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## **Amazing Grace**

Unmerited favor. That's what our God is offering us. A free gift. He desired fellowship with us so much that He paid the price for our sins. He knew our sinful nature could never exist in the holiness of His presence. All our righteousness is as filthy rags. So He offered grace. It is the gift of God lest anyone should boast. Our only part is faith in His grace. A gift from He who causes all things to be. God is all in all. What a savior we serve.

We are born again into His grace. We must now strive to walk after the spirit and not after the flesh. It is usually a somewhat difficult journey, even as a newborn babe learns to walk. But the whole time we are growing towards maturity, He is there to help us and cover out failings. He is faithful and just to continually cover our sins. His mercy is without measure to the children of God.

Now that we are under grace and not under the law, we need to feed the spiritual man for him to grow. We need to feed upon the Word of God and be transformed by the renewing of our mind. His Word has that power. Feed and grow until you can say like David did, "One thing I have desired of the Lord, That will I seek: That I may dwell in the house of the Lord All the days of my life, To behold the beauty of the Lord, And to inquire in His temple." Psa. 27:4

Some would view it as an excuse to slide and get by with things but that is not the heart attitude of someone who loves God. We should strive to please Him and to be like Him. We love the

light more than the darkness. If you do not, you must question yourself as to whether you are truly born again. I do not believe you lose your salvation every time you fall short, but I believe we all need to keep short accounts with God. We all need to cling to Him tightly for He is our life and the length of our days.

The Word says "All things are lawful for me, but all things are not helpful. All things are lawful for me, but I will not be brought under the power of any." 1 Cor. 6:12 It's not about being good enough. It's about wanting to please Him in everything you do. It's about letting Him do the work of transformation in us. There is deliverance and transformation available in Jesus. Do not believe those who have a form of godliness but deny its power. The Word says to turn away from such.

The cry goes out to whosoever will. He is not willing that any should perish. His heart longs for all to turn to Him. This magnificent gift from a magnificent God is to all who would turn to Him with a sincere heart and just ask. It's the ABCs of salvation. **A**dmit you're a sinner. **B**elieve in the Lord Jesus Christ.

**C**  
all upon His name.

Let your spirit be born into the realm of your heavenly Father. In His presence is joy unspeakable and full of glory. It is written, eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. I can only imagine.

Amazing grace! (how sweet the sound)  
That sav'd a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears reliev'd;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believ'd!

Thro' many dangers, toils, and snares,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promis'd good to me,  
His word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail,  
And mortal life shall cease;  
I shall possess, within the veil,  
A life of joy and peace.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow,  
The sun forbear to shine;  
But God, who call'd me here below,  
Will be forever mine.

John Newton, Olney Hymns, 1779