

# Message Notes

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*In Christ: Saved By Grace*  
Ephesians 2:8-9  
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◆ Once we're \_\_\_\_\_ *in Christ* we're given a new \_\_\_\_\_.

◆ But \_\_\_\_\_ is a person given this new \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ? (Ac 16:30)

## Two Answers

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❶ I \_\_\_\_\_ my salvation through "\_\_\_\_\_." (Ro 3:9-23; Gal 3:2)

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast. **Ephesians 2:8-9**

❷ I \_\_\_\_\_ salvation by \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 3:16; 2 Ti 1:9)

## By Grace Through Faith

◆ *Works*: any \_\_\_\_\_ we \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_.

◆ Works-based systems \_\_\_\_\_ salvation as \_\_\_\_\_. (Lk 18:9-12)

◆ We're drawn to it because it allows us to \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_.

◆ *Grace*: unmerited \_\_\_\_\_, freely given as a \_\_\_\_\_. (Ro 3:24; 5:1-21)

◆ The message of grace is: \_\_\_\_\_ to be "\_\_\_\_\_" enough.

◆ Jesus didn't come to "\_\_\_\_\_" us, He came to make us \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 3:3)

◆ God \_\_\_\_\_ out His grace simply b/c it \_\_\_\_\_ Him to do so.

◆ We receive God's \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 1:12; Ac 16:31; Ro 4:5)

◆ True faith = \_\_\_\_\_ + \_\_\_\_\_ + \_\_\_\_\_.

◆ Living "good" lives is the \_\_\_\_\_ of our salvation, not \_\_\_\_\_.

◆ Have I been \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_? (Lk 15:7)