

GRACE
To You

1 Peter 1:13-21

“Grace” is mentioned in every New Testament book save 1st and 3rd John

Paul’s typical introduction... “Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ” (**Romans 1:7**)

Paul’s Typical Concluding Prayer... “The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you” (**Romans 16:20**)

“Grace” is God’s power to overcome sin



A Common
Phrase?

Galatians 2:20

I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.



Reclaiming What
Belongs To God

Ephesians 2:10

For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.



God's Masterpiece

Romans 8:29

For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren



God's Masterpiece

Philippians 1:6

being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ



God's Masterpiece

James 4:7-9

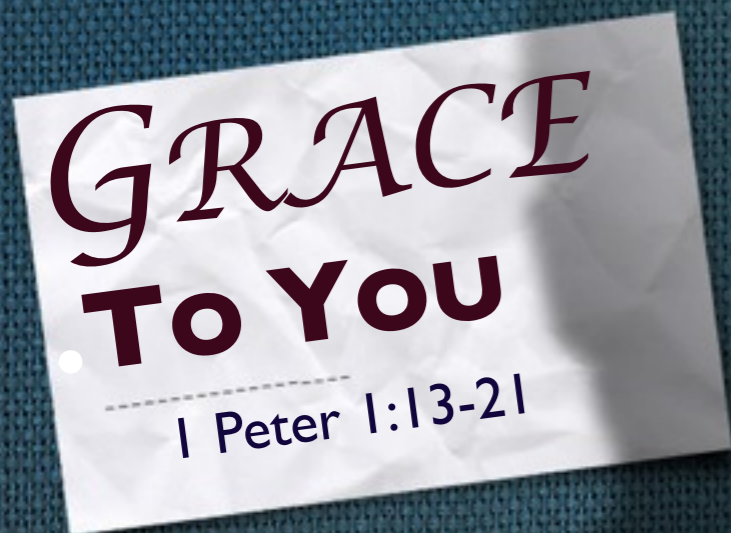
⁷Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Lament and mourn and weep! Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom.



God's Masterpiece

James 4:5-6, 10

⁵Or do you think that the Scripture says in vain, “The Spirit who dwells in us yearns jealously”? ⁶But He gives more grace. Therefore He says: “God resists the proud, but gives grace to the humble”...¹⁰Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up.



God's Masterpiece

Philippians 2:12-13

¹²Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; ¹³for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.



God's Masterpiece

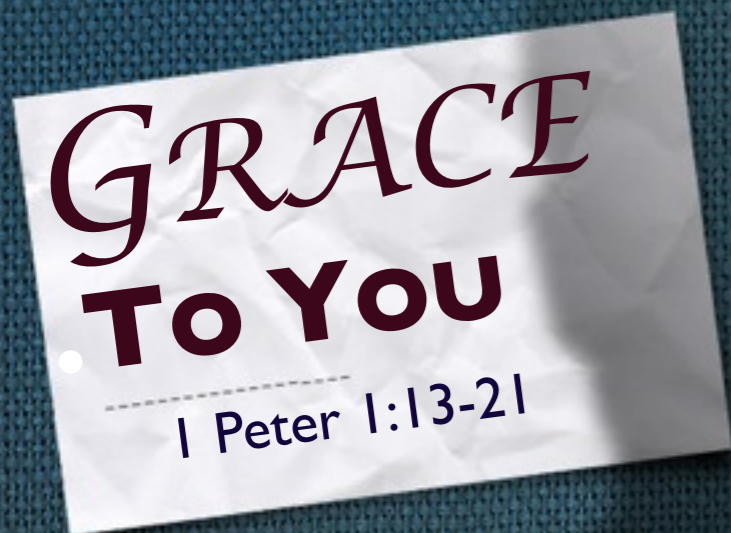
1 Corinthian 15:9-10

⁹For I am the least of the apostles, who am not worthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace toward me was not in vain; but I labored more abundantly than they all, yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.



God's Masterpiece

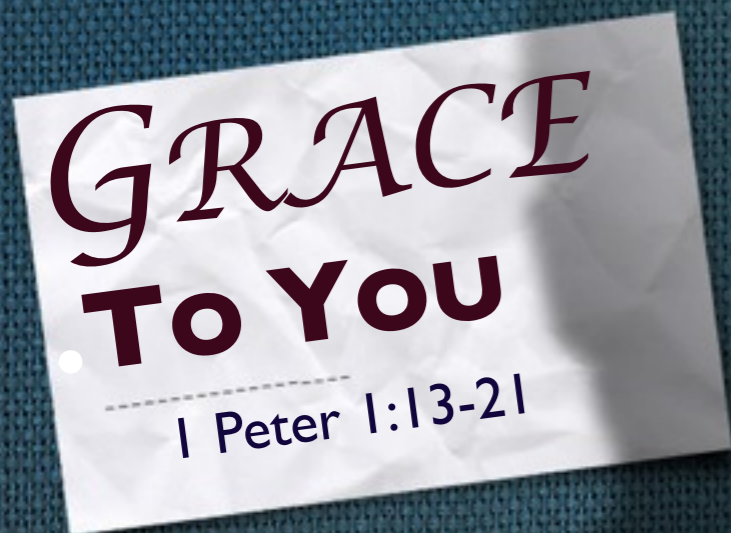
Ephesians 2:1-10



God's Masterpiece

2 Corinthian 3:18

But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.



God's Masterpiece

**Do You Need
God's Grace?**