



"The entrance of Thy words giveth light..." (Ps 119:130a)

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**Standing fast,
Serving God
as free in 2023.**

**Galatians 5:1;
Romans 6:22**

"Standfast...being made free from sin, and become servants to God..."

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LIGHTHOUSE BBC HOLDS NIGHTLY STEWARDSHIP EMPHASIS FROM TUESDAY TO THURSDAY, JULY 25-27

"...God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work...he that ministereth seed to the sower both minister bread for your food, and multiply your seed sown, and increase the fruits of your righteousness;) being enriched in every thing to all bountifulness, which causeth through us thanksgiving to God" (2 Cor 9:8-11).

minister such grace and be generous in extending this grace in all works, much fruits will result and glory and thanksgiving to God will result. In all things, the key is faithful generosity in stewarding all the grace of God!

This truth is what every member of the Lighthouse BBC should know and apply in wisdom and understanding. It is definitely God's will for us, even as a church to make Him glorious in our lives and ministries. And His glory can only be manifested if we apply the truth about His grace in our lives.

The Lighthouse BBC Stewardship Emphasis is an undertaking that every member of Lighthouse BBC should attend. Nightly, this Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, let us all come and learn to stand on the true Grace of God in us.

A paraphrase of the above passage renders it as follows: "God has the power to provide you with every gracious gift in abundance, so that always in every way you will have all you need yourselves and be able to provide abundantly for every good cause...He who provides both seed for the planter and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way, so that you can be generous in everything. And through us your generosity will cause people to thank God."

One thing is evident in this truth which the Apostle Paul tells the Corinthian church - that God is able to make all grace abound in us so that as we faithfully



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THIRD QUARTER FOCUS

Standing in the True Grace of God

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1 PETER 5:12

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Pastor Reuben with Camarines Sur Governor, Dong Padilla pose with hosts of the Youth Revival Congress in Daet, Ptrs Jan and Ira Tanielra along with some Bicol pastors last Thursday night.

Third Quarter Focus:

"Standing in the True Grace of God"

"...This is the true grace of God wherein ye stand." (1 Peter 5:12)

"Unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen" (Eph. 3:21)

TITLE : THE WORKING OF THE TRUE GRACE OF GOD

Texts : "...the God of all grace, who hath called us unto his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that ye have suffered a while, make you perfect, stablish, strengthen, settle you. To him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.... I have written briefly, exhorting, and testifying that this is the true grace of God wherein ye stand" (1 Pet 5:10-12).

INTRODUCTION

The Apostle Peter gives in this text the manifestations of how the true grace of God works in the lives of His dear children.

4) The true grace of God strengthens His people.

This is strength to go through sufferings and trials marked with patience and longsuffering. Col 1:9-12, "For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; that ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; strengthened with all might, according to his glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness; giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light."

Eph 3:16, "That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man."

2 Cor 12:9, "And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me."

2 Tim 4:16-18, "At my first answer no man stood with me, but all men forsook me: I pray God that it may not be laid to their charge. Notwithstanding the Lord stood with me, and strengthened me; that by me the preaching might be fully known, and that all the Gentiles might hear: and I was delivered out of the mouth of the lion. And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto his heavenly kingdom: to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen."

5) The true grace of God settles His people.

To be settled is to be strong and able in bringing others with you.

Eph 3:16-19, "...strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man; that Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; and to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God."

2 Peter 1:10-11, "...give diligence to make your calling and election sure: for if ye do these things, ye shall never fall: for so an entrance shall be ministered unto you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

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Top photos, Lighthouse Academy faculty members pose for a picture with Principal Thei Morales after the Parents-Teachers meeting yesterday; the LYF members as they complete the Summer Blast last Friday. Lower picture, the members of the TGLFI-ALERT and members of the Lighthouse BBC Bansalan, Davao pose for a picture with Ptrs Bong Gallardo, Bong Escala and PM/Director Dick Ku after the CWOP.