

Message Notes

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Words (That) Matter: Grace
2 Corinthians 12:1-10
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- How we understand _____ impacts the way we live out our _____.

You then...be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. 2 Timothy 2:1

What Is Grace?

- **Charis** = a _____ that creates a _____ & an ongoing relationship. John 1:14-17
- ① _____. God offers us as we _____ in Jesus' _____ for us. Eph 2:1-9
- ② _____. God bestows on us at Christ's _____. 2 Cor 8:9; Eph 1:7 Titus 3:7
- ③ _____. God gives us daily to _____ the _____-centered life. Titus 2:11-14
- God's grace _____ & _____ us, so there's no room to _____.

But He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you,
for My power is made perfect in weakness." 2 Corinthians 12:9

How Can We Be Strong In His Grace?

- By consciously _____ on Him & not _____. 2 Cor 1:8-9
- We're strong in His grace when we're _____ & we _____ it. 2 Cor 12:7-10
- Grace doesn't mean we have no _____ to play or no _____. 1 Cor 15:10
- Like _____, God gives us grace _____ at a time. Exodus 16:4-5,31
- As we allow His grace to _____ in us, we _____ pass it on. 2 Cor 8:1-7

As God's co-workers we urge you not to receive God's grace in vain. 2 Corinthians 6:1

Now Is The Time, Today Is The Day

- LORD, I confess my _____ & ask You to _____ me. Rom 10:9-13; 2 Cor 6:2
- LORD, teach me to _____ on Your amazing _____ today & not myself.