

## The Grace Effect #1

### Grace Defined

2 Peter 3:18; Mark 2:17; Genesis 6; Hosea 11; Matt 20:15

- "You get what you \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_
- "No pain, \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_
- Success is not given, \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_
- God helps those who \_\_\_\_\_
  
- **2 Peter 3:18 (NLT)** – *You must grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ*
  
- **Grace is an unobligated giver unconditionally giving to an underserving person**
  
- **Mark 2:17 (NLT)** – *“Healthy people don’t need a doctor—sick people do. I have come to call not those who think they are righteous, but those who know they are sinners.”*
  
- **SICK PEOPLE don’t have the strength, knowledge, resources or ability to fix themselves**
  
- **Genesis 6:8** - *But Noah found grace in the eyes of the LORD.*
  
- **Grace can’t be earned with action, works, deeds or laws**
  
- **Hosea 3:1 (NLT)** – *Then the Lord said to me, “Go and love your wife again, even though she commits adultery with another lover. This will illustrate that the Lord still loves Israel, even though the people have turned to other gods and love to worship them.”*
  
- **Grace is not rational, reasonable, or conditional**
  
- **Matt 20:15 (NLT)** - *Is it against the law for me to do what I want with my money? Should you be jealous because I am kind to others?’*

- Peter denied Christ, but was embraced by Christ
- **Grace is extravagant, excessive and unearned**
- **Grace is The unmerited and unearned love and favor of God**