

Uniting

ALL THINGS
IN CHRIST

an Ephesians study

HUB GROUP NOTES | MAY 30, 2021
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GRACE THROUGH FAITH (Ephesians 2:8-10)

1) What's so amazing about grace?

Read Ephesians 2:8-10 in two different translations

2) Why is Paul's explanation of grace so important and powerful?

3) Why do human beings struggle to receive a "gift"?

4) Why is it important to keep verse 10 with verses 8-9?

We aren't saved by good works, but we are saved for good works. We are marvelous, spectacular creations of God created for good works. We have received our destiny from God's hand and we are called to walk in this destiny that God planned from the beginning.

5) The word we translate "workmanship" focuses on craftsmanship or design or a skilled potter creating and forming his pottery or the literary skill of a writer in composing poetry or prose. Some have translated it as "masterpiece" or "handiwork" or "work of art". Paul wanted to highlight God's intelligent, skillful design of us as his new creation.

In the ups and downs of life, why is it so important to remember that God has a destiny He has created and wants us to walk in?

How can we help each other this summer to remember this?

6) Name two “good works” you think the Holy Spirit has destined you for this summer? (be specific)

1)

2)

How can we pray for you in these areas in the months ahead?

2021 BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER REQUESTS:

Father, pour out your Spirit on us and move us forward together.

Father, please retire the Worship Center mortgage by 2025.

Father, please use us to build a reproducing church among an unreached people - the Nyamwezi - by 2030.