

The Gospel: The 5 Solas

The 5 Solas are essentially the foundation pillars of Christianity set forth by the Protestant Reformation.

They originated as such in the 16th-17th Century as a response to the doctrinal and moral decay of the Roman Catholic Church, which was undermining the Gospel Of Christ.

The 5 Solas:

Sola Gratia (Grace Alone)

Sola Christus (Christ Alone)

Sola Fide (Faith Alone)

Sola Deo Gloria (To God Be The Glory Alone)

Sola Scriptura (Scripture Alone)



**We acknowledge the grace of God
because of the sinfulness of man.**

**Grace= Unmerited Favor.
Unearned, Undeserved Blessing.**

**What then? Are we better than they? Not at all, for we have
already charged that both Jews and Greeks are all under ~~sin~~¹⁰ as
it is written,
“There is none righteous, not even one;
Romans 3:9-10**

²³ for all have ~~x~~ sinned and fall short of the glory of God,
Romans 3:23



**Everything for salvation comes
back to God for God.**



**Man will still face the wrath of
God apart from Christ**



²³ For the wages of ~~sin~~ is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 6:23

„Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of *God* through Him.

Romans 5:9

Ephesians 2:1-3

And you were dead in your trespasses and sins, ²in which you formerly walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience. Among them we too all formerly **1lived in the lusts of our flesh, 2indulging the desires of the flesh and of the mind,** and were by **3nature children of wrath** even as the rest.

For they themselves report about us what kind of a reception we had with you, and how you **1 turned to God from idols 2 to serve a living and true God, 3 and 3 to wait for His Son from heaven,** whom He raised from the dead, *that is* Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath to come.

1 Thessalonians 1:9-10

³⁶ **He who believes in the Son has eternal life; but he who does not obey the Son will not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him.”**

John 3:36

Grace is God moving in us to understand Him and be aware of our need for Him through Christ.



¹⁴ But a natural man does not accept the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; and he cannot understand them, because they are spiritually appraised.

1 Corinthians 2:14

⁷because the mind set on the flesh is hostile toward God; for it does not subject itself to the law of God, for it is not even able to do so, ⁸and those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

Romans 8:7-8

No one can come to Me unless the Father who sent Me draws him; and I will raise him up on the last day.

John 6:44






SOLA GRATIA

³Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly *places* **in Christ**,⁴ just as He **chose** us **in Him** before the foundation of the world, that we would be holy and blameless before Him. In love⁵ He **predestined** us to adoption as sons through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the kind intention of His will,⁶ to the praise of the **glory** of His **grace**, which He freely bestowed on us **in the Beloved**.⁷ **In Him** we have 1redemption through His blood, 2the forgiveness of our **trespasses**, according to the riches of His **grace**⁸ which He lavished on us. Ephesians 1:3-8a

Redemption: 1. the action of saving or being saved from sin, error, or evil. 2. the action of regaining or gaining possession of something in exchange for payment, or clearing a debt.

¹⁶“For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world might be saved through Him. ¹⁸He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. John 3:16-18

Ephesians 2:4-10

⁴ But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, ⁵ even when we were dead in our transgressions,   **1made us** alive together **with Christ** (by **grace** you have been saved), ⁶ and **2raised us** up **with Him**, and **3seated us** **with Him** in the heavenly *places* **in Christ Jesus**, ⁷ so that in the ages to come He might **4show** the surpassing riches of His **grace** in kindness **toward us** **in Christ Jesus**. ⁸ For by **grace** you  have been saved through **faith**; and that not of yourselves, *it is* the gift of God; ⁹ not as a result of works, so that no one may boast. ¹⁰ For we are His workmanship, created **in Christ Jesus** for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.

1 Corinthians 15:10

¹⁰ But by the **grace** of God I am what I am, and His **grace** toward me did not prove vain; but I labored even more than all of **them**, yet not I, but the **grace** of God with me.

2 Corinthians 9:8

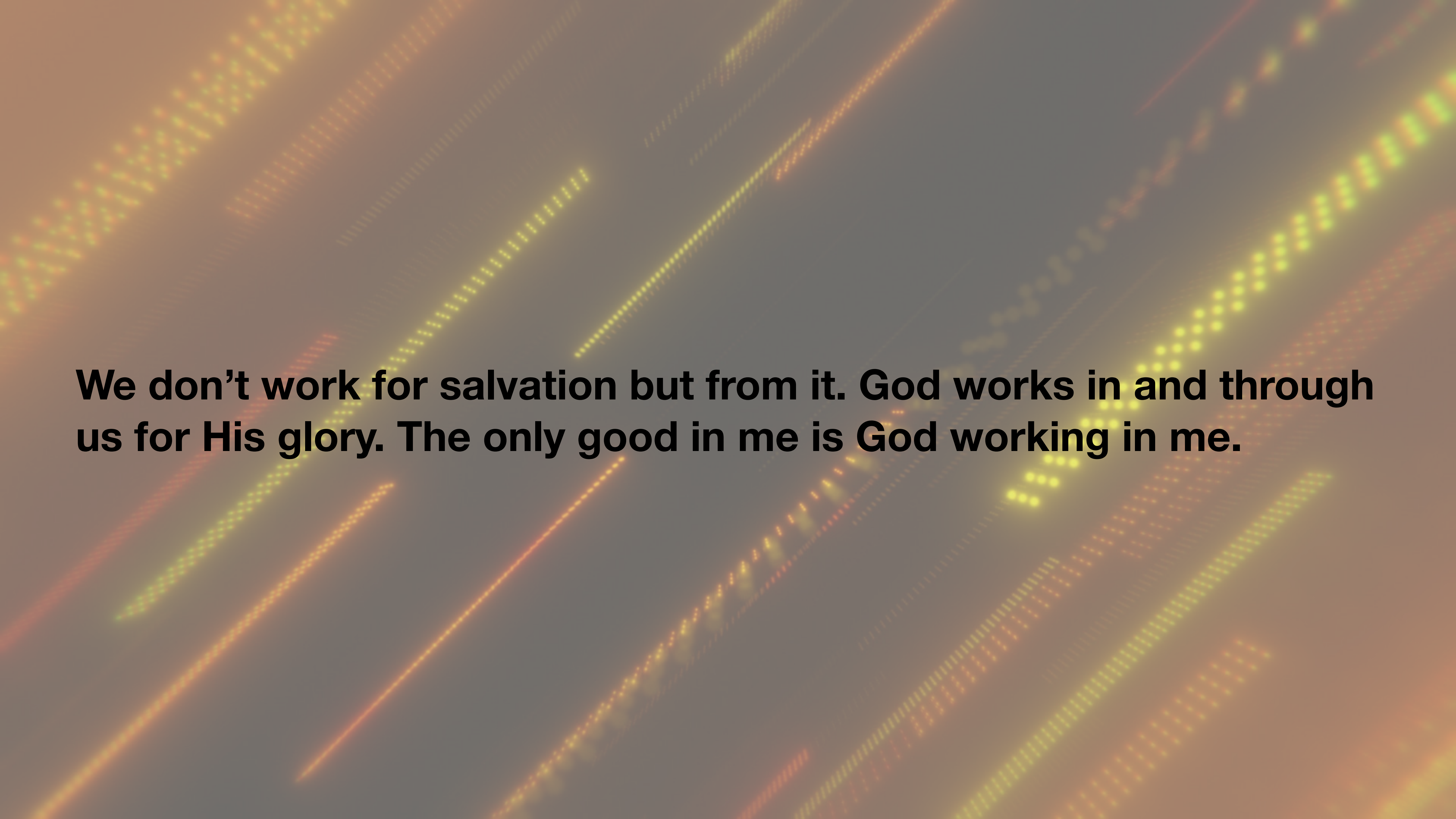
⁸ And God is able to make **all** **grace** abound to you, so that **always** having **all** **sufficiency** in **everything**, you may have an **abundance** for **every** **good deed**;

Romans 11:5-6

⁵In the same way then, there has also come to be at the present time a remnant according to *God's* **gracious choice**. ⁶But if it is by **grace**, it is no longer on the basis of works, otherwise **grace** is no longer **grace**.

Romans 9:11-12

¹¹for though *the twins* were **not yet born** and had not done **anything good or bad**, so that **God's purpose** according to **His choice** would stand, not because of works but because of **Him who calls**, ¹²it was said to her, "The older will serve the younger."



We don't work for salvation but from it. God works in and through us for His glory. The only good in me is God working in me.

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