



## Scripture Engagement

### GOD'S STORY OF GRACE

Paul says we Christians are “not Under law, but under grace.” (*Rom. 6:14-15*). We are not under the law system as a way of salvation; we are under the grace system. We know that we are still obligated to obey God’s law commands, but we realize that we are not saved by achieving a certain level of obedience to those commands. Rather, we are saved by the grace of God, through our sincere trust in the redemptive works of Christ. As believers we exist in grace; we live in grace; we act in grace.

-Jack Cottrell

\_\_\_ **Mon: Romans 5:12-19**  
*Death in Adam; Life in Christ*

\_\_\_ **Tues: Ephesians 2:1-10**  
*By grace, through faith*

\_\_\_ **Wed: John 1:12-17**  
*Grace upon grace*

\_\_\_ **Thurs: Romans 5:1-5**  
*Peace with God through faith*

\_\_\_ **Fri: Ephesians 1:2-9**  
*Spiritual blessings in Christ*

If you chose to participate, please mark the daily scriptures that are completed and drop in next weekend’s offering tray or you can sign in online.

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## Spiritual Blessings

Of all the spiritual blessings we receive through our relationship with God in Jesus Christ, Grace and Mercy are twin blessings received daily.

“Your Grace is sufficient” 2 Cor 2:9  
“Mercies new each morning” Lam 3:23  
“Saved by grace through faith” Eph 2:8

### God’s Grace and Mercy

doesn’t just change your eternal future; It changes your present reality.



**Grace:** a gift, freely given, unmerited and unearned favor, good-will, loving-kindness from God.

**Mercy:** a loving compassion, pity, tenderness, forbearance and kind-heartedness from God

#### Easily understood as:

**Grace:** Receiving what you don’t deserve.

**Mercy:** Not receiving



**Dear God,** I am asking that your **grace and mercy** would continue to follow me all the days of my life, and that I would extend these same gifts to others as you have lovingly given them freely to me.



Holy Father I ask that you would use every gift of grace and mercy that you have given me to enable and equip me to Go, Sow, and Grow the Kingdom for your Glory.

Study -- Pray -- Apply



