

GOD'S AMAZING GRACE

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Transforming Grace

The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love. Psalm 145:8

How To Be Transformed By Grace:

- I) _____ the way I think.
 - A. You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had. Philippians 2:5
 - B. Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect. Romans 12:2
 - C. Three attitude influencers:
 - 1) The _____ we think.

"Be careful what you think because thoughts run your life." Proverbs 4:23 (NCV)
 - 2) The _____ we keep.

Do not be misled: "Bad company corrupts good character." 1 Corinthians 15:33 (NIV)
 - 3) The _____ we possess.
 - (a) P - _____.
 - (b) R - _____.
 - (c) O - _____.
 - (d) B - _____.
 - (e) L - _____.
 - (f) E - _____.
 - (g) M - _____.
 - (h) S - _____.
- II) _____ to focus on others.

Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too. Philippians 2:4
- III) _____ through my quitting points.
 - A. No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us. Philippians 3:13-14

B. We can rejoice, too, when we run into problems and trials, for we know that they help us develop endurance. And endurance develops strength of character, and character strengthens our confident hope of salvation. Romans 5:3-4

IV) _____ a course for growth.

A. I have hidden your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you. Psalm 119:11

B. How do you chart a new course for growth?

1) Memorize,

2) _____.&

3) Analyze.

C. Your word is a lamp to guide my feet and a light for my path. Psalm 119:105

Verses for the Week:

Monday: For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)

Tuesday: For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline. 2 Timothy 1:7

Wednesday: Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. Peter 5:7 (NIV)

Thursday: "For God has bought you with a great price. So use every part of your body to give glory back to God because He owns it." 1 Corinthians 6:20 (TLB)

Friday: I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. Philippians 4:13 (NKJV)

My Next Step Is:

- I'm deciding for Christ and accepting the free gift of Salvation!
- I'm recommitting my life to Christ.
- I will memorize Philippians 3:13-14.
- I will follow the steps to be transformed by grace this week.