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## 2. The Holy Spirit's Grace of \_\_\_\_\_

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# *The Holy Spirit*

*a systematic study of pneumatology*

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## A. Grace

### Broadly defined

- That which brings joy, happiness, or good.
- The kindness dispensed b/c of God's kindness
- Unearned b/c a holy God gives to sinful people

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### **Psalm 145:8-9**

*The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.*

*The LORD is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made.*

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*You who are of purer eyes than to see evil and cannot look at wrong, why do you idly look at traitors and remain silent when the wicked swallows up the man more righteous than he?*

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### Psalm 5:4-6

*For you are not a God who delights in wickedness;  
evil may not dwell with you.*

*The boastful shall not stand before your eyes;  
you hate all evildoers.*

*You destroy those who speak lies;  
the LORD abhors the bloodthirsty and deceitful man.*

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### **Job 1:6-8**

*Now there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan also came among them. The LORD said to Satan, "From where have you come?" Satan answered the LORD and said, "From going to and fro on the earth, and from walking up and down on it."*

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### **Job 1:6-8**

*And the LORD said to Satan, "Have you considered my servant Job, that there is none like him on the earth, a blameless and upright man, who fears God and turns away from evil?"*

## 2. The Holy Spirit's Grace of Life

### A. He Grants Life

**Job 33:4**

*The Spirit of God has made me, and the breath of the Almighty gives me life.*

**John 6:63**

*It is the Spirit who gives life*

**2 Corinthians 3:6**

*For the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life*

## 2. The Holy Spirit's Grace of Life

A. He Grants Life

B. He Creates Physical Bodies

**Psalm 104:30**

*When you send forth your Spirit, they are created,  
and you renew the face of the ground.*



## Psalm 139:13-19

*For you formed my inward parts;*

*you knitted me together in my mother's womb.*

*I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.*

*Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.*

*My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth.*

*Your eyes saw my unformed substance;*

*in your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them.*

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C. All Life Is Dependent on the Holy Spirit

***Acts 17***

# 3. The HS's Gracious Communication

## A. Via Nature

### **Genesis 1:2**

*The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep.*

*And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.*

# 3. The HS's Gracious Communication

## A. Via Nature

### **Psalm 33:6**

*By the word of the Lord the heavens were made,  
and by the breath of his mouth all their host.*

## **Psalm 19:1-4**

*The heavens declare the glory of God,  
and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.*

*Day to day pours out speech,  
and night to night reveals knowledge.*

*There is no speech, nor are there words,  
whose voice is not heard.*

*Their voice goes out through all the earth,  
and their words to the end of the world.*

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## B. Via Conscience

### 2 Peter 1:20-21

*knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.*

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### **Romans 2:14-15**

*For when Gentiles, who do not have the law, by nature do what the law requires, they are a law to themselves, even though they do not have the law.*

*They show that the work of the law is written on their hearts, while their conscience also bears witness, and their conflicting thoughts accuse or even excuse them*

# 4. The HS's Gracious Restraint of Evil

## A. In General Terms

### Genesis 6:3

*“Then the Lord said, ‘My Spirit shall not abide [diyn = contend / strive (see ESV footnote)] in man forever...’”*



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## B. The Spirit's Work in God's People

**2 Thessalonians 2**

**Matthew 16:18**

*"...on this rock I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."*

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### 1 Corinthians 3:16-17

*Do you [pl.] not know that you [pl.] are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you [pl.]?*

*If anyone destroys God's temple,  
God will destroy him.*

*For God's temple is holy,  
and you [pl.] are that temple.*

# 4. The HS's Gracious Restraint of Evil

## C. Yet God Gives Some Over

**Romans 1**

**Proverbs 14:34**

*Righteousness exalts a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people.*

# 5. The Holy Spirit's Gracious Gifts

## A. All Good Gifts are from God

**James 1:16-17**

*Do not be deceived, my beloved brothers.*

*Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.*

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B. God is Temporally "Saving" All

**1 Timothy 4**

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## C. He Grants a Variety of Gifts

**Matthew 5**

**Luke 6:35**

*“...and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil.”*

# 6. From Common to Saving Grace

## A. Conviction to the soon-to-be Saved

### **John 16:8-11**

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## B. Regenerating the Lost

### **Romans 4:5**

*And to the one who does not work but believes in him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is counted as righteousness.*

### **Titus 3**

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