**Sufficient Grace**

**Romans 5:1-5**

**Peace with God (v. 1)**

*1Therefore,*

*since we have been justified by faith,* This is the open Door

*we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.* Result of Faith

**Hope in God’s Glory (v. 2)**

*2Through him,* The source is Jesus Christ

*we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand,* God’s Gift to us.

*and we rejoice in the hope of the glory of God.* The result of God’s Grace

1. what we need
2. how we can get it
3. how it affects our present challenges
4. what will be our final outcome by accepting this promise

**Hope through Suffering (vv. 3-5)**

*3Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings,* Grace is the source of joy

*knowing that suffering produces endurance* We gain strength from God

*4and endurance produces character,* The unlikely pathway to growth

*and character produces hope,* The outcome of suffering

*5and hope does not put us to shame,* We can stand strong in grace

*because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.* God’s assurance to us that he is with us

“We are stronger in our weakest moments when the Lord is with us than our strongest moments without him.” Busic, *Way, Truth, Life*, 155.