **It is a trustworthy saying and deserving full acceptance:**

- a. The logos / message is believable
- b. The logos / message is worthy of all acceptance

2. The _____ of God's Grace

that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners,

- a. The Person: Christ Jesus
- b. The Plan: Came
- c. The Place: Into the World
- d. The Purpose: Sinful Ones to Save (**only** sinners!)

John 3:16-17 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life. ¹⁷ "For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world might be saved through Him.

Luke 19:10 "For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save the lost."

Romans 5:6-8 For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷ For one will hardly die for a righteous man, though perhaps for the good man someone would dare even to die.

⁸ But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

1 Peter 3:18 For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, *the* righteous for *the* unrighteous, so that He might bring you to God, having been put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit;

1 John 4:10 In this is love, not that we have loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son *to be* the propitiation for our sins.

3. The _____ of God's Grace

among whom I am foremost. ¹⁶ Yet for this reason I was shown mercy, so that in me as the foremost, Christ Jesus might demonstrate all His patience

- a. Reaching a top sinner
- b. Showing the extent of His mercy
- c. Demonstrating the extent of His longsuffering

4. The _____ of God's Grace

as an example for those who are going to believe upon Him for eternal life.

- a. The pattern of grace
- b. To all that believe

John 3:18 "He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God."

John 3:36 "He who believes in the Son has eternal life; but he who does not obey the Son will not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him."

Romans 4:5 But to the one who does not work, but believes upon Him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is counted as righteousness

- c. In Him
- d. Unto eternal life

5. The Great _____ of Grace

¹⁷ Now to the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

- a. King
- b. Timeless (of the ages)
- c. Undie-able
- d. Unseeable
- e. Deity
- f. His Forever Due
 - Honor
 - Glory