



“BUT GOD...”
Ephesians 2:1-10 (ESV)

WHAT AM I SAVED FROM?

Ephesians 2:1-3 1 And you were **dead** in the trespasses and sins 2 in which you once walked, following the course of this **world**, following **the prince of the power of the air**, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience— 3 among whom we all once lived in the passions of our **flesh**, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of **wrath**, like the rest of mankind.

1. SPIRITUAL DEATH

2. THREE ENEMIES:

A. The _____

B. The _____

C. The _____

3. THE WRATH OF GOD AGAINST SIN



WHAT AM I SAVED BY? (GRACE VS. WORKS)

Ephesians 2:4 But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, 5 even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved— 6 and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, 7 so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. 8 For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, 9 not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Romans 3:23-24 For there is no distinction: 23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, 24 and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus,

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WHAT AM I SAVED FOR?

Galatians 5:13 For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.

2 Corinthians 9:8: "God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work."

2 Corinthians 12:9: "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness."

1 Corinthians 15:10: "By the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me."

Ephesians 2:10 For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

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