

summer 2021

# GraceLife

MINISTRIES



bringing grace to life

## A WORD FROM CHARLIE

The secret is out--I love to fish! I have yet to see any fish I catch come out of the water clean and filleted. They all come just as they are, slime and all. I usually practice catch and release, but I do keep certain fish to eat. When I do, the cleaning process begins, and it's usually pretty messy.

It's the same when God saves us. We come as we are and He begins the cleanup process. And it can get messy as we learn to live for Him. Titus 2:11-12 says that the grace of God trains us to deny ungodliness and to live a godly life. It's not vice versa; we do not have to live a godly life so that God will give us His saving grace. Grace by definition is a free gift never earned by anything we do or don't do. Training implies time. It takes time and God's help to change.

Still, all over the world, people are trying to do enough good things and not do bad things in order to earn God's salvation and favor. The end result of that belief is confusion, legalism, no assurance of salvation, and perhaps even no salvation. That's why our ministry is so important and needed everywhere. The clear gospel of God's free grace is hard to find. I know that is hard to believe, but I can testify it is true—or I don't understand Ephesians 2:8-9 that says we are saved by grace through faith, not by works.

Jesus did the work of paying for our sins and rising from the dead so that we only need to accept His free offer of eternal life.

So, I will preach the message of grace until all hear and believe it. That means besides ministry in the States, I will teach in South Africa and Ukraine this summer. I will also keep writing resources and producing podcasts to help people know and grow in grace. All this is possible through your prayers and financial support. I and many others are very grateful for you and your interest in GraceLife. May you grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Until all hear,

*Charlie Bing*  
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**KEEP IN TOUCH!**  
On Facebook as  
**GraceLife Friends**  
or at **GraceLife.org**



## Grace Means Go!

- June 6 – New Braunfels Bible Church, TX
- June 23 – Grace Baptist Church, Stilfontein, South Africa
- July 2-3 – Free Grace Alliance Regional Conference, Miami
- July 13 – GraceLife Board Meeting
- July 18 – Victor Street Bible Chapel, Dallas
- July 25 – Living Stones Fellowship, Dallas
- August 22 – Victor Street Bible Chapel, Dallas
- September 8-10 – Grace Conference, Atlanta
- September 13-19 – International Baptist Bible College, Ukraine
- October 11-13 – Free Grace Alliance International Conference, Woodlands, TX



## ISRAEL! Plan now for 2022!

Our GraceLife Friends Israel Study Tour is May 15-27, 2022. This is more than a bus window tour. You will see sites not usually seen on traditional tours and our Christian guide will share meaningful biblical insights. Get more information through our periodical emails. Just drop a note to [info@GraceLife.org](mailto:info@GraceLife.org) to stay in the Israel info loop. Don't wait too long—this is a trip of a lifetime!



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# UPCLOSE

**UNTIL  
ALL  
HEAR!**

GraceLife is training pastors in **Zambia** using Zoom. They are currently going through Charlie's *Simply by Grace* book. Host is Rev. Francis Brenner Mulenga of GraceLife Zambia.

Charlie will speak at Grace Baptist Church in Stilfontein, **South Africa**, in June. He will teach Evangelism at International Baptist Bible College in **Ukraine** in September.



Not only is *Simply by Grace* being translated into Bembe for **Zambia**, it has been completed in Lugandan for **Uganda**, and is also in the works for Portuguese. Charlie's book, *Grace, Salvation, and Discipleship*, is now being translated into Burmese for **Myanmar**.



Our web-based resources are reaching around the world in other languages. Do you know people who would appreciate resources in **Spanish, German, Chinese, Portuguese, or Urdu**? Direct them to **GraceLife.org**. And for all English speakers everywhere, Listen to our **Simply by Grace** podcast available where most podcasts are found.

Pastor Shawn Willson has some good things to say about Charlie's book, *Grace, Salvation, and Discipleship*. Check out his book reviews on the YouTube Channel *Rev Reads*.



## LET THE WORLD HEAR!

We depend on your financial support to provide training and resources around the world. We also pay scholarships for promising ministry students and help our ministry partners with special needs brought on by covid, political oppression, religious persecution, or natural disasters. Many around the world thank you.



**JOIN US  
IN MIAMI!  
JULY 2-3**

*Step into  
Grace*

AN FGA REGIONAL CONFERENCE ON SALVATION AND DISCIPLESHIP  
JULY 2ND-3RD, 2021 - SOUTHWEST COMMUNITY CHURCH, MIAMI  
REGISTER FOR FREE AT FREEGRACEALLIANCE.COM

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# Ministry in Focus



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**March:** 1) With pastors Cody Wallace and Johnny Echeveria at Free Grace Alliance Regional Conference, Southwest Community Church, Miami; 2) With friends from Bayside Community Church, Tampa; **April:** 3) The hitching post at Missions Conference, San Augustine United Methodist Church, San Augustine, TX (pastor Tim Turner); **May:** 4) Good folks at Victor Street Bible Chapel, Dallas; 5) Some of the folks at Burleson Bible Church, Burleson, TX; **June:** 6) With pastor Phil Congdon at New Braunfels Bible Church, TX.

## falling from

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**Lordship view of salvation: this car is free...but if you dont make payments on it you never really had it 🤔😞**

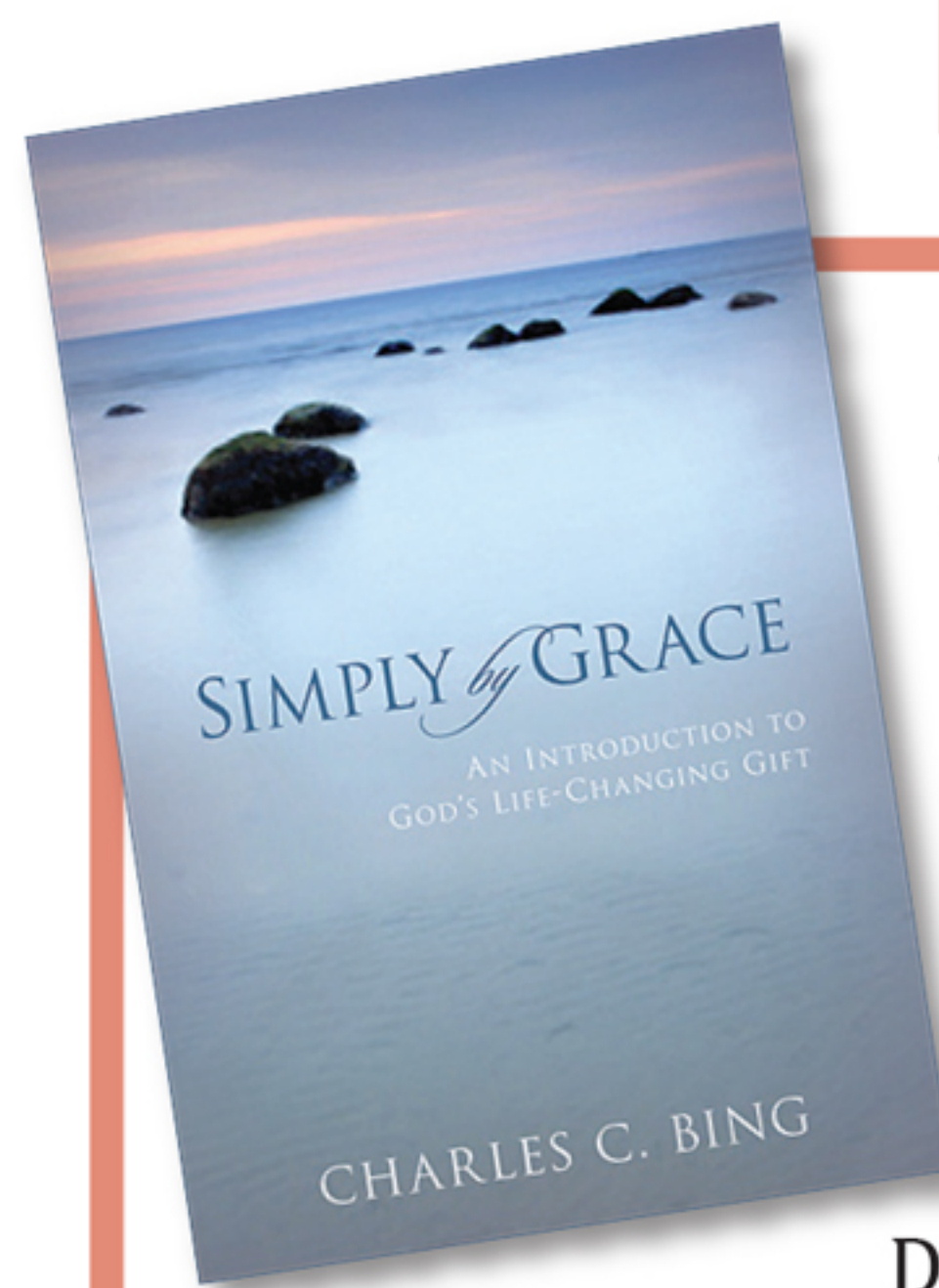
**Arminian view of salvation: this car is free...but if you dont keep paying on it you lose it 😞😞**

**Biblical view of salvation: this car is free...no seriously I paid it all. Here take it 😊🙌**

## Encouraging Words

*From the Inbox:*

I recently loaned your book [*Simply by Grace*] to a man who is dying. God is allowing Chuck to see things he has never heard! He said this is changing his heart. Praise God forever. - E.D.



Dr. Bing, I have been a Christian since I was twelve years old, I am forty-eight now. I never had any victory over sin until I discovered you and your Free Grace teachings. I feel like the Lord is working in my life to sanctify me, true sanctification can only come from God in his timing. Free Grace is the only teaching that understands this. - P.G.

There is nothing like *GraceNotes*! It's my go-to resource for all matters related to salvation. Recently, I heard a pastor murder passages when teaching a series in Acts. I went through his online sermon, copied his main points and responded to him with Charlie Bing's *GraceNotes*. When I met with him face-to-face, there *really wasn't anything he could say. He thanked me for the clarity.* - C.K.