



GRACE IN THE DESERT

Where no one misses the grace of God

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“The Grace No One Lacks & a Pursuit of Peace”

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Heb. 12:15 See to it that
no one misses the grace
of God and that no bitter
root grows up to cause
trouble and defile many.



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Heb. 12:1 ¶ Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us,

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Heb. 12:2 looking to Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

Heb. 12:3 ¶ Consider him who
endured such hostility against
himself from sinners, so that
you may not grow weary in
your souls or lose heart.



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John 5:16 Therefore the
Jews started persecuting
Jesus, because he was
doing such things on the
Sabbath.



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John 5:17 But Jesus answered them, “My Father is still working, and I also am working.”

John 5:18 For this reason the Jews were seeking all the more to kill him, because he was not only breaking the Sabbath but was also calling God his own Father, thereby making himself equal to God.

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Heb. 12:4 You have not
yet resisted to the point
of shedding blood in
your striving against sin;



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Heb. 12:5 And you have forgotten the exhortation that addresses you as children— ¶“My child, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord or lose heart when you are punished by him, for the Lord disciplines those whom he loves and chastises every child whom he accepts.”

Heb. 12:6

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Heb. 12:7 ¶ Endure trials for the sake of discipline. God is treating you as children, for what child is there whom a parent does not discipline?

Heb. 12:8 If you do not have that discipline in which all children share, then you are illegitimate and not his children.

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Heb. 12:9 Moreover, we had human parents to discipline us, and we respected them. Should we not be even more willing to be subject to the Father of spirits and live?

Heb. 12:10 For they disciplined us for a short time as seemed best to them, but he disciplines us for our good, in order that we may share his holiness.

Heb. 12:11 Now, discipline always seems painful rather than pleasant at the time, but later it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.*



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Heb. 12:12 ¶ Therefore lift your drooping hands and strengthen your weak knees

Heb. 12:13 and make straight paths for your feet, so that what is lame may not be put out of joint but rather be healed.

Heb. 12:14 ¶ Pursue peace
with everyone and the
holiness without which no
one will see the Lord.



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Prov. 18:19 ¶ An offended
friend is harder to win back
than a fortified city.

Arguments separate friends
like a gate locked with bars.



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Heb. 12:14 ¶ Pursue

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and the

sanctification...



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Heb. 12:15 See to it that no one fails to obtain the grace of God, that no root of bitterness springs up and causes trouble and through it many become defiled.



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