

5. Read COLOSSIANS 4:6. How do you think grace would look in one's verbal interaction with others?

6. HEBREWS 12:14 says we are to *strive for peace with everyone*. How can you do that when someone is antagonistic toward God?

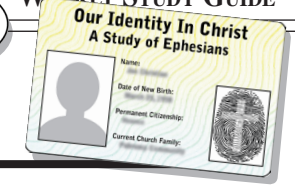
PERSONAL APPLICATION

Prayerfully seek God's leading on how you can better exemplify His grace and peace and write down at least two steps you will take toward this goal.

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2.

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.



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Grace and Peace

Introduction: EPHESIANS 1:1-2

I. _____ the _____ of God's grace and peace.

A. Both grace and peace are _____.

TITUS 2:11; ROMANS 5:1-2

B. For a Christian, _____ is _____ God's grace and peace.

1 PETER 5:10; HEBREWS 13:20

II. As _____ we are _____ God's grace and peace.

A. The _____ of _____ is a _____ of grace and peace.

2 CORINTHIANS 4:15

B. _____ should _____ grace and peace in their _____.

1 PETER 4:10; ROMANS 14:19

STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

III. Grace and peace _____
the _____.

REVELATION 1:4-6

A. _____ from _____,
there is _____ grace and peace.

ROMANS 5:1-2; JOHN 14:27

B. Through Jesus Christ, _____ grace and peace
are _____.

HEBREWS 4:16; 2 THESSALONIANS 3:16

IV. The _____
of grace and peace _____.

A. God _____ us to _____
_____ of His grace and peace.

2 PETER 1:2

B. _____
grace and peace is _____.

2 CORINTHIANS 9:8; 2 PETER 3:18; ROMANS 8:6; GALATIANS 5:22-23

Conclusion: We are a _____
have _____ grace and peace and
_____ grace and peace _____.

1. 2 CORINTHIANS 13:11 says to *live in peace*. Don't all Christians experience God's peace as a result of salvation? Explain and defend your answer.

2. Give some Biblical examples of how Christians are called to show God's grace and peace to others.

3. Since JAMES 4:6 says *God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble*, would it be true that He withholds His grace from those who are not humble? Explain.

4. If abundant grace is a good thing, does it follow that, in a way, sinning is good because it is an opportunity for God's grace to increase? Explain and defend your answer.