GRACE THAT SAVES AND SANCTIFIES DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

TITUS 2:11-15

		SERMON OUTLINE
		The of grace empowers Christian living
		The of glory inspires Christian living.
		This grace and glory is himself.
1	Chi	ristians often talk about grace, but what is "grace"? Write out a definition below.
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		Read John 1:14. What did Paul mean when he wrote in Titus 2:11 that, "the grace of God had appeared?"
2	As	Paul expounds on the effect of grace, he makes a connection between salvation and obedience.
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	O.	Does God's grace come with conditions? Explain your answer.
		Is it possible to receive grace by faith without one's life changing? Why or why not? Let 1 Cor. 6:20, John 14:15, James 1:25, Ephesians 2:10,
		Romans 5:20-21 inform your thoughts.
3		al says in Titus 2:13 that Christians wait for a blessed hope in Christ's glorious appearing. What are some of the things that non-Christians
	tian	ns are waiting for?
	•	How does a believer's "hope," according to Titus 2:13, add meaning to everyday life?
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	M	What does it look like for a Christian to wait for the "blessed hope?" Is it a passive or active process? Explain your answer.

4	According to Titus 2:14, God's people are His own possession. How does that fact encourage you?			
	O ₀	How does God's possession of you emphasize His part in your sanctification?		
	\	What is a practical example of saying "no" to ungodliness this week? How will the gospel be the engine of	that?	
	Q	What would it look like to have temptations that don't gleam so brightly because you're setting them alo	ngside the glory you are heading for?	
5	Tal ing	ke a moment to think about what God did in your heart through Titus 2:1-10 in light of the truths of on the grace and glory of God motivate you to change in the areas God has been at work in your life?	this week's study. How will reflect-	
	~	How have you seen God's grace to be better motivation and empowerment to live in self-discipline and p desires or on a list of regulations?	ourpose, than focusing on your own	
	\	What difficulties have you faced the last few days or weeks? If you are a Christian, you live between the good How does thinking about grace today and glory tomorrow shape your attitude toward those difficulties:	grace and glory of Jesus' appearings. ? (Rom. 8:16-18, 2 Cor. 4:16-17)	
	Ŷ	Who could you encourage to enjoy God's grace and coming glory today?	PRAYER REQUESTS	
	4 0)	As you meditate on the grace of God in Jesus, what aspects stir your heart to worship Him?		
6		nat do you think of when you hear the word doctrine? How would you label or define biblical ctrine in a way that might make it more attractive or appealing?		
	O ₀	In what way does learning doctrine and associated Christian conduct "exhort" or encourage a person (Titus 2:15)?		
	Q	How has being rebuked by the truth of Scripture resulted in good things in your life?		
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