

A Masterpiece of Grace

Ephesians 2:1-10

Day by day the work continues. The more the _____
_____, the more the _____.

In an attempt to free the image of Christ that is encased within
your _____, God begins
chipping away everything that isn't _____.

1) Who You are _____ (2:1-3)

“And you were dead in the trespasses and sins in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience—among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind.”

- _____ (2:1)
- _____ (2:2-3a)
 1. _____ of the World
 2. _____ of Satan
 3. _____ of the Flesh
- _____ (2:3b)

Just as the essence of sculpture is the loss of the stone, the essence of being conformed to the image of Christ is the loss of _____

and all its' _____:

self-_____,

self-_____,

self-_____,

self-_____,

self-_____, and

self-_____.

2) What God did for You _____ (2:4-9)

“But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.”

- Gave you _____ (2:4-5)
- Gave you a _____ (2:6-7)
- Gave you _____ (2:8-9)

Help me to love the person I am _____ more than I long for the person I am _____.

3) Who You are _____ (2:10)

“For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.”

- Divine _____
 1. A masterpiece is _____
 2. A masterpiece is _____
 3. A masterpiece is _____
 4. A masterpiece is always on _____
- Divine _____
- Divine _____

His plan for our lives extends beyond _____ to _____, beyond _____ in grace to _____ on good deeds.

Every believer is like God’s great work of art...living, breathing pictures of his _____ and _____.