

The Journey of Doing Good

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Text: *Ephesians 2:1-10*

A Journey Out of Worldly Tyranny

- The tyranny of _____.
- The tyranny of _____.
- The tyranny of _____.

The Journey is Made Possible by God's Grace

- God makes our journey of goodness possible because of _____.
- God makes our journey of goodness possible through His _____.

The Never-ending Journey to Do Good

- This never-ending journey is rooted in God's _____.
- God is making _____.

Life Enrichment

What did you find most helpful, most challenging, or most troubling about today's teaching? Why?

- What was the process that brought you to faith in Christ? How did you conclude that you needed a new approach to life?
- Why do you think that people fail to see their life in sin as a life under tyranny?
- How do you think the three tyrannies mentioned in Ephesians 2:1-3 work together to keep people under their control?
- What is the wrath of God? Why are people so reactionary toward it today?
- How does God suspend His natural displeasure toward our disobedience and rejection of Him? Why would He choose to be merciful instead?
- Of God's gracious actions mentioned in verses five through seven, which stands out to you? Why?
- Why do you think the result of God's grace is a lifestyle of good works? How does that lifestyle contrast with the lifestyle of sin we once engaged in?
- Take some time to meditate on God's abundant love and lavish mercy. How will His gracious rescue affect the way you live and relate toward others this week?
- What is the Holy Spirit asking you to do this week to extend God's goodness to those who do not yet follow Him?