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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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CHRISTIAN GRACE

Acts 16:35-40

I. Doctrine: *Christian Grace* Contends For the Church's and the Gospel's _____ *First*—even as it also grants Forgiveness to others

A. –God would *Not* Have His Saints “ _____-Over” (at the Expense of Christ's Glory), (Acts 16:37)

B. –God *Would* Have us _____ *Everything* To the Light of Christ's Truth, (Acts 16:38)

II. How *Christian Grace* _____ in the Lives of True Believers, vv. 35-40

A. The *Integrity* and *Reputation* of the Gospel and the Church are to be _____, vv. 35-37

B. The _____ is to be *Established*; and then *Cooperation* may be Agreed-To, vv. 38-39

C. The Church Gets _____ Emboldened For her *Further* Worship and Evangelism, v. 40

III. How Members of *Today's* Church May

_____ *Christian Grace*

A. –By _____ Christ, His Gospel, and His Church *FIRST . . .*, (Acts 16:37)

B. . . . And Then By Being *Exemplary* _____ in *Everyway* we *Can*, (Acts 16:39-40)

Key Verse—v. 37: “*But Paul said to them, ‘They have beaten us publicly, uncondemned, men who are Roman citizens, and have thrown us into prison; and do they now throw us out secretly? No! Let them come themselves and take us out.’*” (ESV)

NOTES & APPLICATIONS:

Aim: To Personify *Christian Grace* in its proper order: For Christ First; and Then the World