

“AMAZING GRACE”
JOHN NEWTON, 1779

Vv. 1-3 = The _____

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but **now am found**;
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath brought me safe **thus far**,
And grace will lead me home.

Vv. 4-6 = The _____ and the _____

The Lord has **promised** good to me,
His Word my hope secures;
He will my Shield and Portion be,
As long as life endures.

Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease,
I shall possess, within the veil,
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.

'Who am I, O Lord God, and what is my family, that you have brought me this far? ...O Lord, there is none like you...'
1 Chronicles 17:16, 20, NLT

THE SIMPLE GOSPEL

We _____

*“Once **you were** dead because of your disobedience and your many sins. You **used to** live in sin, just like the rest of the world ... following the passionate desires and inclinations of our sinful nature. By our very nature **we were** subject to God's anger, just like everyone else.”* Ephesians 2:1-3 [NLT]

But _____

*“**But God** is so rich in mercy, and he loved us so much, that **even though** we were dead because of our sins, he gave us life when he raised Christ from the dead. (It is only by God's grace that you have been saved!)”* Ephesians 2:4-5 [NLT]

By _____

*“God saved you **by his grace** when you believed. And you can't take credit for this; it is a **gift from God**. Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it.”* Ephesians 2:8-9 [NLT]

Makes us _____

*“For we are God's masterpiece. **He has created us anew** in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.”* Ephesians 2:10 [NLT]

*“We are **made right** with God by placing our faith in Jesus Christ. And this is true for everyone who believes, no matter who we are.”* Romans 3:22 [NLT]

*“Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a **new person**. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!”* 2 Corinthians 5:17 [NLT]

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