

What Does the Grace of God Teach? **Titus 2:11-13**

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Introduction:

- God's grace has been extended to mankind and salvation from the penalty of sin has been offered.
- *"We then, as workers together with him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain."* **2 Corinthians 6:1**
- There is some _____ that should come forth once the grace of God has been received.

The grace of God teaches us:

To deny _____ - vs. 12a

- Once you are saved, you have the divine nature of Jesus Christ dwelling in you. Your complete identity has _____.
- *"Who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father."* **Galatians 1:4**
- The grace of God sets you free from the _____ of sin.
- *"For sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not under the law, but under grace."* **Romans 6:14**

To live _____ - vs. 12b

- The grace of God sets you free from sin so that you can live:
 - **Soberly** - sound in _____, purpose, and judgment.
 - **Righteously** - doing that which is right.
 - **Godly** - displaying the character of _____.
- God's grace teaches you the sins you need to put _____ and deny, but then it teaches you what to put _____. It teaches you a new way to live. Colossians 3:8-14

To focus on _____ - vs. 13

- The grace of God teaches us that there is something _____ this brief life. God has an eternal plan and purpose for us.
- God's grace teaches us to keep our focus on Christ, not on the things of this temporal life.
- *"For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory; While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal."*
2 Corinthians 4:17-18

God's grace brings:

1. Freedom from the _____ of sin. vs. 11
2. Freedom from the _____ of sin. vs. 12
3. Freedom from the _____ of sin. vs. 13