



The Blessings of Grace
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Genesis 6:8; 2 Cor. 8:9

QUOTE: This (Gen. 6:8) is the first mention of Grace in the Bible. The term occurs frequently and is used to denote – the Unmerited *Favour* of God (Rom. 3:24; Eph. 1:7; Eph. 2:8; 1 Cor. 15:10; Tit. 2:11); the *Condescension* and *Sacrifice* of Christ (2 Cor. 8:9); the *position* into which Divine favour brings the believer (Rom. 5:2); *Divine help* in weakness (2 Cor. 12:9); and Christian *liberality* (2 Cor. 8:6). Naismith, Archibald

ABRAHAM: A RECIPIENT OF GRACE

- 1) Abraham was called out of **idolatry** by the voice of God. (Josh. 24:2; Gen. 12:1)
- 2) Abraham Was Counted **Righteous** by Grace (Gal. 3:6)
- 3) Abraham was given the unconditional **covenant** of grace. (Genesis 12 and 15)

AS WE SAW IN OUR SCRIPTURE READING, JESUS BRINGS GRACE AND TRUTH.
(John 1)

THE SEVEN BLESSINGS OF THE GRACE OF GOD

- I. **Abounding** Grace (Rom. 5:20; See also Rom. 5:17; 2 Cor. 4:15: 9:7-8; James 4:6)
- II. **Electing** Grace (Rom. 11:5; 2 Tim. 1:9)
- III. **Saving** Grace (Eph. 2:8-10)
- IV. **Justifying** Grace (Rom. 3:24; Titus 3:7)
- V. **Establishing** Grace (Heb. 13:9)
- VI. **Sustaining** Grace (2 Cor. 12:9; Heb. 4:16; 1 Pet. 5:10)
- VII. **Reigning** Grace (Rom. 5:21)

CONCLUSION