

# What's So Amazing About God's Grace?

(John 1:1-16)

- Introduction:
1. One of the most irrational thoughts humans entertain is, "Does God really care about me?"
  2. God's grace stands as a monument answering that question.
    - a. God's grace transcends time.
    - b. God's grace is given in abundance.
  3. In this lesson, let us attempt to gain a greater appreciation of the grace of God which surpasses knowledge.

## I. The Grace Of God Is Likened Unto...

- A. A Self Sacrifice (John 10:18; Matthew 20:28).
- B. An Offer Of Forgiveness (Romans 4:7-8; Ephesians 1:7).
- C. A Sacrifice Of A Son (John 3:16; 2 Corinthians 5:21).

## II. The Reality Of God's Grace Is Even Greater

- A. It was a self sacrifice, but it was more than that.
- B. It was an offer of forgiveness, but it was more than that.
- C. It was a sacrifice of a son, but it was more than that.
- D. Jesus didn't just die for friends, unlightened misguided people, or strangers, He died for his enemies!
- E. (Romans 5:6-10).

## III. Angry With God's Grace?

- A. (Jonah 4:2) Many are so preoccupied with the "Great Fish" that they miss the "Great God."
- B. (Matthew 20:1-16) The laborers were angry with grace.
- C. (Luke 15) The elder son was angry with grace.

## IV. How God Dispenses His Grace

- A. God's grace is given unconditionally (Titus 2:10-11), and received conditionally (2 Corinthians 6:1).
- B. Salvation is a gift that has conditions (Acts 2:22-47).

- Conclusion:
1. God loves you. That question was settled at the cross.
  2. Whether or not you love God may be an issue that needs to be settled.
  3. Why not settle that question today through faith and obedience to God's commands.