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Scripture Text: Titus 3:3-7 MSG

Subject: "From Disgrace To Grace"

Introduction: Our text for consideration today is taken from one of the three pastoral epistles written by the Apostle Paul.

Paul had left Titus in charge of the churches on the island of Crete.

The people of Crete had one of the worst reputations imaginable.

The Cretians were known as drunken, disrespectful, untrustworthy, greedy people, yet God uses Titus to share the good news of salvation in Crete.

And the good news of the gospel is that Jesus saves from the uttermost to the gutter most – Jesus saves!

Sermon Points

Major Moment: Salvation through Christ Jesus moves us from a state of disgrace by the grace of God.

- **A New Beginning – The Believer’s Salvation**
 - Titus 3:3
 - Romans 3:23
 - Psalm 14:1
 - John 3:16-17
 - Acts 16:30-31
 - Romans 10:10 & 13
- **A Right Standing – The Believer’s Justification**
 - Titus 3:5
 - Isaiah 64:6
 - Ephesians 1:7
 - Titus 3:7
 - Romans 8:3
- **A Glorious Future – The Believer’s Inheritance**
 - Romans 8:16-17
 - First John 3:2

Summary Verse: “This is a faithful saying, and these things I want you affirm constantly, that those who have believed in God should be careful to maintain good works. These things are good and profitable to men.” **Titus 3:8 NKJ**