

House Rules

1 Timothy 1:12-20

Anything that's broken can be fixed

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Main Points

- *It's all about Jesus*
- *Paul's Brokenness does not disqualify him. It qualifies him.*
- *Grace overflows.*
- *Jesus' skills are displayed.*

Application

- *God's overflowing grace is most practical in our lives when it is believed and felt.*
- *In God's House, Anything that's broken can be fixed.*

Reminders

- Leadership Summit – Feb 4 – 6:30-8:30
- Encourage your group to meet and talk with new people each week at our gathering and in the regular pattern of their lives.
- Encourage your group to read 1 Timothy.

Remember

Read 1 Timothy 1:12-20

Ask your group to point out things from the passage that were presented during our worship gathering.

What spoke to you in a particular way during our worship gathering?

Deepen

Paul seems to be amazed at the grace of God in his life in vv. 12-14. How have you experienced this amazement at God's grace toward you? Recently?

When you think about Paul's life before Jesus, how does that bring the grace of God into clearer view?

Read Luke 7:36-50

What are the reactions to Jesus in this story?

How does this passage connect to the truth from 1 Timothy 1:12-20?

How can we work to make sure that grace is seen to be amazing in our lives?

Transform

Brian said "God's overflowing grace is most practical in our lives when it is believed and felt." How can someone believe something and not feel it?

What are some of the practical, everyday implications of the following truths?

- The Grace of our Lord overflowed for me with faith and love that are in Christ Jesus.
- Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.
- Paul's broken past and present made him the perfect pattern for others to follow toward belief in Jesus.

What are some ways we know that we are not "feeling" this?

Read Ephesians 2:8-10

Why should the reality that we are his workmanship give us hope? Confidence?

How can we move toward embracing (feeling) what we know to be true?

Close on the very positive note that our great God fixes broken things. He doesn't throw us away. He makes us new and gives us hope and purpose.