

The Book of Romans 5:1-2

Key Phrases

- ✓ *Therefore, having been justified:* A transition from the _____ of justification to the _____ of justification.
- ✓ *Peace with God:* At salvation, the believer goes from being an _____ of God to being a _____ of God.
- ✓ *Access by faith into this grace:* Salvation provides the believer with an access to God that is both _____ and _____.
- ✓ *In which we stand:* We are not saved by divine grace and then preserved by _____.
- ✓ *Rejoice in the hope of the Glory of God:* In Christ, we have a hope that helps us overcome our present frustrations when we _____ or all that God wants us to be.

Discussion Questions

1. What are some things that people get excited about today?
2. Why does there seem to be a lack of excitement about salvation in the church?
3. How is the peace of God different than worldly peace? Can you have one without the other?
4. Hebrews 10:19 talks about the confidence we have to enter God's presence. How has that confidence turned into carelessness in our culture?
5. How can the "hope of the glory of God" be used as both a burden and a blessing when it comes to Christian living?
6. What are some practical ways we can help people remain "excited" about their salvation?
7. Is there anything that is getting in the way of you consistently celebrating your own salvation?