GRACE APPEARED TITUS 2:11-15



VERSE 11 ITS SALVATION

"For the grace of God has appeared" (NASB)

- Appeared/appearing (vv. 11, 13) of Christ.
- Grace appeared at incarnation – John 1:1-5, 9, 14, 16-17
- Romans 5:15, 18 gift by the grace of Jesus Christ.



VERSE 11 ITS SALVATION

"bringing salvation to all men" (NASB)

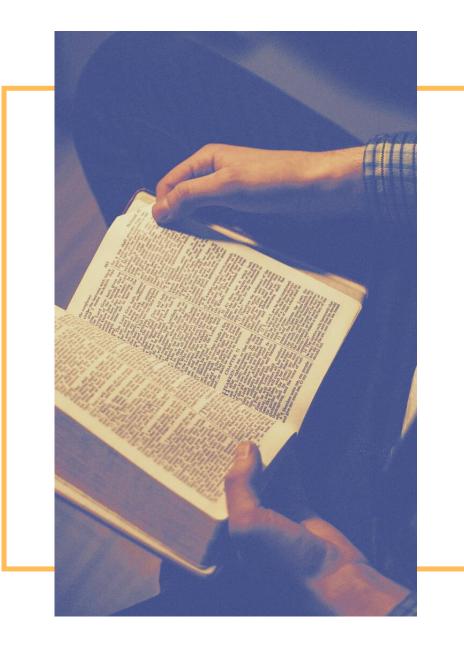
- Universal availability –
 2:1-10; 1:12; 3:3
- Grace appeared to save, not by works – 3:4-7
- "through" (v. 5b); John 1:12-13; 3:3, 5; Romans 6:4



VERSE 12 ITS INSTRUCTION

"Teaching us"

- *paideuō* (cf. Eph. 6:4)
- Renewing of the Holy Spirit – Titus 3:5;
 2 Cor. 4:16; Rom. 12:2;
 Eph. 4:20-24
- Regeneration/Renewin g/Rebirth – 1 Peter
 1:23; 2:1-3 – to further growth.



VERSE 12 ITS INSTRUCTION

Grace is God's Transformative Power

- Titus 1:10-11, 15-16 these do not know it.
- Grace is to change our lives – Titus 3:1-3; 2:5, 9-10



VERSE 13 ITS HOPE

"looking for" – submission to grace's teaching is active anticipation of our hope.

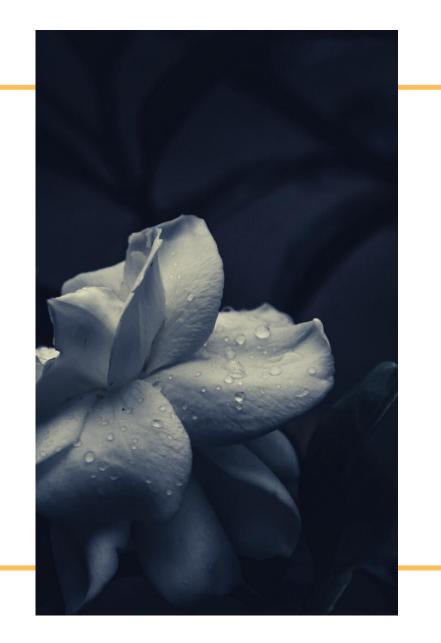
- Titus 1:1-3 the *"sound doctrine"* is joined with the hope of eternal life.
- Cf. Acts 1:8-11– our work in Christ is in view of His coming.



VERSE 13 ITS HOPE

"the blessed hope and glorious appearing"

- Christ is our hope Colossians 3:1-4
- Appear with Him in glory 1 John 3:1-3
- Looking forward to these things, we grow – 2 Peter 3:14, 18

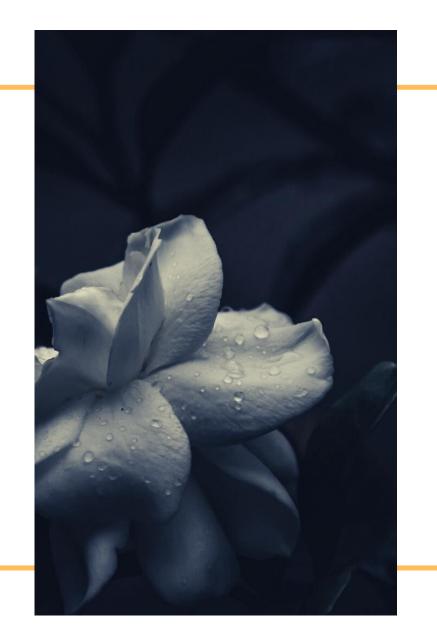


VERSE 14 ITS SANCTIFICATION

"to purify for Himself a people for His own possession" (NASB)

Grace Sets Us Apart for God

- Titus 3:8, 14 careful to maintain good works.
- Ephesians 2:10;
 1 Peter 2:5 given to good works.

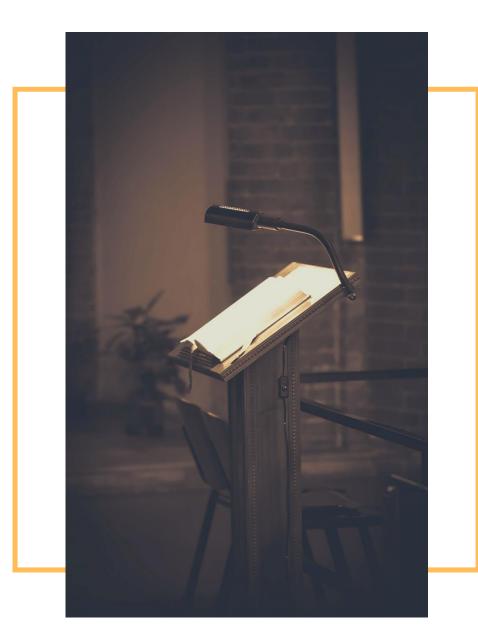


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Grace Sets Us Apart for God

- Zeal comes from the appreciation of grace –
 2 Corinthians 5:14-15
- Something we pursue –
 2 Timothy 2:20-22



VERSE 15 ITS PROCLAMATION

"Speak these things, exhort, and rebuke with all authority. Let no one despise you."

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