

# Access to Grace



Galatians 3:26-29

# Military base access..

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GATE 2



- Identify those who belong and those who do not..

# Review of Grace..

- Unmerited favor (joy)..
- We have all sinned, guilty (Romans 3:20-23) ..
  - The wages of sin is death (eternal separation)..
  - Law system requires keeping (100%) ..
- God sent a Savior (gave His own Son)..
  - Requires our faith (obedience)..

Grace the gift of God  
(Rom 6:23; Eph 2:8-9)

“redeemed with the  
precious blood of Christ”

1 Peter 1:19-20

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**JESUS PAID**  
**A DEBT HE DID NOT OWE,**  
**BECAUSE WE OWED**  
**A DEBT WE COULD NOT PAY.**

# God so loved the world..

## JOHN 3:16

**John 3:18** He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.

**John 3:36** He who believes in the Son has eternal life; but he who does not obey the Son will not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him.

# The Need for Being in Christ..

**Ephesians 1:3** Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ..

**2 Corinthians 5:17** Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.

**Romans 3:23-24** for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, 24 being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus..

# COVENANT FELLOWSHIP

All Spiritual Blessings

IN CHRIST

Forgiveness of Sins

A New Creation

Justification

Redemption

Grace

ACCESS  
citizenship

**2 Timothy 2:19** the firm foundation of God stands, having this seal: "The Lord knows those who are His," and, "Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity."

# Terms of the covenant..

- Uniting with Christ in His death ..
  - **Romans 6:3-7** baptism we become united..

3 “do you not know as many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? 4 Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. 5 For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection, 6 knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin. 7 For he who has died has been freed from sin.

# Terms of the covenant..

- Uniting with Christ in His death - **Romans 6:3-7**
- The Need for a Clear Conscience
  - **Hebrews 9:13-14** For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, 14 how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?
  - **Hebrews 10:19-22** Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, 20 by a new and living way which He consecrated for us..22 let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.

# Terms of the covenant..

- Uniting with Christ in His death - **Romans 6:3-7**
- The Need for a Clear Conscience - **Heb 9:13-14**
- Obey from the Heart
  - **Romans 6:16-18** Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, you are that one's slaves whom you obey, whether of sin leading to death, or of obedience leading to righteousness? 17 But God be thanked that though you were slaves of sin, yet you obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine to which you were delivered. 18 And having been set free from sin, you became slaves of righteousness.

# Two Problems of Sin..

FORGIVEN/RIGHTEOUS

## GUILT OF SIN

**Romans 3:19** that every mouth may be stopped, and all the world may become guilty before God.

## JUSTIFICATION

**Romans 3:24; 8:1**



## POWER OF SIN

**Romans 8:5-8** the carnal mind is enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be. 8 So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

## SANCTIFICATION

**Romans 8:11**



Growing in grace  
and knowledge



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FREE, BUT  
NOT CHEAP!

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