

Series: A Glorious Grace: The Sovereignty Of Grace

Message: The Doctrines Of Grace: Part Three

Scripture: Selected Texts (NASB)

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Last Two Weeks

1. God's Grace Is Essential.
2. God's Grace Is Sovereign.

- 1) The sinful fall of mankind in Adam and Eve left man wounded as a sinner, yet still capable of choosing God.

vs. God's Grace Is Essential

- 2) At best God knew or foresaw who would respond to the gospel and then God chose them.

vs. God's Grace Is Sovereign

- 3) Christ's death on the cross was designed to pardon every person, yet only some believe.

vs. God's Grace Is Particular

- 4) God's grace, given to save people, can be resisted and thus forever thwarted.

vs. God's Grace Is Irresistible

- 5) Man can be saved by God's grace, yet choose to abandon his once enjoyed salvation.

vs. God's Grace Is Irretractable

Journalled thoughts

Unless we see the extent of our sin, we cannot grasp the depth of love required by God to embrace us unconditionally.

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And unless we see the extent of God's sovereignty in showing us grace, we will always see His embrace conditioned by something we've done to merit His love.

This week:

3. God's Grace Is Particular.

John 17:9

⁹ I ask on their behalf; I do not ask on behalf of the world, but of those whom You have given Me; for they are Yours;

Matthew 1:21

²¹ She will bear a Son; and you shall call His name Jesus, for [a]He will save His people from their sins.

John 10:11, 14-15

¹¹ I am the good shepherd; the good shepherd lays down His life for the sheep.

¹⁴ I am the good shepherd, and I know My own and My own know Me,

¹⁵ even as the Father knows Me and I know the Father; and I lay down My life for the sheep.

Matthew 26:28

²⁸ for this is My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for forgiveness of sins.