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Romans Five Access by Faith into His Grace

Romans 5:1-11

Romans 3:26=God justifies those who have faith in Jesus. v.28=a man is justified by faith apart from the law!

Romans 4= Abraham is God's example of a man being justified by faith. There was no Law of Moses, yet God calls Abraham the father of faith. Thus he is the example for both Jew & Gentile that a man is saved by grace thru faith.

Romans 4:5=God credits his faith as righteousness

See also 4:24, 25 = God credits us as well.

Romans 5:1= We are already [since the Cross] declared by God as "not Guilty" Just-as-if-we'd never-sinned.

The results of Justification:

1. Peace with God thru Jesus Christ

The peace "of" God [Phil 4:4] is not the same as peace with God.

Peace with God is Positional

Peace of God if experiential

2. We have access to His Grace v 2

This word "access" = carries the ancient idea of entrance into the throne room of royalty- before the face of the King.

3. Faith unlocks the door to the Heart of the Father.

Romans 4 illustrates Abraham as God's example of a man justified by faith. God is pleased with faith! See Heb. 12:6

Note: You'll only experience the Father's love for you by Faith. Believing in who Jesus is and what He has done for you, releases Grace to flow into your spirit See 5:5

Note 5:5=the 1st mention of the Holy Spirit in Romans. It took Paul five chapters to get you to this intimate relationship with God!!