



HOPE ANTHEM CHURCH

Firm Foundation: Part 1 – GRACE!

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We must always battle against _____ and _____ that profanes the Gospel!

Read: Acts 15:1-6

Is it worth fighting over?

- *Doctrine.*
- _____.
- *Abortion.*
- _____.
- *Role of women in the Church.*
- _____.
- *Allocation of Funds.*
- _____?

We are saved by _____ alone, through _____ alone, in _____ alone!

Read: Acts 15:7-11

The grace of God is freely _____ and freely _____. External rituals cannot transform the _____.

Read: Acts 15:12-19

James provided scriptural support to strengthen Peter's claim that God's plan included having a people for Himself _____.

Read: Acts 15:20-21

James modeled how we ought to display grace toward other Christians who may be _____ by particular practices.

Read: Acts 15:22-31

Christians must be iron pillars in the _____ and flexible with their convictions in the _____ - _____.

Extra Notes: _____



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Jesus loves me the way He finds me today, but He loves me too much for me to stay this way. If I'm going to make a difference for Him with my life in 2025, then I must grow in HIM!

Growth often comes through wrestling with questions: If not, why not?

- *Have I joined a small group?*
- *Have I started my generosity journey?*
- *Have I discovered my purpose?*
- *Am I making a difference?*
- *Have I been water baptized?*
- *Who am I helping to make these decisions?*

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Questions to consider and reflect on this week:

- 1. Why do people have a difficult time embracing the message of GRACE?*
- 2. What "Jesus-plus" gospels have I heard taught? How does Acts 15 disagree with them?*
- 3. What from Peter's speech spoke to my heart? (Vs. 7-12)*
- 4. Who is James, and what role did he play in the counsel at that time?*
- 5. Why is the use of scripture important for mediating conflict?*
- 6. Why does James give those 4 restrictions to the Gentiles?*
- 7. What does this chapter in Acts teach me about my conscience?*
- 8. What are some freedoms I might need to limit in order not to violate the consciences of the people in my Christian circle and the people I'm trying to reach?*
- 9. What does this chapter teach about essentials and nonessentials of the faith?*
- 10. Read the Book of Galatians and list some of the issues there that are also found in Acts 15.*

Write a prayer and pray it from what I learned this week in reflection:

