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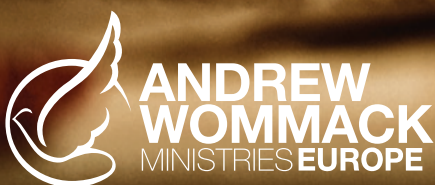
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# Paul's Masterpiece on Grace

Is Romans one of your favourite books in the Bible? If not, then you do not have a revelation of the true Gospel. That's a strong statement, but I believe I'm justified in making it. Romans is a powerful, powerful book.

When I first got really turned on to the Lord back in 1968, I was at a church meeting, and I heard a man say that if you could understand the first eight or nine chapters of Romans, it would cause you to become a mature Christian. That caught my attention.

To understand the book of Romans, the first things you need to know are who wrote the book and why. The Apostle Paul wrote this as a letter to the church in Rome. At the time he wrote it, he had never been to Rome, but Paul wrote to the Romans

because their faith had been spoken of throughout the world.

However, something was beginning to happen in Rome that Paul needed to address. At this time, the church was a mixture of Jewish people and Gentiles, and some of the Jewish people had begun to influence new believers in Rome to go back under the covenant of the law. They had believed in Jesus, but they wanted the New Testament believers to go back and observe all the Old Testament law. Paul wrote this book to show them the differences between New Testament and Old Testament ideas.

**I believe Romans is Paul's masterpiece. He explains how God deals with us in a brand-new way - through mercy and grace instead of based on our performance and keeping of the law.**

This is a huge difference. When we grasp the concepts of the New Covenant, it will transform our lives. Many people today who have come to the Lord have then gone to church and gotten involved in religion, developing a performance-based mentality as a result. This keeps us from receiving from

God, and it causes a lot of guilt and condemnation. As a result, many people don't walk in the freedom God intended for us.

Paul makes an important statement in Romans 1:16:

*I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ.*

Today, people apply the word *Gospel* to many different things. I've even seen some preachers use the word in the context of screaming at people, condemning them, and telling them that they're going to hell. It's true that there is a heaven and a hell, and if people don't accept Jesus, they're going to hell - but that is not the Gospel.

The word *Gospel* was seldom used in Paul's time. It literally means **Good News**, but it's more than that. The word *Gospel* here is referring to the nearly too-good-to-be-true news - the radically Good News that doesn't apply to anything except what Jesus came to do for us through His death and resurrection, taking our sins away.

When Paul announced that he was not ashamed of the Gospel, he was opposing the religion of his day, which didn't have any Good News in it. In fact, it was very oppressive. The religious leaders even counted out how many steps you could take on a sabbath day. They accused Jesus of breaking the sabbath when he healed people. Their lives were full of laws and rituals. People were constantly being told, "You're wrong here, you're wrong there, you can't do enough." Second Corinthians 3:7-9 calls the law a ministration of condemnation and death.

For Paul to say that he was not ashamed of the Good News - that Jesus paid everything, and that God's love for him was not based on his performance - was radical. Paul went on to write in Romans 1:16:

*For it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.*

This verse has another word that needs explanation: *salvation*. This word has been cheapened from what it originally meant. The word *salvation* is translated from the Greek word *sozo*. As it is used in the Bible, it's not limited to the forgiveness of sins. It includes that, but also much more. *Sozo* literally refers to not only the forgiveness of sins, but the healing of your body; your prosperity; and deliverance from Satan, depression, and discouragement - all these things are included. Sad to say, but the church today has broken down salvation to mean only the forgiveness of sins.

**Paul explained that this awesome gift of salvation - forgiveness, healing, prosperity, joy, and deliverance - has nothing to do with our performance, but is based on our faith in what Jesus did. The burden of salvation is no longer on our back.**

This contrasted with the Jewish people's mindset, which was: *If I don't perform, God won't move*. These days, most people wouldn't consider themselves to be like the Jewish people of Paul's day, yet we still see these same mindsets and behaviours.

Today, the average Christian believes that God can do anything - He can perform miracles, He can heal, He can provide finances - but they don't know for sure that He *will* because they believe that God's power being demonstrated in their lives is dependent upon their goodness, whether they fasted, prayed, studied the Word, and so on. They doubt God's willingness because they know in their own hearts they haven't done everything correctly.

If this expresses your attitude, then you don't understand the Gospel. The Gospel is the nearly too-good-to-be-true news that you don't get what you deserve - you get what Jesus deserved. All you have to do is believe and receive. You have to get beyond your self-righteousness and trust God.

I'm out of space, but there's a lot more on Romans that I have to share that would change your life. I tell you, understanding grace is so important for believers. I've put together a special package this month that will thoroughly disciple you on grace. You'll understand how God sees you, be set free from all kinds of bondages, and be ready to minister grace to others! To order, go to [awme.net/promo-offer/romans](http://awme.net/promo-offer/romans), call our UK Helpline at **+44(0)1922 473300**, or fill out and return the enclosed form. **GT**

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Do you want to receive God's best? Don't wait to receive the healing power that Jesus secured for you at the cross. **Join us in person at the Healing Is Here 2021 conference** from August 10–13 and **hear powerful Bible teachers** sharing principles **directly from God's Word**.

It's easy to be discouraged by the symptoms and circumstances we see in our lives and the lives of those we love, but at this event you will be encouraged by the teaching and testimonies of our speakers. This year's speakers include Andrew Wommack, Carlie Terradez, Audrey Mack, Butch and Juliann Hartman, Daniel Amstutz, Greg Mohr, Barry Bennett, Carrie Pickett, Johan and Brenda Toet, Jeremy Klaus, Colt Atkins, Cindy Mezas, Michael and Aster Mullins, Donna Jones, and more.

These are people just like you, and they have experienced everything that God has offered in His atonement. Learn how to apply the truth of God's Word in your life and expect miracles. Deborah Kiezebrink attended Healing Is Here in 2018 where she received her healing from narcolepsy. She says, "What I like about the conference is **it's real people sharing their real stories**, talking about the process that they went through and helping you to recognise **it's not a formula, it's a relationship with God**, and that you can get there."

So many healings have come out of this annual conference, and we continue to expect and impart the good report from our Healer. Roberta Grimes came to our conference in 2016 and received healing from lupus! "I had to be here [at the conference] even though **I wasn't quite in faith about receiving healing**. Through the week **realising how much God loved me**, how much He wanted me well, **it ignited hope and faith**," she says.

Mark Meek attended Healing Is Here 2017 and was healed from prostate cancer! He says, "God has healed me, and I want to more ably give that to someone else."

Take this opportunity to receive everything that God has for you and live in the fullness of His grace. God has already provided for your healing. Walking in faith to hear the Word of God and receiving the truth is the next step. Healing Is Here has given so many others the chance to experience the truth of God's healing and empower others to do the same. This conference will give you the opportunity to take back what is yours and strengthen your hope.

To register for the Healing Is Here 2021 conference, go to **HealingIsHere.org** or call our US Helpline at **+1 719-635-1111**. We hope to see you at the conference. It is through a relationship with our loving God that we can receive. Don't wait; take hold of the truth - that healing is for you! **GT**





## From Shameful to Empowered

*Baby Machine. Scrounger. Shameful.* These were the labels that followed Selina Brown for years, until she finally believed them herself.

From the time she was adopted to the many abusive relationships throughout her teenage years, Selina had no concept of her worth. She found her identity in British tabloids as the twenty-year-old mother of six children.

In an attempt to escape the reality of her infamy and an abusive relationship with the father of her children, Selina turned to drugs and alcohol.

One night, it all became too much to bear. After drinking heavily, Selina drove toward a bridge with the intention of taking her own life. On her way, while going fifty miles an hour, she smashed into a parked car. Selina remembers getting out after the accident and thinking to herself, *Well this is not good, I can't even kill myself.* She would recover from the accident, but she was still confused and suicidal.

With no idea where to turn, Selina encountered God through Facebook right where she was. While scrolling through a friend's post, she learned about the free Grace & Faith Conference hosted by Andrew Wommack.

Without a financial barrier in the way, Selina decided to attend. "I turned up at the conference, and I don't know if I'd had to pay if I'd been there or not. But I know that just being able to go to that conference, no questions asked, there was no criteria to meet . . . being able to do that, it just totally transformed my life."

Things started to make sense as Selina listened to Andrew teach about righteousness. "Walls were coming down in front of me," says Selina. Her legalistic mindset from a Catholic upbringing was gone as she realised she didn't have to "be good" to receive God's love.

At the end of the service, Andrew called for those who weren't yet born again to come forward and be baptised in the Holy Spirit. "In that instant, I remember hearing God speak to me," says Selina. All her life, she had been searching for identity. God said to her, *"It doesn't matter whose family you belong to. You belong to Me now."*

In a single moment, God showed Selina who she was. She was set free from addiction, insecurities, suicidal thoughts, and all of the labels she had come to believe about herself. At the end of the conference, Selina knew she needed to become established in her new-found identity and enrolled in Charis Bible College Walsall.

God changed everything in just a few short years. Today, Selina serves as Assistant Missions Coordinator at Charis Walsall. The Browns credit Charis as the key to unlocking their freedom, and with their new revelation, they were inspired to start Reboot, a street ministry specialising in reaching outcasts and addicts with the changing power of a mind renewed in Christ.

Selina has now become the mother her children have always needed. Of course, none of this would have been possible without our friends and partners. Because of you, one suicidal woman from England found her identity in Christ and is now spreading the message of hope throughout Europe.

Watch Selina's inspiring *Grace Encounter* at [L.awmi.net/brown](http://L.awmi.net/brown). Her story is also one of five testimonies shared on our DVD *Grace Encounters Volume 2*, available at [awme.net/shop](http://awme.net/shop). **CT**





# The Benefits of a Merry Heart



## About Daniel Amstutz

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Learn more about Charis Bible College by visiting [charisbiblecollege.org.uk](http://charisbiblecollege.org.uk)

By Daniel Amstutz

What does it mean to be merry? Last year I felt like the Lord said, "Teach on how to truly be merry, not only during Christmas, but in all seasons." Instead of a fake version of trying to be happy, we will understand the real benefit of living with a merry heart.

Often, we obsess over establishing a perfect environment. Still, with things going on in our culture, some people have become unemployed, or some of you have been dealing with friends and family members that have passed away. Or maybe the economic impact has affected you. There's just a lot going on, and it may be far from perfect.

Proverbs 17:22 (NKJV) says, "*A merry heart does good, like a medicine, But a broken spirit dries the bones.*" A merry heart is going to do us good. When someone has a broken spirit, it doesn't just affect their inner man; it also affects their outer man. It's incredible how things on the inside affect us in every regard.

Now, look at Proverbs 4:23 (NKJV), "*Keep your heart with all diligence, For out of it spring the issues of life.*" All the issues of life come from the heart! So, we cannot ignore these issues and expect to experience abundant life. But we can deal with these issues according to the Spirit and the Word of God.

Jesus came to bring healing to every single area of brokenness we may be experiencing, whether mental or emotional. **Your heart**

**matters to God!** He's for you, not against you. He will lead you into truth and help you be transformed so that you can really experience His will in every area of your life.

I love 1 John 3:20–21 (NKJV). It says, "*For if our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and knows all things. <sup>21</sup>Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence toward God.*"

When you've got some issues of the heart that need to be dealt with, whether the enemy is trying to bring condemnation into your life or you're doing a good job of condemning yourself, we discover that God is even greater than that.

Even when our circumstances aren't lining up, we can still live with a heart that does not need to be troubled because it's about the grace extended to us through God's Spirit living inside of us. **We are the very containers of the presence of God!**

God has promised us that we can live with a merry heart, and He's **promised us life more abundantly** (Heb. 10:36). We don't have to conform to depression, fear, and craziness in our culture. God has not designed us to live that way.

When we apply the Word of God to our lives it causes us to have a merry heart. I want you to live with a merry heart so that you can really **celebrate the grace of God** in your life from the inside out. **GT**



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