

**Blessed  
by  
Grace**

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**Prophecy Program**  
*Israel*

Blessings received  
from God  
conditionally  
by keeping the law.

**Dispensation of Grace**  
*Body of Christ*

Blessings received  
from God  
unconditionally  
by grace.

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**Deut. 28:1,2:** “And it shall come to pass,

**IF**

**thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of  
the LORD thy God, to observe and to do all His  
commandments...that...all these blessings shall  
come on thee, and overtake thee,**

**IF**

**thou shalt hearken unto the  
voice of the LORD thy God.”**

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**Deut. 11:26-28 also says to Israel:**

**“Behold, I set before you this day a blessing and  
a curse; A blessing,**

**IF**

**ye obey the commandments of the LORD your  
God, which I command you this day: And a curse,**

**IF**

**ye will not obey the commandments  
of the LORD.”**

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Deut. 28:1,2: “And it shall come to pass,  
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the voice of the Lord thy God, to  
**OBSERVE** and to **DO all His**  
**commandments**...that...all these  
blessings shall come on thee, and  
overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto  
the voice of the Lord thy God.”

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Exodus 19:5:  
“Now therefore,  
**IF**  
ye will obey my voice  
indeed, and keep my  
covenant,  
**THEN**  
ye shall be a peculiar  
treasure unto Me above  
all people.”

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Deut. 28:15: “If thou wilt not hearken unto the voice of the Lord thy God, to observe to do all His commandments and His statutes...that all these *curses* shall come upon thee, and overtake thee.”

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Verse 1 says of setting Israel  
“on high above all nations of the earth...”

Verses 10,13 says “all people of the earth shall see that thou art called by the name of the Lord...the Lord shall make thee the head, and not the tail.”



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God told Abraham that He would make of him “a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing...and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed”  
(Gen. 12:1-3).



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Deut. 28:3 “Blessed shalt thou be in the city, and blessed shalt thou be in the field.”

Deut. 28:4 “Blessed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy ground, and the fruit of thy cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep.”



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Deut. 28:5 “Blessed shall be thy basket and thy store.”

Deut. 28:6 “Blessed shalt thou be when thou comest in,  
and blessed shalt thou be when thou goest out.”

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Deut. 28:7 “The Lord shall cause thine enemies that rise up against thee to be smitten before thy face: they shall come out against thee one way, and flee before thee seven ways.”



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Deut. 28:8 “The Lord shall command the blessing upon thee in thy storehouses, and in all that thou settest thine hand unto; and he shall bless thee in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.”

Deut. 28:9 “The Lord shall establish thee an holy people unto Himself, as He hath sworn unto thee, if thou shalt keep the commandments of the Lord thy God, and walk in His ways.”



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Deut. 28:12 “The LORD shall open unto thee his good treasure, the heaven to give the rain unto thy land in his season, and to bless all the work of thine hand: and thou shalt lend unto many nations, and thou shalt not borrow.”

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Deut. 28:16 “Cursed shalt thou be in the city, and cursed shalt thou be in the field.”

Deut. 28:17 “Cursed shall be thy basket and thy store.”

Deut. 28:18 “Cursed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy land, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep.”

Deut. 28:19 “Cursed shalt thou be when thou comest in, and cursed shalt thou be when thou goest out.”

# BLESSINGS & CURSES

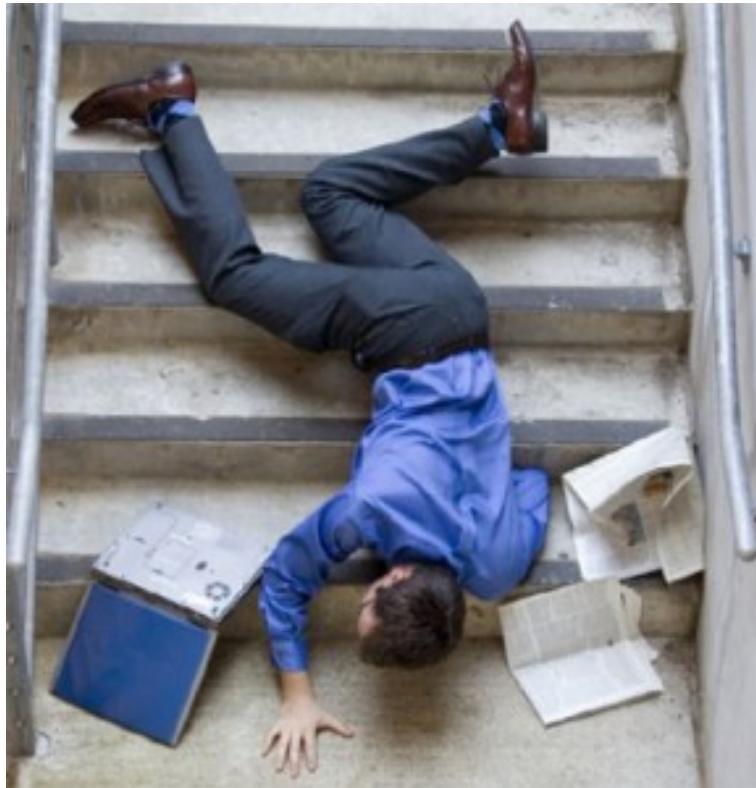
- ✓ Drought, hunger and thirst (vv. 16,17,22-24,48).
- ✓ Children cursed (v. 18): low birth rate and death by disease and plagues (vv. 62,63).
- ✓ Crop failure and animals killed (vv. 18,22,31,32,38-40,42,51).
- ✓ Confusion, panic, madness and fear (vv. 20,28,29,34,65-68).
- ✓ Sickness (vv. 21,22,27,28,35,59-61).
- ✓ Defeat in battle (vv. 25,49-50,52).
- ✓ Wives stolen (v. 30).
- ✓ Plans shattered (v. 30).

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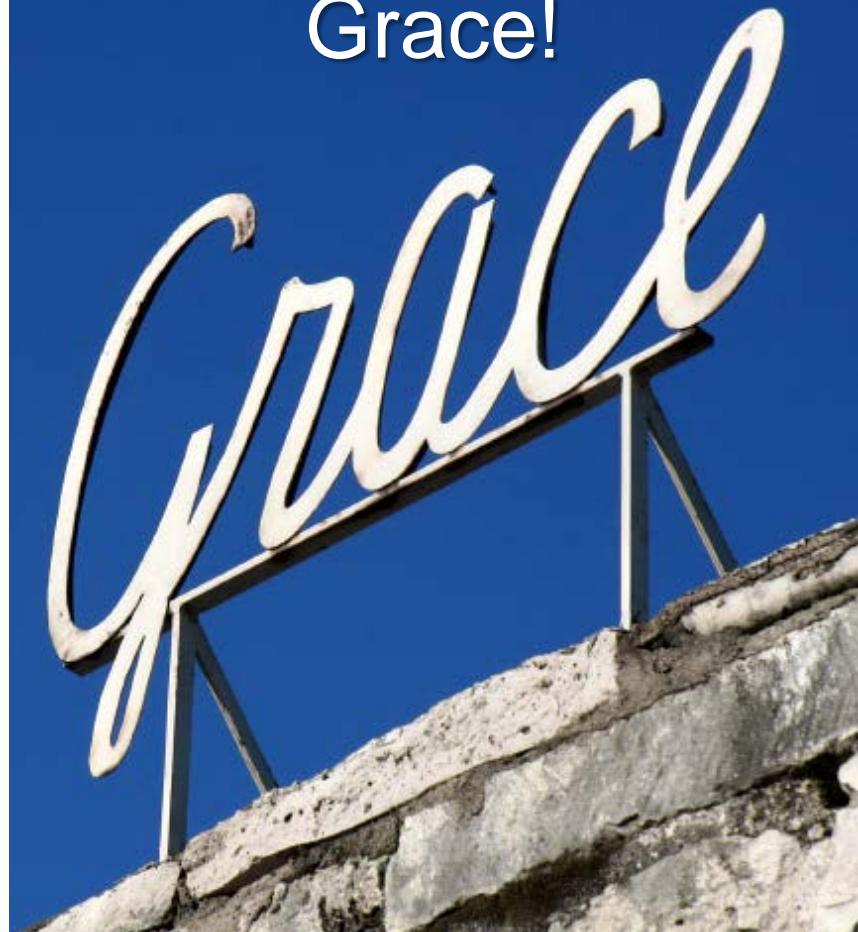
- ✓ Slavery and oppression (vv. 29,33,48,68).
- ✓ Cannibalism (vv. 53-57).
- ✓ Captivity (vv. 36,63,64).
- ✓ Corpses not buried (v. 26)
- ✓ Poverty and debt (vv. 44,48).
- ✓ Robbery (vv. 29,31,33).
- ✓ Children kidnapped (vv. 32,41).
- ✓ Shame and scorn (v. 37).
- ✓ Strangers take over the land/Israel brought low (v. 43).



After Israel's rejection of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit, **Israel fell**, and has been temporarily set aside today.



Today, we're under Grace!



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## Prophecy Program *Israel*

Israel had an *earthly* hope and calling, of a kingdom on the earth. In accordance with their program and its earthly hope, God's emphasis is on their *physical blessings*.

## Dispensation of Grace *Body of Christ*

The Body of Christ has a heavenly hope and calling. In accordance with our program and its heavenly hope, God's emphasis is on our heavenly, spiritual blessings.

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Romans 9:4,5 says, “Who are Israelites; to whom pertaineth the adoption, and the glory, and the covenants, and the giving of the law, and the service of God, and the promises; Whose are the fathers, and of whom as concerning the flesh Christ came, who is over all, God blessed for ever. Amen.”

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Eph. 5:20 “Giving thanks always for **all things** unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

1 Tim. 6:17 “...the living God, Who giveth us richly **all things** to enjoy.”

Rom. 8:32 “He that spared not His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us **all things?**”

Acts 17:25 “He giveth to all life, and breath, and **all things.**”

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Ephesians 1:3:

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ **who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ.**”

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4 In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine in them;

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14 Knowing that he which sent us shall raise up us also with you.

15 For all things are bound to the

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The source of our blessings is from “the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

The scope of our blessings is “*all* spiritual blessings.”

The sphere of our blessings are “in heavenly places in Christ.”





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Eph 1:4 “According as He hath chosen us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love.”



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Eph 1:5 “Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will.”



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Eph. 1:6 “To the  
praise of the  
glory of His  
grace, wherein  
He hath made us  
accepted in the  
Beloved.”



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“Near, so very near to God, nearer I could not be; for in the person of His Son, I’m just as near as He. Dear so very dear to God, dearer I could not be; for in the person of His Son, I’m just as dear as He.”



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Eph 1:7 “In Whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.”

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Eph. 1:9 “Having made known unto us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He hath purposed in Himself:

Eph. 1:10 “That in the dispensation of the fulness of times He might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven, and which are on earth; even in Him.”



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Eph 1:11 “In whom also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated according to the purpose of Him who worketh all things after the counsel of His own will.”



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Eph 1:12 That we should be to the praise of His glory, who first trusted in Christ.

Eph 1:13 In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that Holy Spirit of promise,

Eph 1:14 Which is the earnest of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of His glory.



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**“We are signed, sealed, and  
we will be delivered!”**