

A WORD FROM CHARLIE

doubt you have really enjoyed these last eight months. But there is a silver lining in every trial when we know the Lord Jesus Christ. Though my GraceLife schedule was completely canceled, other doors of ministry have opened. I have been able to preach and teach online either live or recorded. We have started a podcast heard all over the world. I have gotten more writing projects done. I have explored other opportunities to teach around the world online that I may not otherwise have seen. I think I share the view of many in ministry that the pandemic has actually caused the gospel of Jesus Christ to penetrate deeper into the world than ever. Though we would never have welcomed this crisis, God has used it!

But even with the pandemic, I am beginning to travel and speak in churches and conferences again. Of course, I do this with all the precautions necessary for the churches and me. I enjoy it much more ministering to people face-to-face than online.

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I am also aware that the pandemic has caused unprecedented hardships for many of you and especially for those in less prosperous countries in the world. I continue to remind you to pray for our ministry partners in places like India, Philippines, Ghana, Burundi, Myanmar, Zimbabwe, and Zambia.

One of the reasons we are able to help those in other countries is because America has become prosperous under God's blessing. I remind you to pray for the election and vote this fall because it will greatly impact the freedom we have to minister, to earn money, and to give help to others. Blessings bestowed on us as a free nation overflow to many in other parts of the world.

Stay faithful and look for God's purposes for your own life and ministry in the midst of our present trials. God knows what He's doing though we may not understand. Remember those who are less fortunate in your prayers and your prosperity. Thank you for standing with us as we stand with them around the world and find open doors for the gospel of grace. In Christ, our future remains glorious!

Until all hear,

Charlie Bing





Grace Means Go!

September 13 – Victor Street Bible Chapel, Dallas

September 20 - Faith Community Church, Albuquerque

September 21-22 - IFCA Regional Conference, Albuquerque

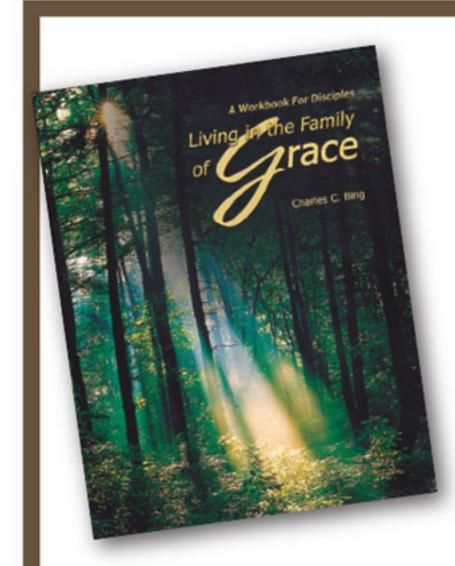
October 12-14 – Free Grace Alliance International Conference, The Woodlands, TX

October 16-18 – Calvary Community Church Missions Conference, Tampa



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FISHING FOR LIFE

One of our earliest books, *Living in the Family of Grace*, has endured as a go-to book to ground people in grace. It uses a couple lessons in John to emphasize salvation through faith alone, then works through Romans to thoroughly teach grace as the chief principle of salvation and Christian living. After grace provides the proper motivation, seven lessons in discipleship complete the workbook. You can use it with individuals or groups and classes of any kind. Here's what Judith B. said: "I have used this material in a discipleship ministry and found that it educated those seeking to grow in their faith. Your presentation is clear and concise, often evoking 'Why didn't someone explain Romans to me like this before? Now I get it!'...Thank you for this invaluable tool and resource in the ministry of grace."

Charlie's earlier book on Lordship Salvation is a thorough treatment of this subject at a technical and scholarly level and has been used to help many for decades. We saw the need for a simpler book that evaluates the Lordship view biblically so we are happy to announce a new short book, *Lordship Salvation: A Biblical Evaluation*. It is affordable enough to buy multiple copies to give away and written at a more popular level. Order from GraceLife or amazon.com soon.

People are buying *Fishing for Life* for themselves and to give away. Many non-fishing women report that they read it for themselves before they give it to the fishermen in their lives. They love the stories! Check it out for yourself. Dick S. wrote, "I just finished reading your new book, Fishing for Life. Loved the stories and the way you wove the gospel into them."

Simply by Grace remains our best seller and is being translated into an 8th language (Lugandan). It introduces and explains biblical grace in salvation, the Christian life, and in sharing the gospel. This is by far the best book to help people grasp the centrality of God's grace in everything we do.





We're reaching into China, Russia, Philippines, and almost every country in the world. Find the Simply By Grace podcast on your favorite podcast platform or visit SimplyByGrace.org to hear Charlie's messages on a variety of biblical topics, sermons, GraceNotes, and ministry updates.

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Hampered in our African GraceLife Institute training by the pandemic, Charlie has started a GLI for 30 pastors in Zambia using Zoom meeting technology. GraceLife is also providing full scholarships for five Burundi pastors taking classes with Grace School of Theology online. We have a special "Scholarship Fund" for gifts so designated. They are very grateful

for those who have given to help them.



From the left: In July at Burleson Bible Church, TX; In August at Bayside Community Church, Tampa with Pastor Don Rice & Marsha, George & Tina Tripp; at Free Grace Alliance regional conference, Grace Bible Church, Portage, Wisconsin, with Pastor Jeremy Edmondson, J. Paul Tanner, Roger Fankhauser, & Jeremy Vance.





Encouraging Words

From those we have helped

I can understand that it would not have been easy for you - to ask for help and getting it, knowing that this may be one of the most difficult times most of us have seen. Also, the money could have been used on something else but you generously extended it to us utterly indebted. Thank you. Raheel, Pakistan

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your gift. . . I also know and appreciate your support for GSOT and ESL training. Thank you for investing in us so that we can be equipped to equip others for the glory of God. God bless you!

Diomede, Burundi

