

Life Group Discussion Guide The Power of Grace Disciplines of Grace – Titus 2:11-14

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Main thought:

We come to faith by the saving grace of God and we grow in our faith by the disciplining grace of God.

Notes:

Only God in His grace can **resolve** our **past**. (v.11)

Only God in His grace can <u>rewrite</u> our <u>present</u>. (v. 12)

Grace **drives** us away from **danger**.

Grace directs us to discipline.

Only God in His grace can <u>redirect</u> our <u>future</u>. (v. 13)

God's grace can bring **change.** (v. 14)

God can bring change when we are committed to...

- 1. Discipleship (help)
- 2. Worship (hope)
- 3. <u>Fellowship</u> (<u>home</u>)

Welcome and Fellowship Time (suggested time 10 min)

Open in Prayer

<u>Ice-Breaker</u> (suggested sharing time 5-10 min)

• Share a moment when you were rescued or significantly helped by someone. Or perhaps a moment when you were able to rescue or help someone.

<u>Verse of the week</u> (suggested sharing time 5min)

• What is a verse or truth from God's Word that has stood out to you this week from your own personal Bible reading?

Digging In (suggested time 15 min)

Read or recap Titus 2:11-14, and discuss the following questions.

- What stood out to you from this passage or message?
- How did the grace of God appear and offer salvation? Why is it important to start here?
 (v. 11)
- How does God's grace "teach" us according to this passage? (v.12)

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- How does grace drive us away from danger and direct us toward discipline? Why is this important? (v.12)
- What encouragement does this passage bring to you knowing that God's grace can bring change? (v.14)

Application (suggested time 10 minutes)

- What discipline or practices of God's grace has helped you grow and change?
- What do you feel you most need in your life right now to experience change by God's grace Help, Hope, or Home?
- What application or take away did you most need to hear and apply this week from this passage?

<u>Prayer</u> (suggested time 10 minutes)