### Being Strong in Grace

Greg Mohr July 10, 2016 AM 2 Timothy 2:1-2, 1 Corinthians 15:10, Colossians 2:6, 2 Corinthians 3:5, Philippians 4:13, 1 Timothy 1:12, 2 Corinthians 10:12, 2 Chronicle 20:12, Hebrews 13:20-21, 1 Peter 4:10-11

### 2 Timothy 2:1

You therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.

### 2 Timothy 2:2

And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also.

#### 1 Corinthians 15:10

But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace toward me was not in vain; but I labored more abundantly than they all, yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.

### Colossians 2:6

As you have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him,

## Grace = God's divine enablement

### 2 Corinthians 3:5

Not that we are sufficient of ourselves to think of anything as being from ourselves, but our sufficiency is from God,

## We are called to do thing outside our skill set

### Philippians 4:13

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.

### God has a purpose for your life

### How to Stay Strong in Grace:

1. It all starts with a word from God or a directive from someone in authority

### 1 Timothy 1:12

**And I thank Christ Jesus** our Lord who has enabled me, because He counted me faithful, putting me into the ministry,

2. You must guard against comparing yourself with others or becoming intimidated by what you don't know

#### 2 Corinthians 10:12

For we dare not class ourselves or compare ourselves with those who commend themselves. But they, measuring themselves by themselves, and comparing themselves among themselves, are not wise.

### 2 Chronicles 20:12

"O our God, will You not judge them? For we have no power against this great multitude that is coming against us; nor do we know what to do, but our eyes are upon You."

# 3. Believe God for all you need to fulfill your assignment

### **Hebrews 13:20**

Now the God of peace, that brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant,

### Hebrews 13:21

Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is wellpleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

4. Find your own voice and walk in the confidence and authority of your call and assignment

### 1 Peter 4:10

As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

#### 1 Peter 4:11

If anyone speaks, let him speak as the oracles of God. If anyone ministers, let him do it as with the ability which God supplies, that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom belong the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen.