

SUBJECT: TO THE PRAISE OF THE GLORY OF HIS GRACE

SCRIPTURE: Ephesians 1:6. *"To the praise of the glory of His grace, by which He made us accepted in the Beloved."*

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PRAISE

- We express our approval of what God has done in and for us – through Christ
- Expressed by speaking, telling and singing of His wonders

THE GLORY OF HIS GRACE ("His Glorious Grace")

- God's revelation of Himself to the Believer
- God's exhibition or manifestation of His character
- The splendor and radiance of God revealed

GRACE

- This word sums up what God has done and how He has approached us
- It is the free unmerited favor of God towards undeserving people
- Because grace is free, it can never be earned
- Grace can only come from God. It has no other source.
- Romans 11:4 – 6. "But what does the divine response say to him? I have reserved for Myself seven thousand men who have not bowed the knee to Baal. Even so then, at this present time there is a remnant according to the election of grace. And if by grace, then it is no longer of works; otherwise grace is no longer grace. But if it is of works, it is no longer grace, otherwise work is no longer work."

CORRESPONDING SCRIPTURES FROM EPHESIANS

- Ephesians 1:12. "That we who first trusted in Christ, should be to the praise of His glory."
- Ephesians 1:14. "Who is the guarantee of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, to the praise of His glory."

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