

A HOPE THAT CHANGES EVERYTHING

God's Christmas Grace

Titus 2:11-14

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1. God's Grace Gives Us Hope in Our _____

¹¹ For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people ... Titus 2:11

¹⁷ Because God wanted to show his unchangeable purpose even more clearly to the heirs of the promise, he guaranteed it with an oath, ¹⁸ so that through two unchangeable things, in which it is impossible for God to lie, we who have fled for refuge might have strong encouragement to seize the hope set before us. Hebrews 6:17–18

2. God's Grace _____ Us to Live with Hope

...¹² instructing us to deny godlessness and worldly lusts and to live in a sensible, righteous, and godly way in the present age ... Titus 2:12

²⁴ He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree; so that, having died to sins, we might live for righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed. 1 Peter 2:24

³ And not only that, but we also boast in our afflictions, because we know that affliction produces endurance, ⁴ endurance produces proven character, and proven character produces hope. ⁵ This hope will not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit who was given to us. Romans 5:3–5

3. God's Grace _____ Our Hope in the Future

...¹³ while we wait for the blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ. Titus 2:13

³ We recall, in the presence of our God and Father, your work produced by faith, your labor motivated by love, and your endurance inspired by hope in our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Thessalonians 1:3

¹⁴ He gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to cleanse for himself a people for his own possession, eager to do good works. Titus 2:14

⁹ If you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

¹⁰ One believes with the heart, resulting in righteousness, and one confesses with the mouth, resulting in salvation.

Romans 10:9–10