

**Sermon Notes**  
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**“AMAZING GRACE”**  
**(John 1:14-18)**

**Introduction:** God does **{NOT}** give a definition for grace. He gave us an **{EXAMPLE}**! The best way to understand God’s grace is to study the **{GOSPELS}**!

**I. GOD’S GRACE CAN BE {RECEIVED}!**

\*John 8:2-11            \*Luke 18:9-14            \*Luke 23:40-43            \*Hebrews 4:16  
\*II Corinthians 12:9    \*Philippians 4:13        \*Isaiah 43:2-3a

**Note:** **{HUMILITY}** releases grace! **{PRIDE}** reduces it. (I Peter 5:5-7)

**II. GOD’S GRACE CAN BE {RESISTED}!**

\*Acts 7:51                \*John 17:12                \*Mark 10:17-23

**Note:** **{BITTERNESS}** reduces God’s grace (Hebrews 12:15).

**Note:** **{SIN}** restricts God’s grace (Jude 4).

**III. GOD’S GRACE CAN BE {RESTORED}!**

\*Luke 22:31-32            \*I Timothy 1:14-16        \*II Corinthians 9:8        \*I Peter 5:10  
\*Romans 5:20-21        \*II Peter 3:18                \*II Peter 1:2-3

**Note:** God’s grace can **{MULTIPLY}** and **{ABOUND}**!

**Conclusion:** God’s grace is given to **{ALL PEOPLE}** (John 1:9-1)