

What are our possessions?

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Introduction

1. 2 Corinthians 6:10
2. Many are living a life that is on the poverty level spiritually not because of these spiritual possession but because they have not possessed they spiritual possessions
3. John 10:10 we can have an abundant life if ww will accept our spiritual possessions
4. We can be rich then, I am a child of a king
5. Today we want to better understand these spiritual blessings and thus not live in spiritual poverty

II Discussion

1. We must understand the Grace of God Ephesians 2:8
 1. Understand that God want all men to be saved 1 Timothy 2:4
 2. Grace was from the beginning Genesis 6:8
 3. God grace was extended in the Levitical period of time too Exodus 33:12-23
 4. We can do nothing to earn our salvation Luke 17:10; Titus 3:5
 5. The children of Israel could not earn their possession Joshua 1:15, the Lord gave it to them Joshua 6; 24:15
 6. Many denominational preachers would have told them that there was nothing they could do. But they did something
2. We must accept the grace of God
 1. There is something we must do in order to be saved Acts 2:37
 2. The children of Israel were given the city of Jericho but they had to do something to obtain it. Joshua 6
 3. Our salvation is in Christ 2 Timothy 2:1, 10; Romans 3:24
 4. All spiritual blessings are in Christ Ephesians 1:3
 5. How does one get into Christ Galatians 3:26-27 Colossians 2:12
 6. Do we trust in God enough to have our possession when we obey His commands?
3. The possessions that are promised us Ephesians 1:3
 1. These riches are spoken of in verse 7, 11, 14
 2. As the children of Israel were to enter into a rest we are promised a rest also Joshua 1:15; Hebrews 3:9-4:11
 3. Do we want this rest and these things that God has promised us?

III Conclusion

1. Are we spiritual living in poverty?
2. There is not anyone to blame but yourself if you are. 3 John 2
3. Accept the riches that God has to offer by obeying Him today

Sources: Sermon preached in 1988