

ROMANS STUDY

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO GRACE.
THE FOUNDATION OF NEW TESTAMENT THEOLOGY.

Romans 5:12-21

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

Wanted Dead And Alive -Part 3

The Gospel of Grace, The Foundation of New Testament Theology
According to Grace By The Apologetics of the Apostle Paul

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Romans 5:12-21

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1.) Pronounced Dead on Arrival

vs. 12-14

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2.) Defined by One Man's Offering

vs. 15-16

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2a.) Jesus' Gift Resulted in Life

vs. 15

Verse 15a

But the free gift is not like the offense.

!!! Not Even Close!!!

There is no comparison except by the evidence of opposites.

Adam worked at his "offense "
- resulting in death and decay.

Jesus gifted His life by "offering us"
- resulting in life and (in) eternity.

Verse 15b

For if by the one man's offense many died, much more the grace of God and the gift by the grace of the one Man, Jesus Christ, abounded to many.

If sin can be passed down to all of humanity by Adam –
How Much More the Grace of God Through Jesus Christ?

Verse 15c

the grace of the one Man, Jesus Christ, abounded to many.

"The Grace of Jesus Christ" – How Gracious is Jesus?

Thus, the God-given choice falls upon us to decide.

John 1:10-12

He was in the world, and the world was made through Him, and the world did not know Him. 11 He came to His own, and His own did not receive Him. 12 But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name:

Grace

grk: charis

unearned favor or chosen affection upon the unworthy.

Here grace is compounded together by both the grace of the father and by the grace of the son – the one man Jesus Christ – resulting in the redemption and reconciliation brought about by salvation of mankind is here stressed.

John 10:10

The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

Abounded

grk: perisseuo

to be over and above and around to abound, to exceed, to have more than enough, increase-increasing, to lavish, to live in a state of prospering, the prosperity of soul, to have a surpassing surplus of favor.

1 Corinthians 15:20-21

But now Christ is risen from the dead, and has become the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. 21 For since by man came death, by Man also came the resurrection of the dead.

1 Corinthians 15:45-49

And so it is written, "The first man Adam became a living being." The last Adam became a life-giving spirit. 46 However, the spiritual is not first, but the natural, and afterward the spiritual. 47 The first man was of the earth, made of dust; the second Man is the Lord from heaven. 48 As was the man of dust, so also are those who are made of dust; and as is the heavenly Man, so also are those who are heavenly. 49 And as we have borne the image of the man of dust, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly Man.

1 John 3:2-3

Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is. 3 And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

Jesus Christ broke the power of sin and death
but the converse is not true. - - Sin and death cannot break
the power of Jesus Christ.

The condemnation of Adam's sin is reversible.
The redemption of Jesus Christ is not.

The effect of Adam's act of sin is permanent
UNLESS nullified by Jesus Christ. Conversely, the effect of Jesus' act
to redeem us is permanent FOR ALL believers and CANNOT BE
reversed or nullified by any unbeliever.

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2b.) Adam's Effort Failed to Condemn	vs. 16a
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Verse 16a

<i>And the gift is not like that which came through the one who sinned. For the judgment which came from one offense resulted in condemnation,</i>
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"Resulted in Condemnation" – No Doubt!

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2c.) Jesus' Gift Resulted in Restoration	vs. 16b
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Verse 16b

<i>but the free gift which came from many offenses resulted in justification.</i>

"Resulted in Justification" – No Doubt!

Prepare to Meet Thy God

Revelation 5:1-6

And I saw in the right hand of Him who sat on the throne a scroll written inside and on the back, sealed with seven seals. 2 Then I saw a strong angel proclaiming with a loud voice, "Who is worthy to open the scroll and to loose its seals?" 3 And no one in heaven or on the earth or under the earth was able to open the scroll, or to look at it. 4 So I wept much, because no one
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was found worthy to open and read the scroll, or to look at it. 5 But one of the elders said to me, "Do not weep. Behold, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has prevailed to open the scroll and to loose its seven seals." 6 And I looked, and behold, in the midst of the throne and of the four living creatures, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as though it had been slain,

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3.) Rescued by One Man's Sacrifice

vs. 17

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3a.) Rescued by Jesus' wealth

vs. 17

Verse 17

For if by the one man's offense death reigned through the one, much more those who receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness will reign in life through the One, Jesus Christ.)

Luke 19:10

For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."

Only Jesus Christ has What We Need to Live

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4.) Divided by Life and Death

vs. 18-21

This Therefore is the Summation of it all

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4a.) By the death of one, we are convicted

vs. 18a

Verse 18a

18 Therefore, as through one man's offense judgment came to all men, *resulting* in condemnation,

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4b.) By the life of One, we are cleared

vs. 18-19

Verse 18b

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the free gift came to all men, resulting in justification of life.

Verse 19

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so also by one Man's obedience many will be made righteous.

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4c.) We live because He lives

vs. 20-21

Verse 20-21

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even so grace might reign through righteousness to eternal life

End of Study

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