

The Sin of Unbelief

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Scripture References:

- John 15:1, 2
- Romans 15:1
- Hebrews 10:4, 5, 10-12, 14, 18, 26-29
- 1 Corinthians 6:9-12
- 1 Corinthians 6:12, *NLT*
- Galatians 5:19-21, 24
- Galatians 5:24, *NLT*
- Zechariah 12:10

Summary:

Grace is a basic concept in the lives of born-again believers; however, too many people misunderstand it and interpret it under the lens of the law. We receive God's unearned, undeserved favor through faith in Jesus Christ, not through our works. This means we won't lose our salvation because of any sinful acts we commit. As His people, God will never hold our past against us; believing this gives us unshakeable security.

Notes:

1. God won't condemn us for past sins; His body and blood were the perfect sin sacrifice.
2. All sin is willful and deliberate; it's wrong-thinking to believe that God can't forgive our "willful" sinful acts. At its very core, the real willful sin is unbelief.
3. Grace frees us from being enslaved to anything. Living under grace means that things once forbidden under the law are no longer forbidden.
4. Although all things are now lawful, we must not let anything control us or put us in bondage to it.
5. Despite good intentions, we can't improve ourselves; we need God's help to succeed. When we get born again, our old, sinful selves die and we turn over our lives to Jesus.

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